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Emmanuel Collins, Ph.D.
Dean, J.B. Speed School of Engineering

Re: Proposed Master of Science in Artificial Intelligence in Medicine

Dear Dean Collins,

As Interim Dean of the School of Public Health and Information Sciences, I have reviewed the joint Master of Science program in Artificial Intelligence in Medicine between the Bioengineering Department in the Speed School of Engineering and the Department of Bioinformatics and Biostatistics in the School of Public Health & Information Sciences. I support the program and am excited for the opportunity it will provide to graduate students in the school of Public Health.

I support students in this program enrolling in courses offered with the School of Public Health and Information Sciences, provided students satisfy all necessary prerequisites. I also support our School of Public Health and Information Sciences faculty serving as research mentors for students in this program. I acknowledge that the new program will be hosted by the Bioengineering Department and that there will be equal revenue sharing between the two departments.

I understand that the tuition revenue from the program will be split between the Speed School and the School of Public Health (based on student credit hours taught) as follows: Speed School – 45%; Public Health – 45%; Administrative Costs (Bioengineering) – 10%.

I look forward to working with the J.B. Speed School of Engineering to provide students with this unique Aritificial Intellignece in Medicine education and training opportunity. Thanks for engaging us. May the transition be smooth.

With best regards,

W. Paul McKinney, MD
Interim Dean and Professor
School of Public Health and Information Sciences