



MEMORANDUM

TO: President Edward T. Foote, II

FROM: Dr. John Knoblock JK  
Chairman, Faculty Senate

DATE: May 23, 1988

SUBJECT: Faculty Senate Legislation #87033(C) -  
Course Numbering System

The Faculty Senate, at its meeting of April 25, 1988, voted to approve Faculty Senate Legislation #87033(C) - Course Numbering System. The text of the legislation is attached for your action.

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Attachment

cc: Provost Luis Glaser

**Faculty Senate Action, 87033  
Class C Legislation**

**Course Numbering System**

**Remedial Courses:**

Level 0XX: Courses intended to remediate knowledge and skill deficiencies of students. Open to students who lack appropriate preparation. Remedial courses shall not be included in the 120 hours required for graduation.

**Lower Level Courses:**

Level 1XX: Courses intended as introductions to the discipline. Open to Freshmen without prerequisites.

Level 2XX: Courses requiring a 100 level course as a prerequisite or corequisite, or Sophomore standing.

**Upper Level Courses:**

Level 3XX: Courses requiring at least 6 credits of prerequisites or corequisites, or Junior standing.

Level 4XX: Courses requiring at least 9 credits of prerequisites or corequisites, or Senior standing.

Level 5XX: Courses requiring at least 9 credits of prerequisites or corequisites and Senior standing. Graduate students may enroll for graduate credit in 500 level courses.

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RESPONSE BY THE PRESIDENT:

DATE: 5/25/78

APPROVED: Geo. B. J.

OFFICE OR INDIVIDUAL TO IMPLEMENT OR PUBLISH: \_\_\_\_\_

EFFECTIVE DATE OF LEGISLATION: \_\_\_\_\_

NOT APPROVED AND REFERRED TO: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS (IF NOT APPROVED): \_\_\_\_\_

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Professor Knoblock indicated that the Council would consider the comments of the Senate when drafting language with regard to the Educator Faculty category.

#### Transfer Between Schools

Professor Knoblock presented the proposed draft language for inclusion in the *Bulletin* regarding the transfer between schools. It was *moved*, and seconded, to approve the proposal. The *motion carried*.

#### Research Personnel

Professor Knoblock presented several proposed changes to the language regarding the research personnel section of the *Faculty Manual*. After discussion, it was *moved*, and seconded, to defer the preparation of appropriate language to the Senate Council. The *motion carried*.

#### Course Numbering System

Professor Knoblock explained the General Education Committee's proposed course numbering system for all undergraduate courses. It was *moved*, and seconded, to approve the Committee's proposal. The *motion carried*.

#### Change of Election Procedure

It was *moved*, and seconded, to rescind a procedure adopted some years ago whereby nominations for the Chairman were made at one meeting and the election was held at the next meeting. Professor Knoblock suggested that the nominations and elections take place at the same meeting. The *motion carried*.

#### Nominations for Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Selection of Council Members

The nomination of Vice Chairman George Alexandrakis for Chairman of the Faculty Senate was *moved* by Professor Yacoub and seconded by Professor Clasby. Since there were no other nominations, the nominations were closed and Professor Alexandrakis was elected by acclamation. Following a caucus of the school representatives, the Senate members selected to serve on the Senate Council for 1988-89 are as follows: Architecture, Basil Honikman; Arts and Sciences, Eugene Clasby; Business Administration, Linda Neider; Communication, Ralph Bardgett; Education, Harry Mallios; Engineering, Kamal Yacoub; Graduate School, Peter Luykx; Law, Alan Swan; Library, Susan Seiler; Medicine, William Awad; Music, Frederick Tims; Nursing, Lydia DeSantis; and Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences, Daniel Baden. The nomination of Alan Swan for Vice Chairman was *moved*, and seconded. Since there were no other nominations, nominations were closed and Professor Swan was elected by acclamation.

### Course Numbering System

Dr. Knoblock presented as a *motion* to the Council a recommendation from the General Education Committee with regard to the course numbering system. The recommendation included numbering remedial courses below the 100 level and setting University-wide standards for courses. These changes would be implemented in 1990 when the revised General Education Requirements are enacted. The Provost requested that a language be added to distinguish between the requirements for 400 and 500 level courses. *The motion as amended carried.*

### Charter Amendment on the Graduate School

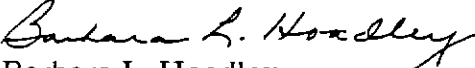
Dr. Knoblock reviewed the proposed changes to Senate Legislation #87007(A) and agreed to make several recommended editorial changes.

### Educator Faculty

Dr. Knoblock suggested that he request the Senate to grant authority to the Council, within certain limits, to act in the matter of the Educator Faculty.

### Change of Meeting Date

The Council agreed to Dr. Knoblock's request that the May 9 Senate Council meeting be changed to May 5 at 9:00 A.M.

  
Barbara L. Hoadley  
Secretary to the Faculty Senate