Proposed Change in Regulation R2.1.2, R2.1.3, R2.1.4

To be adopted:

**Present:**

R2.1.2 By the successful completion of the requirement in a **junior** college or other accredited institution;

R2.1.3 By successful completion of the examination in American History and Institutions;

R2.1.4 By the successful completion of one college course in the field of American History or one college course in the field of American Government. A list of courses which fulfill this requirement may be obtained in the College offices or the Office of the Registrar.

**Proposed:**

R2.1.2 By the successful completion of the requirement in a **community** college or other accredited institution;

R2.1.3 By the successful completion of one college course in the field of American History or one college course in the field of American Government. A list of courses which fulfill this requirement may be obtained in the College offices or the Office of the Registrar.

**Justification:** The Committee on Preparatory Education has reviewed the history of R2.1.3 and the very few instances when it has been utilized as a means to satisfy the American History requirement. At one time, "the examination" referred to a standardized history exam that was to maintain on file in the Senate office. Previous Committee on Preparatory Education membership, in consultation with History faculty, concluded that such a method was unworkable. In 1993, Committee on Preparatory Education voted to alter the wording of R2.1.3, but the motion was never forwarded to the Division for approval. This proposed change to R2.1.3 is viewed as unnecessary by the current Committee because credit for any class (including those identified under R2.1.4) can be obtained through a petition to challenge the course by examination. The change in wording from **junior** to **community** college reflects current usage without making any substantive change.

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The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction finds the wording consistent with the Code of the Academic Senate: November 7, 2008

Endorsed by the Executive Council: January 12, 2009