



Merritt College Counseling Department

Articulation Notes
September 9, 2002

1. CSU GE Certification Joseph Bielinski reported the following based on a discussion among Articulation Officers and District Admissions and Records Evaluators:

When advising students please alert them to the fact that CSU admission requirements for transfer students require them to have a "C or better" in English Composition and Quantitative Reasoning. Because of this admissions requirement and in an effort to appropriately serve students, the District Admissions and Records Office will only certify these areas of CSU GE Breadth if the student has achieved a "C or better".

2. Use of 48s & 248s for Degree & Certificate Requirements Discussion at last CIPD about this. Some students ask to substitute 48s & 248s for major or certificate requirements (typically in CIS, where there is a wide offering of 48s that often contain content similar to a course required for major or certificate). Discovered there is no official District policy. Will be convening task force to look into development of one. In meantime, go with current practice (and it's at the Dept.'s discretion).

3. Catalog Rights/Continuing Enrollment Final discussion of this at last CIPD. Perdue will be coming out w/ official language, as follows:

~~Students' enrolling after July 1, 1991, must fulfill the Associate Degree General Education requirements specified in the 1991-1993 or subsequent catalogs.~~

Students' catalog rights are ~~based on continuous enrollment~~ defined as maintaining enrollment in at least one semester per academic year, excluding summer session and intersessions in any of the Peralta Colleges. Students' catalog rights include:

1. The regulations in effect at the time the student entered the college, provided the student has been in ~~continuous attendance~~ continuing enrollment until the **requirements for the Degree/Certificate is awarded are completed**.^{*}
OR

2. The regulations current at the time the student re-enters the major program and remains in ~~continuous attendance~~ continuing enrollment until the requirements for the Degree/Certificate ~~is awarded~~ are completed.*
OR

3. The regulations current at the time the student files and receives the Degree/Certificate.*

Note: The withdrawal symbol (W) constitutes enrollment.

*All students regardless of the date of entering any one of the Peralta Colleges, must fulfill the General Education requirements specified in the 1991-1993 or subsequent catalogs for the Associate Degree.

Note: While a course might satisfy more than one General Education requirement, it may not be counted more than once for this purpose (see exception for Ethnic Studies courses). The Withdrawal symbol (W) constitutes enrollment.

4. Posting of Selected Topics (48s) & Independent Study (49s) on ASSIST We will no longer be posting individual 48s & 49s on ASSIST. Instead, we'll post a blanket statement for each that matches how they're now posted in our catalog. Too much confusion and maintenance in posting individual courses. Submitted to ASSIST 5/20/02—should be posted by the end of the month.

5. CSU, Chico Artic agreement for College of Business has been updated. No longer accepting our BUS 2 as an option to clear their BADM 1—will only accept our BUS 10. Also, no longer accepting our MATH 13 to clear their BADM 3 (Statistics). Our math dept. reviewed their requirements to articulate a Statistics course and didn't want to revise ours so we lose the articulation.

6. Counselor Web Site Updates 1) Have posted the Career and Transfer Center calendar of events on the Merritt page (through the CCC door on home page). 2) Have posted the GE advising sheets for the other Peralta schools on the CCC page. Haven't yet gotten COA's but will post when rec'd. 3) For the coming year, I'm going to try to post Counselor Meeting minutes and these artic reports on the site. Will allow those who miss the meetings to stay current.

7. CSU, Fresno Artic Update Artic agreement for Electrical and Computer Engineering has been updated (our ENGIN 35 w/ their CE 20).

8. UCLA Beginning Fall 2004, transfer students to UCLA to Pre-Business Economics, Pre-Economics, and Pre-Economics International Area Studies must take Statistics 11 at UCLA to meet the statistics requirement for these majors. No statistics courses from other colleges and universities will be accepted to meet this requirement.

9. SJSU The following courses have prefixes that have changed: All DRAMA courses are now TA and ENGR 20 and 30 are now ME 20 and 30. Terminated courses are BIOL 54L, CHEM 11A, CHEM 11S, ENGL 90A, FREN 5, HIST 30, 40A, 40B, MCOM 50, MUSC 9B, NUFS 5, PKG 50, PHYS 60, PSYC 15. FREN 25A and B, which were 5 unit courses, are now FREN 25A, 25B, and 25C at 3 units each (our artic is only w/ FREN 25A-B w/ our FREN 2A-B).