

**THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA IN HUNTSVILLE
FACULTY SENATE**

Senate Resolution 10-11-9 : Encouraging Second Degrees

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Senate Resolution 10-11-9 (in Aug. 2011)

WHEREAS, The University of Alabama in Huntsville encourages students to engage in interdisciplinary studies, and

WHEREAS, Earning undergraduate degrees from two different colleges is a particularly intensive and commendable approach to interdisciplinary studies, and

WHEREAS, Getting a second degree from another UAHuntsville college is challenging, given distinct demands for general education requirements and for pre-professional course work.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED

That the Faculty Senate requests that Deans of Colleges overseeing UAHuntsville dual-degree students' secondary degree programs offer flexibility in helping students complete college-specific requirements in that second degree through substitutions and waivers where appropriate.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED

That the undergraduate catalog include a notice indicating that students wishing to earn a second degree from another UAHuntsville college may petition the Dean of that college for appropriate substitutions and waivers.