TO: The Academic Senate
VIA: Committee on Instruction and Curriculum (CIC)
FROM: General Education Subcommittee
SUBJECT: 16-17 CIC 34: General Education Approvals for Semesters from Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences

PURPOSE: Information to the Academic Senate

ACTION REQUESTED: That the Senate accept the information that the ENSC and GEOL courses listed below are approved for General Education beginning with the semesters Catalog, planned for Fall, 2018.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:
The Senate process for approving transformed general education courses for the semester calendar is defined by 14-15 CIC 36. The Graduate Education Subcommittee voted unanimously to approve the courses noted below at its meeting on November 9.

APPROVED COURSES:
The following courses were approved unanimously for GE area B1: ENSC 220 (Warming Planet, Rising Seas, and Global Change), ENSC 260 (Introduction to GIS in Earth and Environmental Sciences), ENSC 280 (Humans and the Environment in California).

The following course was approved unanimously for GE area B2: ENSC 240 (Environmental Biology).

The following courses were approved unanimously for GE area B3: ENSC 241 (Environmental Biology Laboratory), ENSC 260 (Introduction to GIS in Earth and Environmental Sciences).

The following courses were approved unanimously for GE area B6: ENSC 320 (The Science of Global Change), GEOL 310 (Geology of the Western National Parks), GEOL 340 (The Oceans).