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UNH FACULTY SENATE
MOTION # XXVI-M21

To endorse UNH's public statements affirming the university's commitment to diversity

5/2/2022

1. **Motion presenter:** Chair Anna Wainwright on behalf of the Ad Hoc Committee on Diversity Requirement for General Education
2. **Dates of Faculty Senate discussion:** 04/11/2022, 4/25/2022 and 5/2/2022
3. **Rationale:** Included in the original motion to form the Ad Hoc Committee on Diversity Requirement for General Education was a suggestion that the committee bring to the Faculty Senate a motion to officially endorse UNH's public statements affirming the university's commitment to diversity. If the motion passes, the committee will be able to continue its detailed work on researching, and then proposing, a framework and SLOs for the future diversity requirement.
4. **Motion:** In keeping with UNH's public diversity statement and its stated strategic priority to incorporate "diversity, equity, and inclusion into the curriculum," the Faculty Senate endorses the university's aspiration that all UNH students be prepared to "function effectively in diverse settings" and "be engaged and ethical global citizens" upon graduation from UNH, as well as the university's stated commitment to establishing "diversity, equity, accessibility and inclusion" as "foundational values inextricably linked to achieving our core educational mission."
5. **Senate action:** The motion passed Faculty Senate at the May 2, 2022 meeting with 51 in favor, 1 opposed and 2 abstentions.
6. Senate chair's signature:



Forwarded to the following on May 11, 2022:

President James Dean
Wayne Jones, Provost
Kate Ziemer, Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs
All deans and associate deans
All department chairs