RESOLVED, that the program in Data Science offered at the Graduate School and University Center and leading to the Master of Science, be approved effective June 26, 2017, subject to financial ability.

EXPLANATION: Designed predominantly for graduates of undergraduate Computer Science programs, this degree in Data Science will provide graduates with a mastery of technical topics such as data management, complex algorithms, and parallel programming. Because the program focuses on the computational and technical aspects of data science, it deliberately does not focus on specific applications and graduates will be of interest to employers in the widest variety of industries.