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Serial	Number	#16-17-16

TO:

President David Dooley

FROM:

W. Michael Sullivan, Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

- 1. The attached BILL titled, Academic Standards and Calendar Committee Report #2016-17-2, Editorial Changes to Previous Calendars, and University Manual Changes Section 8.70.11, and Summer Calendars, is forwarded for your consideration.
- 2. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on February 23, 2017.
- 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 March 16, 2017 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.

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W. Michael Sullivan Chairperson of the Faculty Senate	February 23, 2017
ENDORSEMENT	
TO: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate	
FROM: President of the University	
a. Approved <u>\(\bu\)</u> .	
b. Approved subject to Notice of the Council	on Postsecondary Education
c. Disapproved	3.6.17

Academic Standards and Calendar Committee Report #2016-17-2

Following the discussion by the faculty at the November 17, 2016 meeting of the Faculty Senate, the Academic Standards and Calendar Committee has undergone a detailed review of all the existing academic calendars starting from AY 14-15 through AY 21-22. The Committee paid close attention to the precedent set by the University for each holiday and special events when reviewing the AY 22-23 calendar.

During the review of the calendars, several errors were identified that require editorial changes. These include:

Fall 2020

- 1. Editorial changes to correct the days on the following dates: <u>Wednesday</u> 10/21, <u>Wednesday</u> 11/11, <u>Friday</u> 12/11, and <u>Monday</u> 12/14.
- 2. Editorial change to have offices *closed* (not open) on Election Day.

Fall 2021

1. Editorial change to have offices *open* (not closed) on Election Day.

Spring 2022

- 1. Editorial change to correct the day on March 25. It should be Friday (3/25) not Wednesday.
- 2. Editorial change to correct the dates listed for Reading days. It should be May 4 not May 3-4 (May 3rd had already been designated as "Reading day or class make-up day if needed" in the previous line).

The Committee also reviewed and approved the following changes to the University Manual as it relates to the summer calendar.

Existing 8.70.11 The calendar for the Summer Session shall be developed by the Feinstein College of Continuing Education, in consultation with the Office of Enrollment Services, and submitted to the Academic Standards and Calendar Committee by March 1 of the preceding year. The Academic Standards and Calendar Committee shall submit the summer-session calendar for approval to the Faculty Senate by April 1 of the preceding year. #01-02-27

Proposed 8.70.11 A six-year The-calendar for the Summer Session shall be maintained. The developed by the Alan Shawn Feinstein College of Continuing Education, in consultation with the Office of Enrollment Services in consultation with Summer Sessions, each fall shall prepare a new sixth-year calendar and submit it, and submitted to the Academic Standards and Calendar Committee by the end of October. March 1 of the preceding year. The Academic Standards and

Calendar Committee shall submit the summer session calendar for approval to the Faculty Senate by December 1. April 1 of the preceding year.

Rationale: Change the summer session calendar from a 2-year to a 6-year calendar to better align with the 6-year academic calendar (fall, winter, and spring semesters). Update to reflect the change in responsibility from the former Alan Shawn Feinstein College of Continuing Education to Summer Sessions in the Provost's Office. Minor editorial changes have also been made to maintain consistency with language used in paragraph relating to the academic year calendar (8.70.10). These changes were reviewed and approved by Enrollment Services.

The Committee reviewed and approved the following calendars for summer sessions SM18-SM22.

URI Summer Sessions Calendar, 2018-2022

	2018		2019			
	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3
Registration begins on e-Campus	Monday, February 5th	Monday, February 5th	Monday, February 5th	Monday, February 4th	Monday, February 4th	Monday, February 4th
Under-enrolled classes cancelled	Thursday, May 17th	Thursday, June 21st	Thursday, May 17th	Thursday, May 16th	Thursday, June 20th	Thursday, May 16th
Classes Begin	Monday, May 21st	Monday, June 25th	Monday, May 21st	Monday, May 20th	Monday, June 24th	Monday, May 20th
Last day to ADD	Friday, May 25th	Friday, June 29th	Friday, May 25th	Friday, May 24th	Friday, June 28th	Friday, May 24th
DROP Period with 100% Adjustment of Fees	May 21-May 22	June 25-June 26	May 21-May 24	May 20-May 21	June 24-June 25	May 20-May 23
DROP Period with 70% Adjustment of Fees	May 23-May 27	June 27-July 1	May 25-May 28	May 22-May 26	June 26-June 30	May 24-May 27
DROP Period with 50% Adjustment of Fees	May 28-May 29	July 2-July 3	May 29-June 1	May 27-May 28	July 1-July 2	May 28-31st
Holiday, Memorial Day Celebrated - No Classes	Monday, May 28th	N/A	Monday, May 28th	Monday, May 27th	N/A	Monday, May 27th
Monday Classes Meet	Friday, June 1st	N/A	Friday, June 1st	Friday, May 31st	N/A	Friday, May 31st
Holiday, Independence Day Celebrated - No Classes	N/A	Wednesday, July 4th	Wednesday, July 4th	N/A	Thursday, July 4th	Thursday, July 4th
Make-up Class for Independence Day	N/A	Friday, July 6th	Friday, July 6th	N/A	Friday, July 5th	Friday, July 5th
Last day to DROP	Friday, June 1st	Friday, July 6th	Friday, June 8th	Friday, May 31st	Friday, July 5th	Friday, June 7th
Mid-Term	Wednesday, June 6th	Wednesday, July 11th	Friday, June 22nd	Wednesday, June 5th	Wednesday, July 10th	Friday, June 21st
Classes End and Exams Given	Week of June 18th	Week of July 23rd	Week of July 23rd	Week of June 17th	Week of July 22nd	Week of July 22nd
Final Grades Due in e-Campus by 5:00 p.m.	Friday, June 29th	Friday, August 3rd	Friday, August 3rd	Friday, June 28th	Friday, August 2nd	Friday, August 2nd

