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W* EXEC 21-17
Commitment to June 1, 2021 Course Modalities
25 in favor/12 against/13 abstentions
Resolution Passes 5/12/2021

RESOLVED that the Online and Hybrid Learning Committee (OHLC) request formal, written notification from The Division of Academic Affairs that course modalities agreed to by faculty, department chairs, staff, and administration by 6/1/2021 for the Fall 2021 semester not be modified at any time thereafter.

RESOLVED that attached policy & procedures be adopted; and be it further,

RESOLVED That the ASCSUDH distribute this resolution to:

- President of CSUDH
- Provost
- Deans
- Faculty,
- Staff, and
- Associated Students Inc.

Rationale:

Faculty and students will have, by 6/1/2021, full information as to what procedures shall be in place regarding returning to campus. As such, students and faculty will be making informed decisions as to whether they wish to return to campus, or continue to remain remote. Changes made after this date, including, but not limited to during the semester, will be highly disruptive for all parties involved.

_____ Academic Senate Chair	_____ Date
_____ Provost, Vice President of Academic Affairs	_____ Date

President	Date

Commitment to Course Modality Commitments

1. Policy Purpose

1.1. That course modalities set by June 1st, 2021, for the Fall 2021 semester shall not be modified at any point.

2. Policy Statement

2.1. As policies and procedures for returning to campus shall be finalized before June 1st, 2021, students, faculty, and staff will be able to make an informed decision as to whether they wish to return to campus, or continue to utilize alternative modes of instruction, whether it be designated online, hybrid, or alternative instruction. The changing of course modality in the lead up to the semester—or during the semester—will prove disruptive to the lives and schedules of students, staff, and faculty alike. This will not only potentially slow time to degree completion for students, but also cause child rearing, caretaking, and other responsibilities for students, faculty, and staff to be jeopardized.

3.0 Policy

3.1 By June 1st, 2021, course modalities for all courses at CSUDH for the Fall semester, 2021 will be finalized, barring emergencies requiring face to face courses to be offered remotely.

3.2 All relevant information regarding return to campus policies and procedures will have been released to students, faculty, and staff, will have been released in advance of this date, allowing for informed decisions on returning to campus to have been made by all stakeholders.

3.3 Academic Affairs will release official written notification, via electronic communication, guaranteeing staff, faculty, and students CSUDH's commitment to course modality consistency.