COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY

INTERDEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

TO:

John E. Selby, Acting Dean, Faculty of Arts and Sciences

FROM:

Gerald H. Johnson

SUBJECT:

Internship

DATE:

February 24, 1987

The Educational Policy Committee passed unanimously the following resolution and wish to have the Faculty of Arts and Sciences consider adoption of this proposal.

Qualified students, usually in their junior or senior year, may recieve credit from cooperating departments for an approved program which provides an opportunity to apply and expand knowledge under expert supervision in an off-campus position. These internships should provide a structured learning experience and must be approved in advance by the department, and supervised and evaluated by a faculty member. Academic credit may be awarded (normally three hours, more in exceptional and approved cases) for the experience. Individual departments determine the number of credits in an academic internship which may count toward the minimum number of credits required in a concentration. No more than 6 credits in academic internships may be applied to the 120 credits required for graduation. The title of the course shall be "Internship."