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TO: Andre Avramchuk, Chair, Academic Senate

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SUBJECT: EPC Annual Senate Committee Report

COMPLETED Policies/Items during 2024-2025

- Minimum Grade Point Average in General Education Policy Modification
- Definition, Philosophy, Student Learning Outcomes and Criteria for General Education Requirements Policy Modification
- Possible Motion related to IHE language in GE Policy
- New Designated Course Number for Undergraduate Research XXXX 4995 Policy Proposal
- Recording and Sharing of Course Materials and Classroom Activities Policy
- Academic Honesty Policy Modification
- Library Cubicles Policy Deletion
- Exclusion From Class Policy Modification
- Budget Constraints Related to Budget Reduction
 - o EPC Position regarding Curricular Decisions Related to Budget Reductions
 - o EPC Planning Process Budget for upcoming changes in General Education
- Program Suspension MS Kinesiology
- Credit for Prior Learning Policy
- Request from LAS move to College of Ethnic Studies

ONGOING Policies/Items

The following items have been placed as first reading items on the Senate Agenda for Fall 2025

- Graduate Writing Requirement Policy Deletion
- Graduate Grade Replacement Policy Modification
- Blended Bachelor's and Master's Degree Programs Policy Modification
- Requirements for Additional Master's Degrees or for an Additional Option within a Master's Degree Policy Modification

Feedback and Recommendations

- New Practice to Accept Unit Credit for CIEE EPC memo to GES
- Academic Advisement Subcommittee Proposed Dissolution
- Access to LMS Policy input regarding AI Conference
- EPC Position regarding Curricular Decisions Related to Budget Reductions, EPC Memo to

- Executive committee
- Extended Deadline Consideration for Graduate Applicants in NCAA Athletics Programs –
 Returned from AS. EPC memo to GSS with relevant documents
- Reviewed "Add and Drop Deadline and Limit on Number of Withdrawals Policy" in the process of drafting "Graduate Grade Replacement Policy" which is on the Senate Agenda (Fall 2025) as first reading item
- Reviewed "Incomplete Grades Policy" in the process of drafting "Exclusion from Class Policy"
- TC with SPC to develop Graduate Grade Replacement Policy Modification
- TC with Faculty Sponspors Micro-Credetials
- Discussed the "Office Hours Policy Modification"

FUTURE Policies/Items and Recommendations

- Proposed New Policy Awarding Posthumous Degrees
- Proposed New Policy Micro-Credentials
- Office Hours Policy Modification (EPC 22-03). EPC discussed this proposed policy modification in Fall 2024 (EPCM 24-09).
- AS EC Charge re Shared Governance 03.25.25
- Creation of a visual process chart with policies from last 5 years
- Resolution on the Use of Third-Party Online Proctoring Systems