NOTICE OF PROPOSED REGULATION AMENDMENT

Date: January 19, 2024

REGULATION TITLE:

REGULATION NO.:

Awarding of Degrees

UCF-2.010

SUMMARY OF REGULATION AMENDMENT:

This regulation is amended to align the regulation with current practice and with operational need. The designation of a student's catalog year often conforms to the year the student enters the university as a degree-seeking student. However, it is sometimes necessary to require a student to move to a new catalog to meet new licensure, certification, or accreditation standards; further, students may sometimes request to move to a different catalog year. This language change will assure the university has the flexibility to meet these needs.

AUTHORITY: BOG Regulation 1.001

NAME OF PERSONS WHO INITIATED PROPOSED REGULATION AMENDMENT:

Dr. Timothy Letzring, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs

COMMENTS CONCERNING THE PROPOSED REGULATION AMENDMENT SHOULD BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE TO THE CONTACT PERSON IDENTIFIED BELOW. The comments must identify the regulation you are commenting on.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED REGULATION AMENDMENT IS:

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FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED REGULATION AMENDMENT:

UCF-2.010 Awarding of Degrees.

(1) Earned degrees shall be awarded upon the recommendation of the appropriate Dean and the Provost. These degrees shall be limited to those awarded pursuant to degree programs approved by the University of Central Florida Board of Trustees, for bachelor's and master's programs, and the Florida Board of Governors, for doctoral programs. Additionally, the university may award the Associate in Arts (A.A.) to eligible students upon completion of the appropriate requirements and application.

- (2) The curricular requirements for each University program shall be those delineated in the <u>appropriate</u> Undergraduate or Graduate Catalog, as appropriate, in force at the beginning of the <u>student's most recent period of continuous enrollment</u>.
- (3) Honorary degrees may be awarded by the Board of Trustees upon the recommendation of the President.
- (4) The University may award posthumous and emeritus degrees in accordance with university policies and procedures.

Authority: BOG Regulations 1.001, 3.004, and 6.017. History—New 10-8-75, Amended 7-14-80, Formerly 6C7-2.10, Amended 3-16-03; Formerly 6C7-2.010, Amended 6-12-09, _____-24.