

October 31, 2007

TO: University Senate
FROM: Joseph Straight, Chair, Academic Affairs Committee
RE: Agenda Item

The Academic Affairs Committee submits the following proposal for consideration at the meeting on November 5:

That the University discontinue its practice of awarding transfer credit for courses in which a “D” grade was earned. In particular, we recommend:

1. With reference to the statement in the Undergraduate Catalog on *Transfer Admission* (p. 196), it is recommended that the first sentence of the fourth paragraph be changed to read as follows: “Fredonia awards transfer credit for academic courses completed at a fully accredited college or university with a grade of C- or higher, reserving the right to determine what constitutes academic credit.”
2. With reference to the statement in the Undergraduate Catalog on *Transfer Credit* (p. 221), it is recommended that a new second paragraph be added to read as follows: “Students must earn a grade of C- or higher in a course taken at another college or university in order to receive transfer credit for the course.”

It is proposed that this change apply to students entering in the Fall of 2009 and thereafter.