ACADEMIC SENATE
OF
CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY
San Luis Obispo, California

AS-437-95/CC
RESOLUTION TO
AMEND CAM 411 REQUIREMENTS FOR
COMPLETION OF MINOR DEGREE PROGRAMS

Background Statement: This resolution amends Campus Administrative Manual (CAM) 411, which prohibits students from using units taken for a minor degree program for courses in the major column of the student's curriculum sheet. This rule was initially introduced in order to prevent students from earning a major and a minor from the same degree program. Several degree programs have, however, included courses from other departments in their major column in an effort to provide students with diversity and flexibility in their curriculum. The results of such changes have disadvantaged some students who have been denied a minor degree despite their completing all requirements for the minor.

The Academic Senate Curriculum Committee believes this has led to a situation of inequity among students which should be redressed.

WHEREAS, The intention of CAM 411 was to prevent students from obtaining major and minor degrees from the same degree program, and

WHEREAS, CAM 411 is currently creating an inequitable situation for students who cannot obtain minor degrees in different degree programs under certain circumstances, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That CAM 411 be amended as follows:

411. A major and a minor may not be taken in the same discipline degree program. Units taken for completion of the minor may not be counted to satisfy requirements for courses in the "major" column of the student's curriculum sheet.

Proposed by the Academic Senate Curriculum Committee
February 21, 1995
State of California

Memorandum

To: Jack D. Wilson, Chair
    Academic Senate

From: Warren J. Baker
    President

Date: 05/09/95

Copies: R. Koob

Subject: Academic Senate Resolution 437-95 Resolution to Amend CAM 411 Requirements for Completion of Minor Degree Programs

I hereby accept and approve the Academic Senate Resolution to Amend CAM 411 Requirements for Completion of Minor Degree Programs and by copy of this memo ask Vice President Koob to oversee its implementation.
Bob:

We have received the following resolutions:

AS-436-95/PPC Resolution to expand form 109 to include diversity-related activities

**AS-437-95/CC Resolution to amend CAM 411 requirements for completion of minor degree programs**

Do you have any suggestions regarding the President's response to these resolutions? -- Thanks -- Dan

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Dan —

Both of these resolutions have been developed with Adv. Affairs input and are OK to approve as written. The minor degree program resolution is really a "clean-up" resolution (according to Glenn!).

Bennie
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