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## **M E M O R A N D U M**

**Date:** September 10, 2019  
**To:** College of Education Faculty  
**From:** Marilyn Washington  
**Re:** Proposal Defense Announcement

**Ying Hu, Leadership, Counseling, Adult, Career and Higher Education**, will defend a dissertation proposal **Friday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 a.m. in EDU 155.**

**Dr. Judith Ponticell** will chair the proposal defense. The title of the proposal is, **“Factors that Influence Male and Female Students’ Persistence in Stem Programs in Community Colleges”**.

Drs. Victor Hernandez-Gantes and Yi-Hsin Chen serve as Co-Major Professors. Members of the committee are Drs. William Blank and Judith Ponticell.

A copy of the dissertation proposal is available in the Office of Graduate Support (EDU 320) for review by interested faculty members.

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