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TO: Richard Koubek, President

FROM: Andrew Storer, Provost & Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs 

DATE: April 17, 2026

SUBJECT: Senate Proposal 34-26

Attached is Senate proposal 34-26, "Proposal to Shelve the Enterprise Concentration," and a memo stating the Senate passed this proposal at their April 16, 2026 meeting. I have reviewed this memo and recommend approving the proposal.

If you concur with my recommendation, the program will be shelved as indicated in the proposal as no further approvals are needed.

I concur X do not concur _____ with the provost's recommendation as stated in this memo.

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Richard Koubek, President

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DATE: April 16, 2026
TO: Richard Koubek, President
FROM: Robert Hutchinson, University Senate President
SUBJECT: Proposal 34-26
COPIES: Andrew Storer, Provost & Senior VP for Academic Affairs

At its meeting on April 16, 2026, the University Senate approved Proposal 34-26, "Proposal to Shelve the Enterprise Concentration." Feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

The University Senate of Michigan Technological University

Proposal 34-26

Proposal to Shelve the Enterprise Concentration

Submitted by: provost's office

Contact: Audra Morse

Required Information

Program Details

- Program to be Shelved: Enterprise Concentration
- Program Codes:
 - **EBEE**: Biomedical Engineering - Enterprise
 - **ECME**: Chemical Engineering - Enterprise
 - **ECCE**: Civil Engineering - Enterprise
 - **EENE**: Environmental Engineering - Enterprise
 - **ECPE**: Computer Engineering - Enterprise
 - **EEEE**: Electrical Engineering - Enterprise
 - **MSEE**: Materials Science and Engineering - Enterprise
 - **EAEE**: Aerospace Engineering - Enterprise
 - **EMEE**: Mechanical Engineering - Enterprise
- Final Term for New Admits: Spring 2026
- Effective shelving semester: Fall 2026

Plan for Currently Enrolled and Returning Students

- There are approximately 200 students enrolled across the different majors (with 75 expected to graduate in Spring 2026).
- Students currently enrolled in an Enterprise concentration will be allowed to complete it, and may substitute courses for the non-project ENT courses (not ENT 3950, 3960, 4950, or 4960) currently allowed by the certificate.
- Remaining students are expected to graduate Spring 2027

Reason for Shelving

- The current format of the enterprise proposal can not be revised to comply with the new proposal to redefine a concentration to 15 credits. Thus, the solution is to shelve the concentration. For students, they will still be able to pursue the enterprise minor if they are looking for that experience.

Financial Impacts

- No impacts are expected on enrollment or tuition revenue.
- Shelving these concentrations will result in some administrative savings associated with program review/assessment, as well as removing the need for annual curricular updates/audit maintenance for this program.