Shelving is considered temporary and reversible.

Elimination is considered permanent. Programs cannot be eliminated without having been shelved for at least 5 years first.

Proposal is generated by chairs, deans, or Provost

Was the program in question initially approved by the senate?

Removal is handled internally to the unit, announced as part of the annual curriculum proposal process, and does NOT require a senate proposal.

Grad Faculty Council

Provost directs proposal for review

GradSchool sends to senate assistant (copy Provost’s Office)

Board of Trustees Approval

Shelved for at least 5 years?

Degree Program?

Implementation: June 30 of next academic year (20 months after initial submission deadline)

Review: new proposal to either reinstate, eliminate, or continue shelving

Program is eliminated

Program must remain shelved

Program is eliminated

Was the program in question initially approved by the senate?