

Central Connecticut State University
UNIVERSITY SENATE ACTION

Senate Motion Number FS 20.21.017B

TO: President Zulma Toro

FROM: President of the University Senate

1. The attached motion of the University Senate, dealing with: **Posthumous MBA for Heatherly Whelahan Carlson**, is presented to you for your consideration.
2. This motion was adopted by the University Senate on **02/22/2021**.
3. After considering this motion, please indicate your action on this form, and return it together with the original copy to the President of the University Senate.
4. Under the By-Laws of the University Senate, Section 3.7, the following schedule of action is to be observed.
 - a) By **03/18/2021**, Senate action reported to the President of the University. (Within five school days of the session in which they are adopted).
 - b) By **04/01/2021**, the President of the University to return the motion to the President of the Senate. (Within ten school days of its receipt).

03/18/2021

Date

Frederic Latour

Frederic Latour, President, University Senate

ENDORSEMENT:

TO: President of the University Senate

FROM: President Zulma Toro

1. Motion Approved : _____ ✓
2. Motion Disapproved: _____ (Explanatory statement must be appended).
3. Action "is deferred": _____
4. Resolution Noted: _____
5. Other: _____

9/3/21

Date



President Zulma Toro



MEMORANDUM

To: The Faculty Senate, Central Connecticut State University

VIA: Dr. David Dauwalder, Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs *DD Dauwalder*

VIA: Dr. Christina Robinson, Dean of The School of Graduate Studies *C Robinson*
Christina Robinson (Sep 24, 2020 11:00 EDT)

VIA: Dr. Joseph Farhat, Dean of the School of Business *J Farhat* Approve

From: William J. Davis, Associate Director of Graduate Programs *WJ Davis*

Date: September 16, 2020

Subj: Heatherly Whelahan Carlson - MBA posthumously

The School of Business Department Chairs and the SoB Graduate Programs are recommending the awarding of the Master of Business Administration to Heatherly Whelahan Carlson (30399339). At the time of her death on September 7, 2020, Ms. Carlson was enrolled in 2 graduate courses, having completed 24 graduate credits (80%) of the MBA program with a cumulative GPA of 3.88. She would have taken her capstone requirement during the spring 2021 semester to complete her degree.

Ms. Carlson was a published researcher pursuing her second Master degree on a part-time basis while working full time and raising two children. While she is eligible for a Certificate of Academic Accomplishment having completed 80% of the program, we enthusiastically recommend awarding the degree of Master of Business Administration. Her academic and professional accomplishments prior to enrolling at CCSU, her high level of academic performance during her studies here, and her unanticipated death, support this award.