



The Intersegmental Committee of the Academic Senates University of California The California State University Academic Senate for California Community Colleges

Dear colleagues:

The Intersegmental Council of Academic Senates (ICAS) IGETC Standards Subcommittee has met and submitted an updated Standards, Policies, and Procedures for IGETC 2.3 to ICAS to be published by Fall 2022. After much discussion with all three segments (CCC, CSU, and UC) pertaining to future changes to IGETC Standards for Ethnic Studies requirements, we have determined the following regarding the update to the 2.3 version of the IGETC Standards document:

1. The IGETC pattern will not change for the 2022-2023 academic year; that is, it will not include Area 7 Ethnic Studies.
2. The IGETC pattern will include Area 7 Ethnic Studies starting in Fall 2023 for the 2023-2024 academic year.
3. The IGETC 2.3 document includes a new section (Section 13.0) that previews the forthcoming list of changes required to IGETC Standards 2.3 in order to implement Area 7 Ethnic Studies starting in Fall 2023 (for the Standards, Policies, and Procedures for IGETC Version 2.4).
4. During the 2022-2023 academic year, the CCC may prepare CCC Ethnic Studies courses using the Section 13.0 guidelines (noted in Standards, Policies, and Procedures for IGETC Version 2.3) to ready these courses to meet the Ethnic Studies Core requirements for Fall 2023.

Thank you,

ICAS Chairs