

Adopted: June 5, 2018

**ACADEMIC SENATE
Of
CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY
San Luis Obispo, CA**

AS-851-18

RESOLUTION ON MIGRATION OF CURRENT AREA D4 CLASSES TO AREA E

- 1 WHEREAS, The Chancellor’s Office has revised EO 1100, the CSU policy on GE breadth
2 requirement; and
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- 4 WHEREAS, The revised policy “is intended to establish a common understanding of the
5 requirements for CSU General Education Breadth”; and
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- 7 WHEREAS, The revised policy maintains a GE pattern that specifies Areas A, B, C, D, and
8 E; and
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- 10 WHEREAS, Cal Poly’s current GE pattern does not include CSU Area E: Lifelong Learning
11 and Self-Development; and
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- 13 WHEREAS, Cal Poly’s current GE pattern includes Subareas D4: Self Development; and
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- 15 WHEREAS, For the sake of clarity, Cal Poly should bring its GE program into alignment
16 with the CSU pattern articulated in EO 1100; and
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- 18 WHEREAS, Subarea D4 classes already reflect the self-development content of CSU Area
19 E, as described in the revised EO 1100; and
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- 21 WHEREAS, The content of CSU Area E has been expanded to include “student success
22 strategies” and “information literacy”; therefore be it
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- 24 RESOLVED: That Subarea D4: Self-Development will be renamed Area E; Lifelong
25 Learning and Self-Development, beginning with the 2019-21 Cal Poly
26 catalog, and be it further
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- 28 RESOLVED: That all current Area D4 courses will be moved to the new Area E, and be it
29 further
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- 31 RESOLVED: That the existing Subarea D4 learning objectives and criteria will be revised
32 to reflect the description of CSU Area E in the revised EO 1100, including the
33 expanded content and the emphasis on lifelong learning.

Proposed by: General Education Governance Board
Date: May 9, 2018



OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

MEMORANDUM

To: Dustin Stegner
Chair, Academic Senate

Date: July 20, 2018

From: Jeffrey D. Armstrong
President

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jeff".

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Subject: Response to Academic Senate Resolution AS-851-18 – Resolution on Migration of Current Area D4 Classes to Area E

I am pleased to acknowledge and approve the above-entitled Academic Senate Resolution.

I appreciate the prompt response of the Academic Senate and the General Education Governance Board to the revision of EO 1100 and the attention given to maintaining the currency of the new Area E course criteria and learning objectives. It is hoped that, once the criteria and objectives have been renewed, the Area E courses will be subject to the same review as anticipated in AS-850-18 for the Area B7 courses.