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**SENATE GRADUATE &
PROFESSIONAL COMMITTEE**

Linney Wix, Chair
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DATE: December 1, 2011

TO: Operations Committee of the Faculty Senate

FROM: Linney Wix, Ph.D., Chair *Linney Wix*
Senate Graduate & Professional Committee

RE: Posthumous Degree

At its December 1, 2011 meeting the Senate Graduate & Professional Committee voted to approve a request to grant a posthumous degree to Angelita Muskett (100887332). Please see the attached memo from Geraldine Forbes Isais, Dean, School of Architecture & Planning, detailing this request for Ms. Muskett.

The Senate Graduate & Professional Committee's approval is based primarily on the two conditions specified in the faculty handbook relative to the granting of posthumous degrees. Ms. Muskett had completed the coursework required for the degree and her academic record is in good standing. Therefore, we request that the Faculty Senate support the awarding of a posthumous Master of Architecture to Angelita Muskett. We also request that this item be put on the Senate's agenda at the earliest convenience. The School of Architecture & Planning is concerned on behalf of Ms. Muskett's family that this situation be resolved quickly.

Thank you.

Attachment

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DATE: November 10, 2011
TO: Dean, Office of Graduate Studies
FROM: Geraldine Forbes Isais, Dean
School of Architecture and Planning
SUBJECT: REQUEST TO AWARD POSTHUMOUS DEGREE

I am requesting that the degree of Master of Architecture be awarded posthumously to Angelita Muskett. Angelita started her Masters study in Fall 2010.

Angelita was a student in good standing when she passed away on November 1, 2011. She also graduated from the University of New Mexico with her Associates degree in Art Studio in 2004 and her Bachelor of Fine Arts in 2009.

I hope that you will agree that this is an appropriate action to take. Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If there is any additional information needed, please contact Dean Forbes Isais at 277-2053 or gforbes@unm.edu.

By signing below I am strongly endorsing this request:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "GFI", written over a horizontal line.

Geraldine Forbes Isais
Dean, School of Architecture and Planning.