Resolution 2011-6. On Amending the Final Examination Regulations Pertaining to Online Courses.

The Faculty Council enacts:

The Final Examinations regulation as contained in the 2011-2012 Undergraduate Bulletin is amended by inserting the following paragraph:

“For any University undergraduate courses offered entirely online or via other distance modalities, exams will be offered and must be completed during the scheduled final examination period, but requirements concerning the time of day and place of the exam will be appropriate to the course's mode of delivery. Self-paced courses are exempt from both the time and place requirements of the exam policy and the requirement that exams be held during the scheduled final examination period.”

Submitted by the Educational Policy Committee

Comment: The Friday Center Administrative Board requested a language change to the Final Examination Policy to accommodate the realities of its Carolina Course Online and Self-Paced Courses. The current language is inappropriate for courses taught in the distance format. Because other units on campus use the distance education format to teach undergraduate courses, the EPC expanded the language to include courses taught in other departments or schools.