### Requirements for the Bachelor's Degree

#### Proposed changes for the 2014 Diversity Initiative

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**A-458.** The degree of Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science will be granted upon the following conditions:

(A) A minimum of 180 course units are required for a Bachelor’s degree of which at least 60 units shall be from upper division courses (numbered 100-199). After 105 quarter units (70 semester units) acceptable toward the degree, no further unit credit will be allowed for courses completed at a junior college. Not more than four units in Physical Education activities, and not more than eight units in 300 or 400 series courses may be counted toward the Bachelor’s degree. After 216 quarter units (does not include advanced placement units), a student may not normally continue enrollment in the College. He or she may, however, under extraordinary circumstances, request exemption by petition from the Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education for special permission to continue work required to complete the degree. [Am 23 May 79; 31 Oct 81; 27 May 86; 12 Nov 96; 5 Jun 01]

No change.

**A-458.** (B) Except as provided in SR 630(B), (C) and (D), and (E) and 614, 35 of the final 45 units completed by each candidate for the Bachelor’s degree must be earned in residence in the College of Letters and Science on this campus. [Variance to SR 630.] [Am 6 June 79; 2 Dec 81; 3 Jun 03]

No change.

(C) The candidate must complete the following general University and College requirements. [Am 11 Feb 02]

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3. College Writing requirement (Writing I and Writing II). Two courses in English
composition are required for graduation. Both courses must be taken for a letter grade, and passed with a grade of "C" or better (a grade of "C-" is not acceptable).

Writing I must be satisfied within the first three quarters of the student's enrollment by completing English Composition 3 or 3H, or an equivalent course.

Writing I may also be satisfied by a qualifying score on an approved advanced placement or international baccalaureate examination; or by the combination of a qualifying score on an approved college entrance examination and superior performance on the English Composition 3 Proficiency Examination; or for students whose native language is not English, successful completion of English as a Second Language 36 or an equivalent course.

Qualifying examination scores and courses are determined by the Faculty Executive Committee of the College. Qualifying scores may be viewed on the UCLA Undergraduate Admissions and Relations with Schools Office website, and approved courses are published in the UCLA Schedule of Classes.

Writing II must be satisfied within seven quarters of the student's enrollment by completing a course from a list approved by the Faculty Executive Committee of the College.

Applicable courses may be applied to preparation for the major, and if approved for GE credit, may fulfill a GE requirement.

Transfer students with 90 units or more who have completed the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum as set forth in statewide SR478 will have completed the College writing requirement.

No transfer student will be admitted to the College without completing, with a grade of C or better (a grade of "C-" is not acceptable), a college-level writing course that the Office of Undergraduate Admissions and Relations with Schools accepts as equivalent to English Composition 3. [Am 17 Nov 98, 6 Jun 00, 9 Jun 08]
(4) Quantitative Reasoning may be satisfied by completing an approved UCLA course, or an equivalent course. The course must be taken for a letter grade, and passed with a grade of "C" or better (a grade of "C-" is not acceptable) within seven quarters of the student's enrollment.

This requirement may also be satisfied by obtaining a qualifying score on an approved college entrance examination. Approved UCLA courses and examinations, and qualifying scores, are determined by the Faculty Executive Committee of the College. Qualifying examinations and scores may be viewed on the UCLA Undergraduate Admissions and Relations with Schools Office website, and approved UCLA courses are published in the UCLA General Catalog.

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(5) Foreign Language. This requirement may be satisfied by (1) completion of university language instruction through course 3 with a grade of "C" or "Passed" or better (a grade of "C-" is not acceptable), (2) ETS (AP) or (3) departmental evaluation demonstrating competence equivalent to course 3 or above.

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[Am 23 Nov 82, 06 Jun 2013]

(6) Diversity Requirement. This requirement may be satisfied by completing one course from a faculty-approved list of diversity courses that is published in the UCLA General Catalog. The course must be taken for a letter grade, and passed with a grade of "C" or better (a grade of "C-" is not acceptable). The course selected may also simultaneously satisfy one of the following: (1) a General Education requirement; (2) a major or minor course; or (3) an elective.

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<th>(D) The candidate must complete the College general education requirements, which consist of 10 courses (a minimum of 48 units) in the following three foundational areas. The College will publish a list of approved courses that fulfill these requirements. [Am 11 Feb 02]</th>
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<td>(1) Foundations of Arts and Humanities. Three courses (a minimum of 15 units): one from Literary and Cultural Analysis, one from Philosophical and Linguistic Analysis, and one from Visual and Performance Arts Analysis and Practice. [Am 11 Feb 02]</td>
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<td>(2) Foundations of Society and Culture. Three courses (a minimum of 15 units): one from Historical Analysis, one from Social Analysis, and a third course from either subgroup. [Am 11 Feb 02]</td>
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<td>(3) Foundations of Scientific Inquiry. Four courses (a minimum of 18 units): two from Physical Sciences and two from Life Sciences. For each subgroup, one course must have either a laboratory, demonstration, or a Writing II component and be valued at a minimum of 5 units. [Am 11 Feb 02]</td>
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<td>(4) Students will be exempt from the College general education requirements in the following instances: [Am 11 Feb 02]</td>
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<td>(a) Students who transfer to UCLA from other UC campuses and have met all general education requirements at the campus from which they transferred will be exempt. [Am 11 Feb 02]</td>
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(b) Student who transfer to UCLA from a California community college and have satisfied IGETC as set forth in Statewide SR 478 prior to enrolling in the College. [Am 11 Feb 02]

(c) Any transfer student who has not satisfied (a) or (b) above must complete the College's general education requirements. [Am 11 Feb 02]

(E) The candidate shall have satisfied the requirements of a major in the College of Letters and Science with at least a C average in all upper division courses taken for the major. In addition, departments may designate, with Executive committee approval, certain courses required for the major, allied concentrations or specializations, which must be passed with at least a C grade. Before the degree is granted, the department or committee in charge of the student's major must certify that the student has completed the requirements for the major. [Am 14 Jan 92; 11 Feb 02]

No change.