



October 28, 2016

To: Dylan Rodriguez, Chair
Riverside Division

From: Ryan Julian, Chair
Graduate Council

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RE: Proposed Presidential Policy on International Activities

The Graduate Council reviewed the proposed Presidential Policy on International Activities at their last meeting. The Council found inconsistencies in the proposal [i.e. pages 12-13 (iii. Executive Officer) vs Section VIII., page 16] with regard to the approval that is needed to attend and participate in international meetings and conferences. As written, an executive officer could decide to require all faculty to get their approval for routine, low-risk activities, such as attending and participating in international meetings and conferences, and conducting faculty and student research and fieldwork. Members of the Council did not feel that an Executive Officer should hold authority over such activities.