



May 15, 2020

To: Dylan Rodríguez, Chair
Riverside Division

From: Jingsong Zhang, Chair
Committee on Preparatory Education

A handwritten signature in black ink, enclosed in a thin black rectangular box. The signature appears to read "Jingsong Zhang" in a cursive style.

Re: Divisional Guidance for Grading in Summer 20

The Committee on Preparatory Education reviewed the Divisional guidance for grading in Summer 20 and members had mixed opinions on the guidance. Members not in favor of extending the P/NP grading option for Summer Session cited potential unintended consequences. Members stated that students should be well aware of remote instruction for Summer Session and still have the option for P/NP grading per UCR policy. Alternatively, those members in favor of allowing P/NP grading for Summer Session courses noted that there still may be hardship for students well into the summer as they adjust to remote instruction so flexibility for grading is desirable.