



UNIVERSITY OF GUAM
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Faculty Senate
Resolution No. 17-01



**RELATIVE TO ENDORSING THE
GENERAL EDUCATION REVIEW COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION
OF A "GE TEACH-OUT" POLICY FOR CONTINUING UOG STUDENTS**

Preamble

WHEREAS, Faculty Senate Resolution 11-02 required an update to the University of Guam General Education (GE) Curriculum and was adopted on 1 December 2011; and

WHEREAS Faculty Senate Resolution 14-01 adopted the General Education Review Committee's Proposed Framework on 13 November 2014; and

WHEREAS On 20 October 2016, the 16th Faculty Senate endorsed the GERC's proposed General Education Curriculum at UOG.; and

WHEREAS, articulation agreements drafted with regional institutions recognize the potential transfer student who has been progressing under the guidance of the "old" UOG General Education requirements and providing him or her with a three-year grace period, (up to but not beyond Fall 2019), to transfer to the University of Guam under the old GE requirements; and

WHEREAS, continuing University of Guam students are bound by the program requirements as established by the catalog in force and those requirements may change in the following two situations:

- A student returns after not attending the University of Guam for two consecutive regular semesters.
- A student changes majors by filing a Change of Major form with the Office of Admissions and Records [except when going from undeclared to declared where a student may elect to stay under the catalog in force at the time of initial enrollment or to the catalog in force at the time of declaration]. And

WHEREAS, continuing UOG students are bound by the catalog in force policy and transfer students are given a three-year grace period.


Resolution

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the UOG Faculty Senate hereby endorses the GERC's recommendation to offer our continuing students who entered the University prior to Fall 2017, the same opportunity we offer the transfer students by providing a three-year grace period for determining which General Education Framework to follow not to extend beyond 2019; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Senate endorses the GERC recommendation that this "same opportunity" apply to students who are changing their major (only if the major still exists in the appropriate 2017, 2018, or 2019 catalog).

Adopted this 19 Day of October 2017

FOR THE SENATE:


Dr. Kate Moots, President

ATTESTED:


Dr. Tricia Lizama, Recorder