



COMMITTEE ON INSTRUCTION AND CURRICULUM

19-20 CIC 25
Monday, November 18, 2019

TO: The Academic Senate

FROM: Committee on Instruction and Curriculum (CIC)

SUBJECT: 19-20 CIC 25: Upper Division Prerequisite Enforcement for the Department of Sociology

PURPOSE: For action by the Academic Senate

ACTION REQUESTED: That the Senate approve Upper Division Prerequisite Enforcement for the Department of Sociology, effective on the signature of the President

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

At their meeting on November 18th, CIC discussed the request from the Sociology Department that their upper division to upper division prerequisites be automatically enforced by Enrollment Services and the Registrar's Office. This option is only available to Departments for upper division to upper division prerequisites. Lower division to lower division or lower division to upper division prerequisites cannot be automatically enforced because there is insufficient time for processing of Community College transcripts which account for many of the lower division classes used for prerequisite fulfillment.

The Sociology Department only has two prerequisite sequences solely in the upper division, and asked that both be automatically enforced:

Soc 300 is a prerequisite for Soc 390, and
Soc 390 and senior status are prerequisites for Soc 499

CIC members approved this unanimously at this meeting.