		2020		2021		
	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3
Registration begins on e-Campus	Monday, February 3rd	Monday, February 3rd	Monday, February 3rd	Monday, February 1st	Monday, February 1st	Monday, February 1st
Under-enrolled classes cancelled	Thursday, May 14th	Thursday, June 18th	Thursday, May 14th	Thursday, May 20th	Thursday, June 24th	Thursday, May 20th
Classes Begin	Monday, May 18th	Monday, June 22nd	Monday, May 18th	Monday, May 24th	Monday, June 28th	Monday, May 24th
Last day to ADD	Friday, May 22nd	Friday, June 26th	Friday, May 22nd	Friday, May 28th	Friday, July 2nd	Friday, May 28th
DROP Period with 100% Adjustment of Fees	May 18-May 19	June 22-June 23	May 18-May 21	May 24-May 25	June 28-June 29	May 24-May 27
DROP Period with 70% Adjustment of Fees	May 20-May 24	June 24-June 28	May 22-May 25	May 26-May 30	June 30-July 4	May 28-May 31
DROP Period with 50% Adj stment of Fees	May 25-May 26	June 29-June 30	May 26-May 29	May 31-June 1	July 5-July 6	June 1-June 4
Holiday, Memorial Day Celebrated - No Classes	Monday, May 25th	N/A	Monday, May 25th	Monday, May 31st	N/A	Monday, May 31st
Monday Classes Meet	Friday, May 29th	N/A	Friday, May 29th	Friday, June 4th	N/A	Friday, June 4th
Holiday, Independence Day Celebrated - No Classes	N/A	Friday, July 3rd	Friday, July 3rd	N/A	Monday, July 5th	Monday, July 5th
Make-up Class for Independence Day	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Friday, July 9th	Friday, July 9th
Last day to DROP	Friday, May 29th	Friday, July 3rd	Friday, June 5th	Friday, June 4th	Friday July 9th	Friday, June 11th
Mid-Term	Wednesday, June 3rd	Wednesday, July 8th	Friday, June 19th	Wednesday, June 9th	Wednesday, July 14th	Friday, June 25th
Classes End and Exams Given	Week of June 15th	Week of July 20th	Week of July 20th	Week of June 21st	Week of July 26th	Week of July 26th
Final Grades Due in e-Campus by 5:00 p.m.	Friday, June 26th	Friday, July 31st	Friday, July 31st	Friday, July 2nd	Friday, August 6th	Friday, August 6th

		2022			
	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3		
Registration begins on e-Campus	Monday, February 7th	Monday, February 7th	Monday, February 7th		
Under-enrolled classes cancelled	Thursday, May 19th	Thursday, June 23rd	Thursday, May 19th		
Classes Begin	Monday, May 23rd	Monday, June 27th	Monday, May 23rd		
Last day to ADD	Friday, May 27th	Friday, July 1st	Friday, May 27th		
DROP Period with 100% Adjustment of Fees	May 23-May 24	June 27-June 28	May 23-May 26		
DROP Period with 70% Adjustment of Fees	May 25-May 29	June 29-July 3	May 27-May 30		
DROP Period with 50% Adjustment of Fees	May 30-May 31	July 4-July 5	May 31-June 3		
Holiday, Memorial Day Celebrated - No Classes	Monday, May 30th	N/A	Monday, May 30th		
Monday Classes Meet	Friday, June 3rd	N/A	Friday, June 3rd		
Holiday, Independence Day Celebrated - No Classes	N/A	Monday, July 4th	Monday, July 4th		
Make-up Class for Independence Day	N/A	Friday, July 8th	Friday, July 8th		
Last day to DROP	Friday, June 3rd	Friday, July 8th	Friday, June 10th		
Mid-Term	Wednesday, June 8th	Wednesday, July 13th	Friday, June 24th		
Classes End and Exams Given	Week of June 20th	Week of July 25th	Week of July 25th		
Final Grades Due in e-Campus by 5:00 p.m.	Friday, July 1st	Friday, Auugst 5th	Friday, Auugst 5th		