

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA  
BOARD OF GOVERNORS  
Academic and Student Affairs Committee  
June 27, 2024**

**SUBJECT:** Articulation Coordinating Committee Credit-by-Exam Equivalencies

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**PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION**

Consider approval of the Articulation Coordinating Committee's recommended Credit-by-Exam Equivalencies.

**AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION**

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Section 1007.27(2), Florida Statutes, requires the Articulation Coordinating Committee (ACC) to establish passing scores as well as course and credit equivalencies for the following programs: Advanced Placement, Advanced International Certificate of Education Program, International Baccalaureate, Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES) DSST exams, Defense Language Proficiency Test, Excelsior College Exams (UExcel), and College-Level Examination Program (CLEP). Board of Governors Regulation 6.006, Acceleration Mechanisms, recognizes the use of the ACC equivalencies for determining satisfactory performance to award equivalent course credit to be applied towards degree requirements. Section 1007.27(3), Florida Statutes, requires the State University System and Florida College System institutions to award the minimum recommended credit to ensure consistent credit hours are awarded by institutions in both systems.

The ACC, which has State University System representation within its membership, approved the updated equivalency list at its June 7, 2024, meeting. The updates to the list included labeling the specific exams that meet a general education core course requirement and labeling the exams that meet the civic literacy competency requirement. No exams were added to the equivalency list. The updated list is ready for the Board of Governors and the State Board of Education to consider for approval. If approved by the Academic and Student Affairs Committee, the list will be forwarded to the full Board for consideration. If both boards approve, the list will be administered identically across both systems and will go into effect upon approval.

Dr. Lynn Nelson, Assistant Vice Chancellor for Academic and Student Affairs, will provide an overview of the changes.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:** ACC Credit-by-Exam Equivalencies

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