April 9, 2015

To: Dean Van Galen, Chancellor
   116 North Hall
   University of Wisconsin-River Falls

From: David P. Rainville, Chair  
       Faculty Senate
       University of Wisconsin-River Falls

Re: UWRF Faculty Senate Motion 2014-15/80

At the April 8 2015 meeting of the University of Wisconsin-River Falls Faculty Senate, motion 2014-15/80 was passed and is effective immediately. The motion is forwarded to you for your action.

A motion from the Executive Committee to change the date of effectiveness of Faculty Senate Motion 2014-15/63 retroactive to Fall 2014. This consistent with dates of effectiveness of other changes made recently to General Education. The motion appears below for reference.

Motion to Change the Science Categories in the UW-River Falls General Education Program
Approved by the General Education and University Requirements Committee on February 18, 2015

"The UWRF General Education Program will be revised, effective Fall Semester 2015-2016, such that the Sciences (S) and Scientific Investigation (SL) categories be replaced by a single Scientific Inquiry (SI) category based on the goals, criteria and outcomes described in the attached documents. Further, that courses currently approved in the S and SL categories automatically be approved into the new SI category until the next General Education Assessment Report for that course is due. At that time, a new General Education Appendix will need to be submitted, showing how the course meets the new SI criteria and outcomes. Currently enrolled students will be allowed to fulfill all science general education requirements by completing two courses in the new Scientific Inquiry (SI) designator category."
Approved ✓

Disapproved

Dean Van Galen, Chancellor

April 14, 2015

Date