

Colonnade General Education Committee Report

University Senate

September 2018

Information Items:

1. A report compiled by WKU Institutional Research was shared with and discussed by the Committee (see “WKU Students Enrolled for Fa'18 With Incomplete Colonnade 'Connections' Requirement as of 27AUG18” attached).
2. In response to the need for providing students with more options for completing the Connections requirement of Colonnade, a subcommittee was formed to explore creating a fourth “International” column in the Connections requirement. The subcommittee consists of Jennifer Hanley (chair), John Sunnycard, Toni Szymanski, Laura McGee, Rheanna Plemons, Chris Jenson, Caryn Lindsay, Andrew McMichael, and Garrett Edmonds.

WKU Students Enrolled for Fa'18 With Incomplete Colonnade 'Connections' Requirement as of 27AUG18

Fall 2018	All	Social & Cultural (K-SC)			Local to Global (K-LG)			Systems (K-SY)		
		Complete	IP	Needed	Complete	IP	Needed	Complete	IP	Needed
FTFY	2,783	1	26	2,756	0	28	2,755	17	47	2,719
Fresh	731	2	44	685	1	39	691	11	47	673
Soph	2,167	139	339	1,689	92	199	1,876	208	316	1,643
Junior	1,341	253	192	896	90	131	1,120	315	223	803
Senior	582	186	63	333	94	66	422	194	75	313
Total	7,604	581	664	6,359	277	463	6,864	745	708	6,151

Reflects baccalaureate degree-seeking students who are required to complete Colonnade.
 Courses with a 'K-SC', 'K-LG' or 'K-SY' attribute identified as Connections courses.
 Course completion for previous terms indicated by passing grade (of A, B, C, or D).
 IP-Fa'18 indicates courses in-progress for fall 2018.
 Number of current students needing Connections courses is conservative as not all students enrolled for Fa'18 Connections courses will pass.
 Connections course exceptions or substitutions made in iCap are not reflected in this data.
 Prepared by WKU Institutional Research 27AUG18.

Fall 2018 Connections Courses Offered

Fa'18 Connections Courses	Social & Cultural (K-SC)	Local to Global (K-LG)	Systems (K-SY)
Enrollment as of 27AUG18	1,571	1,356	1,469
Maximum Enrollment	1,663	1,397	1,673