UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT SPRINGFIELD
CAMPUS SENATE AY 2011/2012
RESOLUTION 41-27

Rename the Department of Visual Arts to the Department of Art, Music, and Theatre

1 WHEREAS, the Visual and Performing Arts are an integral part of the UIS Strategic Plan; and

2 WHEREAS, UIS seeks to highlight the Arts to students, faculty, staff and the community to increase visibility and participation among the Arts; and

3 WHEREAS, the Department of Visual Arts, Department of Communication, Theatre Program Committee, Music Advisory Committee, and Department of Sociology/Anthropology have endorsed unanimously the moving of Theatre faculty and Music faculty who choose to transfer some or all of their appointments into the Department of Visual Arts, and

4 WHEREAS, the Department of Visual Arts, Theatre Program Committee, and Music Advisory Committee have unanimously agreed to a creation of a single academic department;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Campus Senate of the University of Illinois at Springfield approves the name change for the current Department of Visual Arts to be henceforth called the Department of Art, Music, and Theatre.