

## TEXAS HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD

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Dear Dr. McInnis:

At its October 20, 2016 meeting the Coordinating Board approved and authorized the request from The University of Texas at Austin to create a Bachelor of Science (BS) degree with a major in Computational Engineering. Approval is with the understanding that the institution will seek accreditation for its computational engineering degree program from the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) upon the graduation of its first student.

Enclosed is an information sheet for your reporting official. Best wishes for success with this new program.

Sincerely,

Rex C. Peebles

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**Enclosure** 

c: Steven W. Leslie Gregory Fenves

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## **INFORMATION SHEET**

The following information is provided in connection with recent action(s) taken by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board and reported to your institution in a letter from Rex C. Peebles dated October 21, 2016.

## **ACTION: THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN**

On October 20, 2016, the Coordinating Board approved and authorized the request from The University of Texas at Austin to create a Bachelor of Science (BS) degree with a major in Computational Engineering. Approval is with the understanding that the institution will seek accreditation for its computational engineering degree program from the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) upon the graduation of its first student.

Administrative Unit Affected		Academic Unit #				Action	Effective Date
Department of Aerospace Engineering/Engineering Mechanics		0110				Create degree program	October 21, 2016
Degree Title	Program Name	CIP Code	# of SCH	DE	Delivery Mode	Action	Effective Date
BS	Computational Engineering	30.3001.00	122	No	Face-to- Face	Create degree program	October 21, 2016

## Notes:

These changes will affect the way your institution reports courses, programs, and degrees to the Coordinating Board. Please inform the appropriate reporting personnel of these changes.

If you have any questions about this action or about your institution's program inventory, please contact:

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