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To: Susan Jeffords, Provost
 From: Portland State University Faculty Senate
 (Michele Gamburd, Presiding Officer; Richard Beyler, Secretary)
 Date: 16 June 2021
 Re: Summary of Senate Actions

At its meeting on 14 June 2021 (on-line conference), Faculty Senate **voted to approve:**

- An **amendment to the Faculty Constitution**, creating a Race and Ethnic Studies Committee, with membership and charge as stated in June 14th Agenda Attachment D.1 (the motion as revised at the June 7th meeting);

07-01-2021—OAA concurs with the amendment to the Faculty Constitution.

- The Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis, a new program in the College of Education, as summarized in Attachment E.1;

07-01-2021—OAA concurs with the Graduate Certificate in Applied Behavior Analysis.

- The Graduate Certificate in Futures Thinking and Foresight Practice, a new program in the Graduate School, as summarized in Attachment E.2;

07-01-2021—OAA concurs with the Graduate Certificate in Futures Thinking and Foresight Practice.

- The Graduate Certificate in Orientation and Mobility for Children, Youth, and Adults, a new program in the College of Education, as summarized in Attachment E.3;

07-01-2021—OAA concurs with the Graduate Certificate in Orientation and Mobility for Children, Youth, and Adults.

- The Minor in Interdisciplinary Neuroscience, a new program in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, as summarized in Attachment E.4;

07-01-2021—OAA concurs with the Minor in Interdisciplinary Neuroscience.

- Reducing the number of required Sophomore Inquiry (UNST) courses from three to two, with corresponding adjustments for transfer students, as specified in Attachment E.5;

07-01-2021—OAA concurs with the reduction.

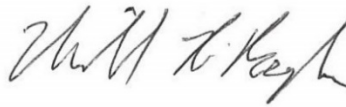
- Ending the requirement that students take the Sophomore Inquiry course that matches the Junior Cluster, instead making this a recommendation, as specified in Attachment E.6.

07-01-2021—OAA concurs with the change in requirements.

Best regards,



Michele Gamburd
Presiding Officer



Richard H. Beyler
Secretary to the Faculty



Susan Jeffords, Ph.D.
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs