DRAFT SREC Minutes Sept 9, 2019

Brion, Brown, Collett (Presiding), Grossman, Jones, Pienkowski, Wood

Unable to attend: McCormick, Wells

d. The SREC urges the Senate Council to contemplate that there is currently no University Senate policy on how many UK credit hours toward a degree ought be conferred on the basis of life experience outside of a UK course. The University Senate ought to determine on the basis of academic reasoning what should be the limit on conferral of 'life experience' credit hours. (The Senate Rules did authorize Nursing that in the particular circumstance of registered nurses with diploma, on the job experience can be used as course credit towards receiving a UK Bachelor of Nursing. Jones discussed this with Nursing and learned that conferral of credit hours for job experience in this unique circumstance has only been done about three times, and in none of these cases has more than 30 credit hours be conferred on the basis of on the job experience).