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Subject: BOARS and Statway Course Approval

Dear Colleagues,

First of all, deep apologies for the long delay in closing the loop on the 2014 Statway review of your campus submissions from last spring. Secondly and most important, I have really positive news to share following today's Board of Admissions and Relations with Schools (BOARS) meeting: the committee unanimously approved UC transferability of the Carnegie Foundation's Statway course, as well as your campus-specific implementations of Statway.

What this means in terms of next steps:

- 1) I will confirm with Bernadine Fong of the Carnegie Foundation some key details about the curriculum that she submitted so we can specify the effective dates of approval for Statway's UC transferability since we are not in the midst of an active TCA review cycle now.
- 2) You will receive follow-up instructions from Nancy Purcille, Transfer Articulation Coordinator, by next week regarding when we will request that you submit your Statway course via OSCAR/ASSIST so that it officially goes on record for your institution as being UC transferable.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me and Nancy know. Thank you all for your extreme patience!

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P.S. From Bernadine Chuck Fong, Senior Fellow, Carnegie Foundation
I talked with Monica Lin personally and she said that it was determined that not only does Statway meet the transfer requirements for UC system wide, but that it also meets the equivalency for the intermediate algebra requirement for transfer students. Statway was reviewed by two UC faculty committee, one from the Statistics Department and one from the Math Department. Thus, this is an unconditional approval without any time limits. This is huge breakthrough for all of us.