

Committee on Academic Programs (CAP)
Minutes for Meeting on 12/4/2020 (optional)

Attending: Amy Cmielewski, Craig Hollander, Deborah Knox, Tracy Kress (Chair), Maura Moore, Vaish More, Abby O'Connor (Vice Chair), Jennifer Palmgren, Kay Potucek, Avani Rana, Alisha Srivastava, Aimme Stahl, Don Vandergrift, Jane Wong.

Excused: Belinda Haikes, Brenda Seals

1. Discussion of charge to review use of Spring 2020 ungraded option policy in Fall 2020.
 - a. Discussed feedback from Faculty and Academic Leader surveys, Student Government Memo and summary of Survey.
 - b. Reviewed testimony from Faculty Senate, Student Government, Academic Leaders, and Dean's Council meetings.
2. An electronic vote was taken via email on the following motion (with a due date of 5pm 12/4): To extend the Spring 2020 Ungraded Option Policy to Fall 2020. The vote did not pass (13 No, 1 Yes, 1 Abstain).
3. In light of the pandemic and faculty support for student concerns, feasible alternative recommendations for the Fall 2020 semester were discussed. A proposal to extend the current course withdrawal deadline to after the final exam period was brought forth and CAP unanimously voted to recommend extending this deadline (1/8/21).

Action Item: Tracy will write the final memo and forward the recommendation to Steering.