

ASU DEANS/DIRECTORS COUNCIL ACTION NO. ASU:2-22-2017

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PROJECT/PROPOSAL TITLE: Cumulative GPA Standard for General Education Core

Academic Program Approval Policy & Procedure

After general motion by John G. Igwebuike and second by Dr. Donna Williams, the Council approved motion to establish a general education core requirement of 2.0 cumulative GPA for students to progress and graduate from Alcorn State University. Motion passed unanimously.

ABSTRACT:

This motion established an excellence standard for students who complete the core requirement.

COSTS: N/A

INITIAL/START DATE: N/A

CLARIFICATIONS:

The foregoing policy supersedes previous policy and procedure and goes into effect for first-time and transfer students entering Fall 2017, by errata. Consistent with present policy, first-year, second-year, and transfer students remain under University College oversight while satisfying the general education core requirements. Accordingly, students who fulfill the core-standard, inclusive of the newly established 2.0 cumulative GPA core requirement, are granted unconditional transfer to their academic units.

COUNCIL ACTION: APPROVED: YES X NO _____

TABLED/POSTPONED: _____

DATE: February 28, 2017



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