



February 26, 2021

Dr. Mark Rudin  
President  
Texas A&M University-Commerce  
2600 West Neal Street  
P. O. Box 3011  
Commerce, TX 75428

Dear Dr. Rudin:

Thank you for submitting the following substantive change:

Substantive change:  
**Program Closure**  
**Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Mathematics**  
Submission date:  
**10/12/2020**  
Intended Implementation date:  
**8/3/2020**  
Case ID:  
**SC012153**

Texas A&M University – Commerce has decided to close the Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) degree program in Mathematics because its requirements are virtually identical to those of the Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Mathematics, making it redundant. There are no students currently enrolled in the B.A. program; therefore, none will be impacted by its closure. Likewise, faculty will not be affected as they will continue teaching courses required for the B.S. in Mathematics program.

The SACSCOC substantive change policy was revised in 2020. It includes many new requirements and changes to previous requirements. The *Substantive Change Policy and Procedures* and learning resources are available on the substantive change webpage at [www.sacscoc.org](http://www.sacscoc.org).

**The Board of Trustees of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges approves the closure of the Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) degree program in Mathematics.**

Should you need assistance, please contact Dr. Mary P. Kirk at 404-679-4501 or via email at [mkirk@sacscoc.org](mailto:mkirk@sacscoc.org).



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Please include the Case ID number above in all submissions or correspondence about this substantive change.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Belle S. Wheelan".

Belle S. Wheelan, Ph.D.  
President

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cc: Dr. Ricky Dobbs, Associate Provost, Academic Foundations  
Dr. Mary P. Kirk