




Academic Senate

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATIONAL POLICY

January 11, 2021

To: Jason Stajich, Chair
Riverside Division

From: Stefano Vidussi, Chair 
Committee on Educational Policy

RE: Proposal for a BS+MS in Microbiology Five-Year Combined Degree Program

The Committee on Educational Policy reviewed the proposal for a BS+MS in Microbiology five-year combined degree program at their January 8, 2021 meeting and voted to support the proposal.

The Committee did note the following editorial errors that they recommend be corrected before the proposal is finalized:

- The projected flowchart of student applicants on page 8 does not include “yes” and “no” labels for the projected paths as other areas of the chart are labeled.
- The second mention of microbiology on the coversheet found on page 11 is misspelled. Additionally, the program selected that the proposed new program is interdepartmental but does not include a list of the other involved programs on coversheet.
- Under “Proposed Modifications”, item “Other”, it is indicated that it is an “Addition of MS BS/MS”; the first “MS” should be canceled.