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FR: JAMES ANTONY, Dean, Division of Graduate Education and Postdoctoral Affairs

RE: Policy Updates: Graduate Academic Probation

Dear Colleagues,

Over the previous academic year, the Division of Graduate Education and Postdoctoral Affairs (GEPA) worked closely with the Graduate Council to update our campus policies and procedures surrounding academic probation for graduate students.

It is important that all graduate programs carefully review the updated policies. The revised policies, effective FA22, expand on the definition of good academic standing, include more comprehensive and uniform procedures for academic probation and disqualification, and streamline the student appeal process. Please visit the following link to review the revised policies and procedures: <https://go.ucsd.edu/3qFOigQ>.

GEPA will host a [Zoom meeting on Friday, September 30, 2022 from 10-11 a.m. Pacific Time](#) for faculty leadership and graduate coordinators. The meeting will provide a valuable opportunity to learn more about the policy revisions, and Senior Associate Dean Kim, Assistant Dean Lennard, and Assistant Dean Bjornsen will share an overview of the actions that may be required of graduate programs to ensure adherence to these expanded policies.

It is our hope that the development of these more comprehensive campus policies will provide greater support and clarity for faculty, staff, and students.

Please don't hesitate to reach out to me, Senior Associate Dean Kim, Assistant Dean Lennard,

and Assistant Dean Bjornsen with any questions or concerns.

