MEMORANDUM

ATTENTION: Senate
FROM: Wade Parkhouse, Dean of Graduate Studies
RE: GGR 1.5.4 CGPA Required for Continuation and Graduation

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At its meeting of 5 May 2014, SGSC reviewed and approved a revision to GGR 1.5.4 CGPA Required for Continuation and Graduation and SGSC is recommending the revised regulation to Senate.

This gives rise to the following motion:

Effective: Spring 2015

Motion:
That Senate approve the changes to GGR 1.5.4 CGPA Required for Continuation and Graduation

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ATTENTION: SGSC

DATE: April 28, 2014

FROM: Wade Parkhouse, Dean of Graduate Studies

RE: Proposed changes to GGR 1.5.4 CGPA Required for Continuation and Graduation

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Motion

That SGSC approves the proposed changes to GGR 1.5.4 CGPA Required for Continuation and Graduation

Rationale

Direct admission to a Graduate Certificate program (GGR 1.3.2a) was approved at Senate in 2012, with a minimum admission requirement of 2.5, and since that time several new graduate certificate programs have been created. In the same way a minimum CGPA for continuation and graduation is required for a graduate degree or diploma, a minimum CGPA needs to be established for the graduate certificate. The changes submitted are for the purpose of including the graduate certificate in GGR 1.5.4.

Proposed changes to 1.5.4

1.5.4 CGPA Required For Continuation and Graduation

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