



MEMORANDUM

Office of the President

March 15, 2019

TO: Michael Lee
Chair, Academic Senate

FROM: Leroy M. Morishita *Leroy M. Morishita*
President

SUBJECT: Academic Senate Resolution 17-18 CIC 71: Maximum Number of Units for Summer Sessions

Upon review of the Academic Senate Resolution 17-18 CIC 71, Maximum Number of Units for Summer Sessions, I respectfully request the Senate review the proposed limit of nine units. While I appreciate the intent of the resolution, because Cal State East Bay supports a model of one eight-week session and two concurrent four-week sessions, a cap of nine units potentially disadvantages students who wish to take three four unit courses over the summer, and is not proportional for students who wish to take multiple courses in some combination of the summer sessions.

Given the context of the resolution, and while I appreciate the work done by the Academic Senate, I cannot currently accept Academic Senate Resolution 17-18 CIC 71, Maximum Number of Units for Summer Sessions, adopted by the CSUEB Academic Senate on November 13, 2018.

cc: Edward Inch, Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs