The following motion was passed at Faculty Senate meeting #228 on December 4, 2017 **MOTION**:

The UAF Faculty Senate moves to amend the catalog year and catalog time limit policy.

Effective: Fall 2018

Rationale: Part One: to allow students to graduate using any catalog during their seven years if a master's student or ten years if a doctoral student. Evaluating advancement to candidacies for master's or doctoral students is challenging because some students submit their advancements early in their academic career and we cannot predict what program changes may happen between when they are admitted/begin their program and when they graduate.

Part Two: The catalog does not address time limits for earning either the graduate certificate or graduate licensure. Students enrolled in a graduate certificate or graduate licensure program must complete all program requirements within seven years. Allow students to use any catalog to graduate using those requirements.

Chris Fallen, UAF Faculty Senate President

The Chancellor: _____Disapproves

Daniel M. White, UAF Chancellor

See the attached policy changes:

BOLD CAPS = Addition
[[]] = Deletion

PART 1: Catalog and Time Limit

You may elect to graduate under the degree requirements in effect AND PUBLISHED IN THE UAF CATALOG IN ANY ONE OF THE PREVIOUS SEVEN YEARS IN WHICH YOU ARE ENROLLED AS MASTER'S OR PREVIOUS TEN YEARS IF A DOCTORAL STUDENT. [[the first semester of your enrollment in your graduate degree program or under the catalog in effect when you graduate. However, if you do not meet continuous registration requirements, you waive the right to use the catalog in effect when you first entered your graduate program; you will use either the catalog in effect during the semester of your re-entry or the catalog in effect when you graduate.]] TO BE CONSIDERED ENROLLED IN YOUR MASTER'S OR DOCTORAL DEGREE PROGRAM YOU MUST MEET THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS PER ACADEMIC YEAR. IF YOU ENROLL THROUGH THE NON-DEGREE STUDENT REGISTRATION PROCESS, YOU ARE NOT CONSIDERED ENROLLED AS A DEGREE STUDENT DURING THAT TIME.

All non-academic policies and regulations listed in the current catalog apply, regardless of the catalog you are using for your degree requirements. You must satisfactorily complete all course work listed on your Advancement to Candidacy form and all other degree requirements within seven years for a master's degree and ten years for a **DOCTORAL STUDENT** [[Ph.D.]]

PART 2: CATALOG AND TIME LIMITS FOR GRADUATE CERTIFICATES AND GRADUATE LICENSURES

YOU MAY ELECT TO GRADUATE UNDER THE GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OR GRADUATE LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS IN EFFECT AND PUBLISHED IN THE UAF CATALOG IN ANY ONE OF THE PREVIOUS SEVEN YEARS IN WHICH YOU ARE ENROLLED AS GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OR GRADUATE LICENSURE STUDENT. YOU ARE CONSIDERED ENROLLED IN YOUR GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OR GRADUATE LICENSURE PROGRAM WHEN YOU COMPLETE THE APPROPRIATE GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OR GRADUATE LICENSURE STUDENT REGISTRATION PROCEDURE. IF YOU DO NOT ENROLL FOR A SEMESTER OR MORE, OR IF YOU ENROLL THROUGH THE NON-DEGREE STUDENT REGISTRATION PROCESS, YOU ARE NOT CONSIDERED ENROLLED AS A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OR GRADUATE LICENSURE STUDENT DURING THAT TIME.

ALL NON-ACADEMIC POLICIES AND REGULATIONS LISTED IN THE CURRENT CATALOG APPLY, REGARDLESS OF THE CATALOG YOU ARE USING FOR YOUR DEGREE REQUIREMENTS. YOU MUST SATISFACTORILY COMPLETE ALL COURSE WORK LISTED ON YOUR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY FORM AND ALL OTHER DEGREE REQUIREMENTS WITHIN SEVEN YEARS FOR A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE OR GRADUATE LICENSURE."

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