

**Board of Trustees of the University of Oregon**

**Resolution: Program Approval – M.S. in Data Science**

WHEREAS, the University of Oregon (University) benefits from a cross-section of high quality, well-designed academic degree programs;

WHEREAS, the College of Arts and Sciences seeks to advance the University's commitment to exceptional teaching, discovery, and service by offering a Master of Science (M.S.) in Data Science at the Eugene Campus;

WHEREAS, the proposed program builds upon recent University strengths in accessibility, applied programs, and the discovery-driven mission of the new School of Computer and Data Science;

WHEREAS, the program has been approved by relevant departments, the College of Arts and Science, relevant academic committees, and is expected to be voted on by the University Senate prior to the December 2025 Board of Trustees meeting;

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees' approval is required before the program can be considered by the Higher Education Coordinating Commission;

WHEREAS, the Academic and Student Affairs Committee has referred this matter to the full Board of Trustees as a seconded motion, recommending passage.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Trustees of the University of Oregon hereby approves the M.S. in Data Science as proposed in the associated materials.

Moved: **Moses**

Seconded: **Worden**

VOTE: **Voice Vote Recorded – Ayes carried unanimously**

Dated: **December 10, 2025**

Recorded by University Secretary:

