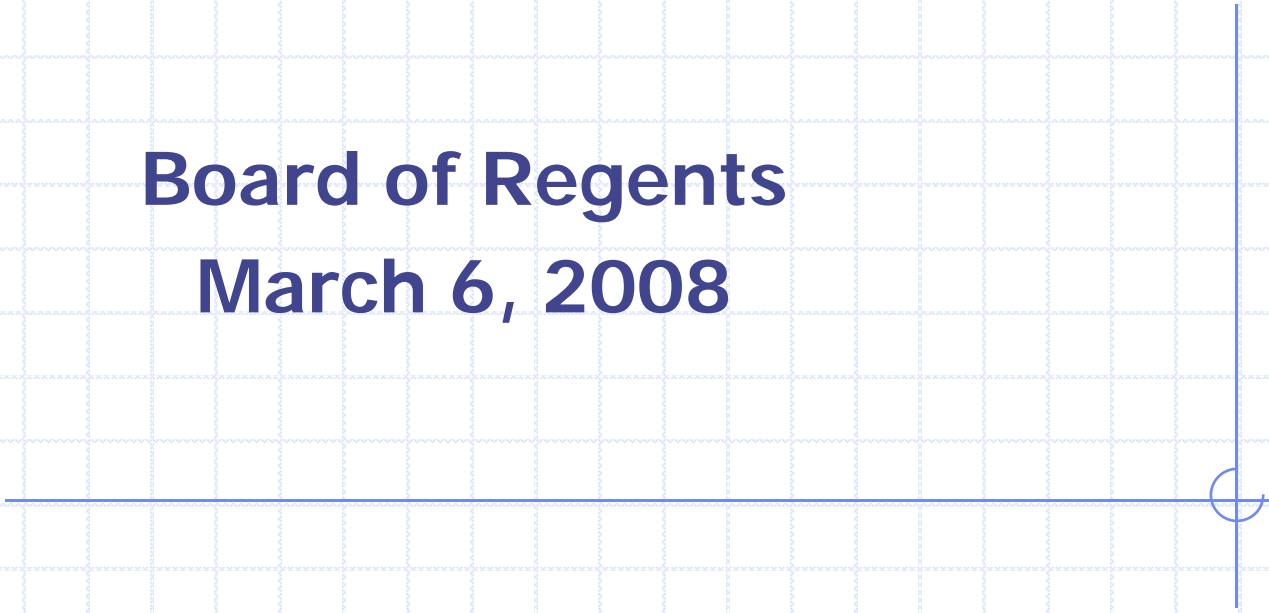




UW Colleges Committee Report

**Board of Regents
March 6, 2008**



Composition of Committee

- ◆ 3 from UW Colleges
 - ◆ 1 from UW Extension
 - ◆ 3 from other UW Institutions
 - ◆ 4 from UWSA
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- ◆ 3 Provosts
 - ◆ 2 Chief Business Officers

Role of UW Colleges Committee

◆ Outline Pros and Cons of:

- **Offering baccalaureate degree programs.**
- Adding residence halls.
- **Creating Satellite operations in underserved areas.**
- Serving qualified UW Madison applicants during their first two years.
- Serving students in the Milwaukee area.

Northern Wisconsin Initiative

- ◆ Determine needs of adult students in northern Wisconsin.
- ◆ Determine how and where such needs can be addressed in a flexible and economic way.

Northern Wisconsin Initiative Considerations

- ◆ Target Audience(s).
- ◆ Other UW Institutions: Impact and collaboration.
- ◆ WTCS and Private Institutions.
- ◆ Political Considerations.
- ◆ Impact on Economic and Workforce Development.

Offering Baccalaureate Degree

- ◆ A single, applied bachelor's degree.
- ◆ Targeting an area of documented need.
 - Place-bound and/or underserved student.
- ◆ Aligned with UW Colleges faculty strengths.

Offering Baccalaureate Degree Considerations

- Access.
 - ◆ Target audience.
 - ◆ Potential duplication.
 - ◆ Delivery methods.
- Collaboration Opportunities.
- Fit with other initiatives.

Offering Baccalaureate Degree Considerations

- Fit with mission of UW Colleges and other UW institutions.
- Resources.
- Service to WTCS students.
- Impact on students transferring to other UW institutions.

Conclusion

- ◆ Contribution to the Growth Agenda.
- ◆ Meeting needs of students not currently accessing higher education in the state.
- ◆ Leveraging the strengths of the UW System to meet student and state needs.