Graduation Requirements & Barriers to Graduation

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Goals of Presentation:

• Discuss Graduation Requirements

• Learn about Barriers to Graduation

• Understand Associate Degree for Transfer and other programs
FYI!

• *I might not have all the answers to your questions.*

• *If I need to research a question, I promise that I will get back to you!*

• *It really does take a village to graduate a student*
Graduation Requirements:

- Complete a 72 units General Education Requirement, including 12 upper division courses
  - AACE and SEAS for General Education advising

- Complete major requirements
  - College Success Centers and/or department for advising

- Electives (consider a minor)
Graduation Requirements (continued):

• American Institutions or Code

• Cultural Groups & Women in the U.S.

• University Writing Skills Requirement
Graduation Requirements (continued):

- Residency requirement: minimum of 45 units in residence; at least 36 upper division; 18 units in the major and 12 units of GE
- Complete a minimum of 180 quarter units
- GPA of at least a 2.0 (major, CSUEB and overall coursework)
Catalog Rights – Title 5, Section 40401

Continuing attendance--students can elect to meet the requirements:

1. At the time a student begins attendance

2. At the time of entrance to a campus

3. At the time of graduation
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Fine Print:

1. Campus can authorize or require substitution for discontinued courses.

2. Campus may require student changing a major/minor to complete the major or minor requirements in effect at the time of change.
Don’t Forget Our Advising Tools

- Individualized Advisement Plans
- Bay Advisor
- Degree Audit
- Pioneer Data Warehouse
**Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) Degree**

- **SB 1440 – Star Act – Degree with a Guarantee**

- **Complete 90 quarter units at California Community College**

- **Guarantee no more than 90 quarter units for similar or related degree at Cal State East Bay**
Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) Degree (continued)

• Questions on ADT – please contact Jacquelyn Beas in the General Education Office (jacquelyn.beas@csueastbay.edu)
What if a student left without graduating?

• **Contact David Reed**
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• **Will conduct background research and work with the student to develop a plan for completing coursework and reapplying for graduation**
  • **Most likely—student does not have to reapply to Cal State East Bay**
Barriers to Graduation

- Missing Requirement (s)
- Substitution(s)?
- CSU Fully Online Courses Program

- University Writing Skills Requirement

- Not making progress to degree and not aware of it
Barriers to Graduation (continued)

- **Class availability**

- **External transcripts not received (can be an issue for native students)**

- **Others?**
Remind Students to See Their Advisors—always can check who advisors are in SA Lobby (see Lizbeth)
Discussion
Useful Website Links:

- Graduation requirements: [http://www.csueastbay.edu/students/academic-and-studying/graduation/undergrad-requirements.html](http://www.csueastbay.edu/students/academic-and-studying/graduation/undergrad-requirements.html)

- Code Requirement: [http://www.csueastbay.edu/ge/native/american-code-req.html](http://www.csueastbay.edu/ge/native/american-code-req.html)

- CSU Fully Online Courses: Cross Campus Enrollment:
  - [https://csrc.collegesource.com/view/csrc_view00.aspx](https://csrc.collegesource.com/view/csrc_view00.aspx)
THANK YOU!!