

Board Meeting
January 18, 2007

ESTABLISH THE SCHOOL OF LITERATURES, CULTURES, AND LINGUISTICS,
COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES, URBANA

Action: Approve the Establishment of the School of Literatures, Cultures, and Linguistics in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Urbana

Funding: No New Funding Required

The Chancellor at Urbana with the advice of the Urbana-Champaign Senate recommends for approval a proposal from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences to establish the School of Literatures, Cultures, and Linguistics.

The formation of the School will comprise the departments of Classics, East Asian Languages and Cultures, French, Germanic Languages and Literatures, Linguistics, Slavic Languages and Literatures, and Spanish, Italian and Portuguese; the programs in Comparative and World Literature and for the Study of Religion; the Division of English as an International Language; and the Unit for Cinema Studies. The formation of the School promotes and facilitates contact between the units involved, and presents their common interest to the higher administration and campus.

The board action recommended in this item complies in all material respects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois *Statutes*, *The General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure*, and Board of Trustees policies and directives.

The University Senates Conference has indicated that no further Senate jurisdiction is involved.

The President of the University concurs, pending further review by the Illinois Board of Higher Education.