



## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Donna E. Shalala, President

**From:** Richard L. Williamson  
Chair, Faculty Senate

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Richard L. Williamson'.

**Date:** April 24, 2013

**Subject:** Faculty Senate Legislation #2012-48(D) – Faculty Senate Resolution Concerning the University Curriculum Committee Review of General Education Requirements

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At its April 17, 2013 meeting, the Faculty Senate unanimously approved the adoption of a resolution pertaining to the University Curriculum Committee.

### Resolution

WHEREAS Section B4.13 of the *Faculty Manual* requires the University Curriculum Committee to conduct a review of the General Education Requirements at least every five years, recommending changes to the Requirements where appropriate;

WHEREAS on April 18, 2012 the Faculty Senate adopted the proposal submitted during the Committee's last review of the General Education Requirements, which recommended the implementation of cognates;

WHEREAS students may now enroll in a cognate that meets their overall educational goals, as well as the General Education Requirements;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Faculty Senate commends the dedication and commitment of the University Curriculum Committee in conducting their review of the General Education Requirements. Their tremendous work during the extensive review has significantly assisted in the University's development of a more imaginative and competitive curriculum.

This legislation is now forwarded to you for your information.

RW/tw

cc: Thomas LeBlanc, Executive Vice President and Provost  
William Green, Senior Vice Provost and Dean of Undergraduate Education  
Thomas Goodman, Former Chair of the University Curriculum Committee  
Richard Beckman, Chair of the University Curriculum Committee  
Former and Current Members of the University Curriculum Committee