

Student Rules and Regulations Committee

Proposal to Revise Rules

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(Additions to rules are bolded and underlined, deletions to rules are indicated by strikethrough)

EXISTING RULE:

12. Scholastic Deficiency/Probation

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12.4.1 His or her grade point ratio falls below 3.00 or below a higher standard set by the department or college of affiliation; or

12.4.2 He or she fails to show proficiency in such other areas as may be specified by his or her department or the Office of Graduate Studies (e.g., English language proficiency.)

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RULE WITH PROPOSED CHANGES:

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JUSTIFICATION FOR PROPOSED CHANGE:

The wording changed in the last line of Rule 12.4 was to replace "Office of Graduate Studies" with "home department or program". This was changed to make it clear that the scholastically deficient student was being dismissed by that program and from that program, rather than being dismissed by the University and from the University.

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COMMENTS:

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