December 11, 2019

To:  Dylan Rodríguez, Chair
     Riverside Division

From:  Stefano Vidussi, Chair
        Committee on Educational Policy

Re:  Proposed Change to Senate Regulation SR 1.8.1

The Committee on Educational Policy (CEP) reviewed the proposed change to Senate Regulation SR1.8.1 to change the length of exam hours from three to two hours at their November 1, 2019 and December 6, 2019 meetings. The Committee is supportive of reducing the exam time to two hours that would allow for a reading period over the weekend. The Committee recommends that faculty be flexible with students who have more than two exams scheduled in one day so that they are not overburdened by multiple exams on one day. Additionally, the Committee recommends that Banner clearly document the exam time for each course during scheduling so students can plan in advance for exams and potentially avoid having multiple exams in one day.