**Committee on Admission, Readmission and Retention**

**Annual Report**

**Part 1: Academic Standing Actions**

At the end of each full academic term, academic standing is reviewed for each student. The chart below provides the changes in each academic standing level. Included in this chart are the number of undergraduate students that changed from a negative academic standing status to “Good Academic Standing”, meaning their UNI GPA is now above 2.00 after previously being below.

It is important to note that during Summer terms, students’ academic standing is only able to move positively. Otherwise, their academic standing from Spring is copied over to the Summer.

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Spring 2021 | Summer 2021 | Fall 2021 |
| Academic Alert | **16** | **n/a** | **172** |
| % of Total Negative Changes | 4.60% |  | 33.14% |
| Academic Probation | **203** | **n/a** | **221** |
| % of Total Negative Changes | 58.33% |  | 42.58% |
| Continuation of Probation | **40** | **n/a** | **32** |
| % of Total Negative Changes | 11.49% |  | 6.17% |
| Suspension (Total) | **89** | **n/a** | **94** |
| % of Total Negative Changes | 25.57% |  | 18.11% |
| First | 79 |  | 77 |
| Second | 9 |  | 17 |
| Third (Final) | 1 |  | 0 |
| Changed to Good | 97 | 7 | 83 |
| Total Changes in Standing | 445 | 7 | 602 |
| Total Negative Changes | 348 | n/a | 519 |

**Part 2: Actions on Applications for Readmission (2/1/2021 through 1/31/2022**

Students that have been placed on Academic Suspension are required to take time away from the university. Students seeking to come back prior to the conclusion of the required time frame must apply for the Early Readmission Program (ERP) and appear before CARR. All students readmitted by CARR are required to take a 2 credit Unlocking Motivation and Learning course in their first semester back unless they have previously taken the course. Failure to do so results in the reinstatement of their Academic Suspension.

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Readmit Term | No. of Auto Readmits | No. of CARR Applicants | Approved | Approved Percentage | Denied | Readmitted after Final Suspension |
| Summer 2021 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| Fall 2021 | 20 | 24 | 18 | 75% | 6 | 0 |
| Spring 2022 | 18 | 32 | 24 | 75% | 8 | 1 |

**Part 3: Case Content**

In their meetings with CARR, applicants identify a myriad of reasons for their poor academic performance leading to academic suspension. Students reviewed could be in just one or multiple categories depending on the information presented. In this past year, the following themes were identified by students appearing before CARR:

* Mental Health
* College/University Transitions
* Circumstances that may warrant an accommodation through Student Accessibility Services
* Extenuating circumstances that may warrant an Academic Student Request

**Part 4: Proposed Policy Changes**

At this time, the committee does not have recommendations of edits to the undergraduate academic standing policy as it currently stands.