

2014

## University College and General Education Committee Report #2013-14-5.

University of Rhode Island Faculty Senate

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TO: President David Dooley  
FROM: David Byrd, Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

1. The attached BILL titled, University College and General Education Committee Report #2013-14-5, is forwarded for your consideration.
2. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on April 17, 2014.
3. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or disapproval. Return the original, completing the appropriate endorsement below.
4. In accordance with Section 10, paragraph 4 of the Senate's By-Laws, this bill will become effective May 8, 2014 three weeks after Senate approval, unless: (1) specific dates for implementation are written into the bill; (2) you return it disapproved; or (3) the University Faculty petitions for a referendum.



David Byrd  
Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

April 17, 2014

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ENDORSEMENT

TO: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

FROM: President of the University

- a. Approved  \_\_\_\_.
- b. Approved subject to Notice to the Board of Education \_\_\_\_.
- c. Approved subject to final approval by Board of Education \_\_\_\_.
- d. Disapproved \_\_\_\_.



Signature of the President

4.18.14  
(date)

**University College and General Education Committee  
Report #2013-14-5**

On April 3, 2014 the University College and General Education Committee approved the following matters, which are now presented to the Faculty Senate for confirmation.

**I. Foreign Language/Cross-Cultural Competence Core Area**

The UCGE Committee recommends that the Faculty Senate approve the following Arabic courses for the Foreign Language/Cross-Cultural (FC) area of the General Education program:

- A. ARB 111** Intensive Beginning Arabic I (*examine human differences, read complex texts, and speak effectively*)
- B. ARB 112** Intensive Beginning Arabic II (*examine human differences, read complex texts, and speak effectively*)
- C. ARB 211** Intensive Intermediate Arabic I (*examine human differences, read complex texts, and speak effectively*)
- D. ARB 212** Intensive Intermediate Arabic II (*examine human differences, read complex texts, and speak effectively*)