## Policy Consultation and Approval Process

Summary of Comments Received during the Informal Review Phase

## **Credit Load for Undergraduate Students**

## A. Individual Comments

• I was wondering why there isn't a person/role that would be the appropriate designee for getting that approval to exceed 18 credits. For example, I had various struggles in the past with knowing what the SADs (formerly known as SRCs) could approve and what the dean had to sign off on. If there could be clarity in the procedure that would be helpful.

Please see the accompanying procedure and revised form for consideration. My hope is that we've provided more information, and minimized the number of signatures students need to have this approved.

• This policy needs a procedure to guide students and those supporting their progress on how to get approval for additional credits; acknowledge any special considerations for international students; this policy needs to indicate that this pertains to fall and spring semesters as summer has different rules for credit load.

Please see the accompanying procedure and revised form for consideration. My hope is that we've provided more information, and minimized the number of signatures students need to have this approved. International students and special populations are not called out separately because there are most often only restrictions placed on students going UNDER required credits – not OVER.

## B. Group Comments (Note: some comments may also have been submitted as individual comments above)