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MEMORANDUM

TO: California Intersegmental Articulation Council

FROM: Loren J. Blanchard, Ph.D. Pamela D. Walker, Ed.D.

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SUBJECT: California Community Colleges-to-California State University Statistics Pathways

Thank you for your patience as the faculty of the California Community College (CCC) and the faculty of the California State University (CSU) systems achieved resolution regarding the modified C-ID MATH 110 Introduction to Statistics descriptor and its relation to articulating statistics pathways for CSU General Education (GE) Breadth Area B4—mathematics and quantitative reasoning.

With the recent agreement and recommendation of CCC and CSU Intersegmental Curriculum Workgroup, the revised MATH 110 Introduction to Statistics course descriptor will retain the original intermediate algebra prerequisite in addition to the new alternative: "or any CSU-accepted statistics pathway curriculum prerequisite." To resolve remaining concerns regarding the Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADTs) that require intermediate algebras proficiency, the CCC will validate prior to graduation that students in the affected ADTs have achieved such competency. CCC students may demonstrate competency by satisfactory completion of a validated assessment for placement above intermediate algebra.

With this described intersegmental agreement in place, our memorandum confirms that the previously approved statistics pathways pilot program continues to enjoy CSU support and authorization through fall 2019. Further, the statistics pathways will not be affected by the changed C-ID MATH 110 Introduction to Statistics descriptor. California Community College campuses interested in submitting Carnegie Statway or other accelerated statistics pathway classes for CSU GE Breadth review may continue do so in the annual fall invitation for CCC general education course outlines. Students who satisfactorily complete the approved statistics pathways curriculum will satisfy both the CSU quantitative reasoning requirement for transfer admission and the CSU GE Breadth Area B4 requirement.

For any additional questions pertaining to California Community Colleges, please contact Sally Montemayor Lenz, Dean, California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office, at 916-327-5910 or smlenz@cccco.edu. For questions related to the California State University, please contact Alison Wrynn, CSU State University Associate Dean for Academic Programs, at 562-951-4672 or awrynn@calstate.edu.

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