

MEMORANDUM

TO: Sheila Converse, Executive Secretary
Faculty Senate

FROM: Becky Bitter, Registrar's Office

FOR: Academic Affairs Committee

DATE: 2 March 2017

SUBJECT: Proposal to Revise Rule 90f, Grades and Grade Points

At its meeting on February 28, 2017, AAC approved a revision to Rule 90f, for the portion of the rule that covers the types of 'S' (Satisfactory) grades that may be given.

This section of the rule includes the H, S, F grading type. This category has been limited to courses within the College of Pharmacy, but recently new courses under the College of Medicine have also been approved to use this grade type.

The recommended revision is as follows:

90. GRADES AND GRADE POINTS

90f. S. (Satisfactory.) Grade given upon satisfactory completion of courses numbered 499, 600, 700, 701, 702, 800, special examinations (Rule 15) and other courses duly authorized for S, F grading by the Faculty Senate. (Courses approved for S, F grading are footnoted in the Schedules of Classes.) Courses approved for S, F grading may also be graded S at midsemester indicating satisfactory progress.

A, S, or F grades only are used to report physical education activity grades.

S, M (marginally satisfactory), or F grades only are used to report grades for designated courses within the College of Veterinary Medicine.

H (honors), S, or F grades only are used to report grades for designated courses within the College of Medicine and the College of Pharmacy.

At this time, Faculty Senate review and approval is recommended, to be effective fall 2017.