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Serial Number #18-19-25

TO: President David Dooley
FROM: Hillary Leonard, Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

1. The attached BILL titled, the Curriculum and Standards Committee Report #2018-19-9, Academic Calendar Subcommittee, Revisions to the 2020-2021 Academic Calendar, is forwarded for your consideration.
2. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on March 21, 2019.
3. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or disapproval. Return the original, completing the appropriate endorsement below.
4. In accordance with Section 10, paragraph 4 of the Senate's By-Laws, this bill will become effective April 11, 2019, three weeks after Senate approval, unless: (1) specific dates for implementation are written into the bill; (2) you return it disapproved; or (3) the University Faculty petitions for a referendum.


Hillary Leonard
Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

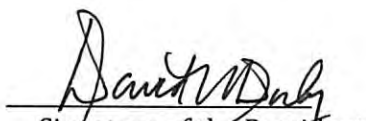
March 21, 2019

ENDORSEMENT

TO: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

FROM: President of the University

- a. Approved ☒.
- b. Approved subject to Notice of the Council on Postsecondary Education ____.
- c. Disapproved ____.


Signature of the President

4.8.19
(date)

CURRICULUM AND STANDARDS COMMITTEE

Report 2018-19-9

ACADEMIC CALENDAR SUBCOMMITTEE

The following REVISED 2020-2021 academic year calendar was reviewed and approved by the Committee at the March 7, 2019 meeting.

FALL	2020
Labor Day, classes do not meet, offices are closed	M. Sep. 7
Advising Day	T. Sep. 8
Classes begin (pro-rata billing period begins)	W. Sep. 9
e-Campus Open Add Period	Sep. 9 - 15
e-Campus Permission Number Late Add Period	Sep. 16-22
Last day to ADD any course via eCampus/Permission Number and to ADD Pass/Fail Option (Last day to drop with any pro-rata billing adjustment)	T. Sep. 22
Last day to DROP courses with NO TRANSCRIPT DESIGNATION (pro-rata billing adjustment not applicable after add period)	W. Sep. 30
Courses dropped on or after this date will have a "W" for Withdrawal recorded on the Academic Record.	Th. Oct. 1
Columbus Day	M. Oct. 12 CLASSES MEET, offices are closed
Columbus Day Class make up day	NA
Last day for students to DROP courses (pro-rata billing adjustment not applicable after add period)	W. Oct. 21
Mid-semester	M. Oct. 26
Last day to CHANGE from Pass/Fail Option	M. Oct. 26
Freshmen Mid Term Grades and Mid Term Surveys due in e-Campus by 12:00 PM	T. Oct. 27
Election Day	T. Nov. 3 CLASSES DO NOT MEET, offices are closed
Election Day Make-up Day	NA
Veterans Day	W. Nov. 11 CLASSES DO NOT MEET, offices are closed
Veterans Day Make-up Day	NA
Thanksgiving Recess, classes do not meet	Nov 26-29
Last Day of Classes Tuesday Classes Meet (Election Day Make-up)	M. Dec. 14
Reading day(s)	T. Dec. 15
Final Examinations	Dec. 16-19, 21-22
Final Exams Make-up Day. (Used only in the event of Official Snow Delay or Cancellation)	W. Dec. 23
Final grades due in e-Campus by 12:00 PM	M. Dec. 28 by 12:00 p.m.
Official date for December graduation	Dec. 31, 2020
Commencement Ceremonies	May 22-23, 2021
Total class days	13 M - F
Total instruction weeks	16

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* Note: Saturday Final

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WINTER J-TERM	2021
Winter J-Term Pre-registration begins	M. Oct. 31, 2020
Classes begin	Sat. Jan. 2
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Classes not in session	M. Jan. 18
Last Day of Classes	F. Jan. 22
Final grades due in e- Campus prior to the 1st day of Spring classes	M. Jan. 25

SPRING	2021
Advising Day	M. Jan. 25
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Classes not in session	classes not in session
Classes begin (<i>pro-rata billing period begins</i>)	T. Jan. 26
e-Campus Open Add Period	Jan. 26- Feb. 1
e-Campus Permission Number Late Add Period	Feb.2-Feb. 8
Last day to ADD any course via e- Campus/Permission Number and to ADD Pass/Fail Option (<i>Last day to drop with any pro- rata billing adjustment</i>)	M. Feb. 8
Last day to DROP courses with NO TRANSCRIPT DESIGNATION (<i>pro-rata billing adjustment not applicable after add period</i>)	T. Feb. 16
Courses dropped on or after this date will have a "W" for Withdrawal recorded on the Academic Record.	W. Feb. 17
Presidents' Day	M. Feb. 15 CLASSES MEET offices are open
President's Day Class make up day	NA
Last day for students to DROP courses (<i>pro- rata billing adjustment not applicable after add period</i>)	T. Mar. 9
Mid-semester	W. Mar. 17
Last day to CHANGE from Pass/Fail Option	W. Mar. 17
Freshmen Mid Term Grades and Mid Term Surveys due in e- Campus by 12:00 PM	W. Mar. 17
Spring Break, classes do not meet, offices are open	Mar. 22-28
Last Day of Classes	M. May 3
Reading day or class make-up day if needed	T. May 4
Reading day	W. May 5
Final examinations	May 6-7, 10-13 *
Final grades due in e_Campus by 12:00 PM	T. May 18 by 12:00 p.m.
Graduate Commencement Ceremony	Saturday, May 22, 2021
Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony	Sunday, May 23, 2021
Total class days	13 M-F
Total instruction weeks	15