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RE: Innovation Credit 4

Dear Colleagues:

In compliance of the protocol for submission of STARS credits under the referenced category, I am submitting this letter in affirmation of our innovative practice of Immersive Learning.

Our commitment to engage students in real-world problems is part of our strategic plan, has been underway now for several years, and has led to numerous projects by students working with community constituents throughout the state in addressing issues and/or dimensions of sustainability.

The full details are best understood by reviewing materials posted on our web pages, which describe the overall program...

<http://cms.bsui.edu/Academics/UndergraduateStudy/BeyondtheClassroom/ImmersiveLearning.aspx>

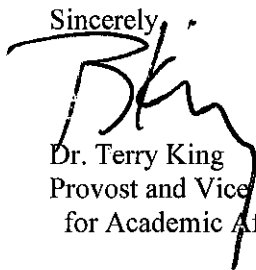
...and provide examples of student involvement in sustainability-related immersive learning:

<http://cms.bsui.edu/Academics/CentersandInstitutes/COTE/Sustainability/StudentWork.aspx>

Clearly our university is one of distinction in its use of immersive learning as a 21st Century protocol for education—redefined.

If you have questions or need additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely,



Dr. Terry King
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for Academic Affairs