

Resolution 2017-18.V

Resolution to Amend Implementation for the Pathways General Education Curriculum to Extend Pathways Ad Hoc Review Committee

Recommended by the Commission on Undergraduate Studies and Policies

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Approved by President:

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WHEREAS, the workload associated with the transition from CLE to Pathways has gone beyond the two-year time frame outlined in the Implementation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Pathways Ad Hoc Review Committee has efficiently reviewed approximately 300 courses and 12 minors over the two-year span; and

WHEREAS, there are approximately 50 proposals that will appear before the committee in the fall, and it is expected that more courses and minors will come forward in the coming year; and

WHEREAS, recognizing the added responsibilities and workload associated with the Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (UCC) Chair and University Curriculum Committee for General Education (UCCGE) Chair also serving as the Co-Chairs of the Pathways Ad Hoc Review Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Pathways Ad Hoc Review Committee membership includes two members from UCC and two members from UCCGE; and

WHEREAS, there is a need for continuity of Pathways General Education Curriculum policy background and implementation plan experience, and in support of having a faculty member that has gained experience and historical knowledge on the committee to serve as chair;

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Pathways Ad Hoc Review Committee be extended for one more year as outlined in the Implementation Plan; furthermore, it is recommended to amend that the chair be nominated and elected by members of the UCCGE committee.

AND that the Pathways Implementation Plan be amended as follows:

1. Revision of the Pathways Implementation Plan (p. 3, last paragraph) from a “two-year period” to a “three-year period.”

2. Revision of the Pathways Implementation Plan (p. 4) to allow for “Chair nominated and elected from committee faculty members.”
3. Revision of section “B. After Transition” header of the Pathways Implementation Plan (p. 4) from “Fall 2018 and beyond” to “Fall 2019 and beyond.”