



1. POLICY NAME: **TIME LIMIT FOR COMPLETION OF DEGREE PROGRAMS**

2. POLICY CATEGORY: **GENERAL ACADEMIC POLICIES AND PROCEDURES**

3. POLICY STATEMENT:

Undergraduate Degree Programs

All course work and other requirements for baccalaureate degrees must be completed no later than *ten calendar years* from the date of initial admission to the program. Study terms and inactive terms, during which the student was not registered in any courses, will all be counted in determining adherence to this time limit.

Graduate Degree Programs

All graduate course work and other requirements must be completed no later than *five calendar years* from the date of initial admission to the graduate program. Study terms, inactive terms during which the student was not registered in any courses, and, if relevant, the three-terms time limit for completion of a thesis (plus the one-term extension, if applicable) will all be counted in determining adherence to this time limit. However, terms during which the student was registered in Foundation (non-600 level) courses will not be counted in this determination.