Non-Traditional Credit Policy

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I. Policy Statement

a. The hours that a student can apply toward graduation through non-traditional credit is governed by the graduation requirements. Appeals can be made to the dean (or designee) of the college where the student’s major is housed regarding non-traditional credit and residency requirements.

b. Students cannot use non-traditional credit to replace an unsatisfactory grade in their G.P.A. However, students who attempt and pass non-traditional credit may still use this satisfactory credit to meet program, degree, and graduation requirements.

c. NKU non-traditional credit will only be granted for students who have enrolled at NKU.

II. Entities Affected

NKU enrolled students.

III. Authority


IV. Definitions


V. Responsibilities

This policy will be implemented by the registrar's office.
VI. Committee

A Credit for Prior Learning Committee was created in January of 2014 to address the need for streamlined policies and procedures with non-traditional credit. This committee was formed from a recommendation from the Provost. The committee was selected by various Deans and includes the following:
Amy Danzo, Testing Services
Vicki Berling – Educational Outreach and Norse Advising
Melody McMillan – Norse Advising
Burke Miller – College of Arts and Sciences
Jon Cullick – College of Arts and Sciences
Carrie McCoy – College of Health Professions
Jeff Ward – College of Informatics
Angela Calhoun – Registrar’s Office
Zach Hart – College of Informatics
Megan Downing – College of Arts and Sciences
Doris Shaw – College of Business
William Landon – College of Arts and Sciences
Bethany Noblitt – College of Arts and Sciences
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VII. Procedures

These policies require inclusion in the catalog, page 46, beneath the “Non-Traditional Credit” heading.

VIII. Reporting Requirements

IX. Exceptions

Exceptions to the residency requirement for non-traditional credit will go through the Provost’s office.

X. Training

Advisors, staff, and faculty would be notified of the new policies. E-mails will be sent via Blackboard and department chairs/directors. It will also be included on Testing Services’ web page and inclusion on other university web pages will be encouraged.
XI. Communications

References and Related Materials

References:
Related Forms:
Revision History:
Admissions and Academic Policies Committee
Approval Documentation

Policy (Attached): Non-Traditional Credit Policy

See attached policy.

Date of Committee Approval: February 23, 2015

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