College Access, Student Success and Student Services Leadership, Graduate Certificate

HIGHERED 6474	Understanding the Psychosocial Development of Emerging Adults	3
or CAST 4398	Child Maltreatment: A Multidisciplinary Approach	
HIGHERED 6475	College Access and Career Preparation for the Emerging Adult	3
HIGHERED 6476	Organization and Administration of Higher Education	3
HIGHERED 6478	Enrollment Management and Student Retention	3
Total Hours		12

Justification for request:

This certificate has been modified to align with and reflect the curricular redesign and broadened scope of the Master's Degree in Adult and Higher Education, Higher Education emphasis, which now includes a focus in college access, equity and affordability and career/workforce preparation. These are critical areas of concern that must be addressed in order to meet the academic and workforce needs of our community, region and beyond. These areas of specialty will attract a diverse audience of professionals from K-12, higher education, community agencies and the private sector to build an intricate gateway of student success and support for all students. This program serves as a feeder for the master's degree program and the courses can be applied toward the master's degree program.