

May 29, 2020

TO: Dylan Rodriguez, Chair
Academic Senate

FROM: Philip Brisk, Chair 
BCOE Executive Committee

RE: Proposal for complete revision of UCR's General Rules and Policies Governing Courses
of Instruction

Dear Dylan,

The BCOE Executive Committee discussed the proposal for complete revision of UCR's General Rules and Policies Governing Courses of Instruction. The Committee felt that a significantly longer review period for this document is warranted, and would prefer to extend it into the next Academic Year.

The document is lengthy, detailed, and incredibly important. The Committee members are overwhelmed with teaching and research responsibilities under COVID-19 and did not have the bandwidth to adequately review the document in the time allotted. A much longer review period (e.g., months, not weeks) will be needed to adequately scrutinize and debate the pros and cons of the proposed changes.

The Committee would like to thank Dr. Head for the time that he put into the Revision. It represents a tremendous amount of work and we applaud his intentions and effort in undertaking this arduous task.