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NEW ACADEMIC CERTIFICATE PROGRAM PROPOSAL**

I. Rational

To create required program description and program learning outcome(s) for the Horticulture Certificate Program.

II. Academic Certificate Program Description

The certificate program is designed to provide students the knowledge in the principles and practices of horticulture. It involves developing students' knowledge and skills in growing horticultural crops, maintaining soil fertility, and learning and applying landscaping skills. It also introduces to students different career opportunities in the horticultural industry.

III. Academic Certificate Program Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the certificate program, students will be able to:

1. Acquire knowledge and skills in the horticulture industry.

IV. Curricular Content

<u>Course No</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Credits</u>
AG 111	Introduction to Tropical Agriculture	4
AG 122	Soil Technology	4
AG 124	Plant Science	4
AG 214	Horticulture Crop Production	5
AG 216	Tropical Landscape Horticulture	4
	Total credits required	21



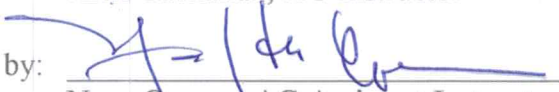
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Program Name: Horticulture

Proposed first offering: Fall 2016
Semester School Year

Proposed by: 
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Date: April 25, 2016

Endorsed by: 
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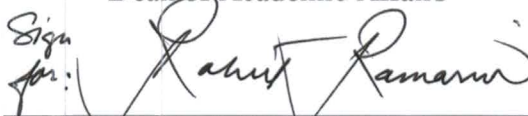
Date: April 25, 2016

Note: An endorser should be a member of a respective advisory committee or has expertise in the field

Approvals:

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