# **Central Connecticut State University** UNIVERSITY SENATE ACTION

## Senate Motion Number FS 21.22.019B

| TO:   | President Zulma Toro  |   |
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| FROM  | l: President of the University  | / Senate  |
|   | The attached motion of the University   | ersity Senate, dealing with: <b>Posthumous Degree for</b> you for your consideration. |
| <ol> <li>This motion was adopted by the University Senate on <u>04/18/2022</u>.</li> <li>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.</li> </ol> |   |   |
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| a) By <b>04/22/2022</b> , Senate action reported to the President of the University. (Within five sch days of the session in which they are adopted).   |   |   |
|   | b) By <u>05/06/2022</u> , the President of the University to return the motion to the President of the Senate. (Within ten school days of its receipt). |   |
|   | <b>04/22/2022</b> Date  | Frederic Latour, President, University Senate   |
| ENDO  | PRSEMENT:   |   |
| TO:   | President of the University   | y Senate  |
| FROM  | 1: President Zulma Toro   |   |
| 1.  | Motion Approved :   |   |
| 2.  | Motion Disapproved:   | (Explanatory statement must be appended).   |
| 3.  | 3. Action "is deferred":  |   |
| 4.  | Resolution Noted:   |   |
| 5.  | Other:  |   |
|   | 4/25/2022   |   |
|   | Date  | President Zulma Toro  |



#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Fred Latour, President of the Faculty Senate

FROM: Kimberly Kostelis, Interim Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs

**DATE**: March 24, 2022

SUBJECT: Recommendation to Award B.S. in Accounting Posthumously to Kwashawna

English

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I recommend that Ms. Kwashawna English be awarded a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting posthumously at or before CCSU's Spring 2022 Commencement.

Ms. English tragically passed away in early March 2022. During Spring 2022, Ms. English was enrolled in the final credits for her program, having already completed 120 credits towards her undergraduate degree in Accounting. The recommendation of the Department of Accounting and Dean Joseph Farhat is accompanying this request.



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### MEMORANDUM

To: The Faculty Senate, Central Connecticut State University

VIA: Dr. Kimberly Kostelis, Interim Provost and Vice President of Academic

**Affairs** 

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

From: Dr. Mary McCarthy, Professor and Accounting Department Chairperson

**Date:** March 23, 2022

**Subj:** Kwashawna English – BS in Accounting posthumously

The Department of Accounting and the School of Business are recommending the awarding of the Bachelor's of Science in Accounting degree to Kwashawna English (30365870). At the time of her death on March 6, 2022, Ms. English was enrolled in her final course, having completed 120 credits towards her undergraduate degree in accounting. Ms. English would have met all the degree requirements this semester completing her final course in Auditing. Ms. English was a quiet, diligent student. Her future goals included opening her own accounting practice.



## **Obituary**

Kwashawna L. English was born on December 23, 1998 in Hartford to the loving care of her parents, Diana Thomas and the late Paul English. Kwashawna was a beautiful girl, who grew into a bold and benevolent young woman who loved her family and friends. She was a kind and passionate young lady that loves to help people, no matter how big or small the task.. She was a young adult making her way through life, by furthering her education in accounting as she attended Central Connecticut State University. This upcoming May she would have become a graduate from Central State University with a Bachelor in Accounting. Kwashawna was very shy around people that she did not know but very talkative and enjoyed the art of debating when we had family discussion. Her long term goals were to have her own accounting business, living on her own and eventually becoming a homeowner.

Kwashawna loved to cook but had a passion to bake all the time, she was always trying new recipes for the family to eat and enjoy. When she cooked or baked and it did not turn out right the first time, she would try it again and it would taste amazing.

Kwashawna attended Living Word Empowerment Ministries where she served God and learned to love God and grow in her faith under the leadership, preaching and teachings of Bishop Neville Wolliston. She was a beloved daughter, sister, cousin, and friend. She leaves her immediate family, her mother Diana of Hartford, aunts Germaine, Monique, Shermaine, Pearl and Patricia, uncle Tony, cousins Stephon and Michael, and a host of relatives and friends.

Visitation will be Saturday, March 19, 2022 at 9:00 am with the funeral to follow at 10:00 am at Living Word Empowerment Ministries, 24 Leggett Street, East Hartford

To <u>send flowers</u> to the family or <u>plant a tree</u> in memory of Kwashawna, please <u>visit our floral store</u>.