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MEMORANDUM

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To: Nikki Hillier, Chair, CGS
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RE: Executive Action Taken at the CLAS Curriculum Committee Meeting on Jan 19, 2022

The following request was approved by executive action at the CLAS Curriculum Committee meeting on Jan 19, 2022. The request would be effective Summer 2022. I ask that similar action be taken at the Council on Graduate Studies.

Requested Change:
Allow for online delivery of
• MAT 4750 – Linear Programming
• MAT 4830 – Introduction to Complex Analysis with Applications
• MAT 4850 – Operations Research
• MAT 4855 – Introduction to Topology
• MAT 4910 – Number Theory
• MAT 5100 – Abstract Algebra
• MAT 5151 – Probability
• MAT 5152 – Statistics
• MAT 5200 – Higher Geometry
• MAT 5220 – Topology
• MAT 5300 – Curriculum and Assessment in Mathematics Education
• MAT 5330 – Complex Variables
• MAT 53351 – Topics in Mathematics I
• MAT 53352 – Topics in Mathematics II
• MAT 53353 – Topics in Mathematics III
• MAT 5410 – Action Research in Mathematics Education
• MAT 5700 – Topics in Teaching Mathematics

Rationale for change:
The purpose for this request to allow all courses in the secondary mathematics education option of the MA in Mathematics graduate program to be offered online, so that the program can be entirely online. Faculty who would teach will be (or already have been) OCID certified.
Many resources exist to allow these courses to be effectively delivered in an online format. Further the use of Zoom or similar video conferencing interfaces can allow for synchronous online delivery of courses.

Effective Year/Term: Summer 2022