Subject: Additional Flexibility for Passed / Not Passed (P/NP) Grading
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Dear Student,

As you may know, an undergraduate student in good academic standing may opt to take specific courses on a Passed (P) or Not Passed (NP) basis, subject to academic-senate regulation DDR_A545 and College of Engineering Regulations. In order to provide you with greater flexibility this quarter, the following additional P/NP grading options have been made available to you.

**Additional Flexibility for P/NP Grading in Spring 2020**

- The deadline for undergraduate students to opt for P/NP grading in a course, or to revert back to letter grading, has been extended to the last day of instruction for Spring Quarter 2020 (June 4, 2020).

- In calculating the total number of units completed with P/NP grading per College of Engineering Regulations, units completed with P/NP grading during Spring Quarter 2020 will be excluded from the 16 units total allowable.

- The P/NP grading option will be allowed in Spring Quarter 2020 for courses offered by the College of Engineering and any other coursework completed in satisfaction of engineering degree requirements.

Access has been opened in Schedule Builder to opt for P/NP grading in a course, or to revert back to letter grading. The petition in OASIS is no longer an option for this action during this time.

**Factors to consider**

P/NP grades are not used in GPA calculations. A “P” is equivalent to a C- or better. No course units are awarded for a grade of NP. When electing P/NP grading, students should also consider potential consequences related to satisfactory academic progress, time to degree, financial aid, and postgraduate-study requirements. Academic advising is available to assist students with questions about P/NP usage. This online FAQ also provides further information.

Best regards,

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