



Academic Senate

COMMITTEE ON COURSES

October 16, 2025

To: Ken Barish, Chair
Riverside Division

From: Emma Stapely, Chair
Committee on Courses

Re: Presidential Interim Policy for UC's Use of Online Program Management Companies

The Committee on Courses reviewed the Presidential Policy for UC's use of online program management companies at their October 9, 2025 meeting and noted concern that the policy did not provide enough information for the Committee to evaluate the proposal. The Committee recommends that additional context for what programs utilize the companies would be helpful to allow them to evaluate the proposal.