



POLICY

The University Bulletin

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DEFINITION

The Stockton *University Bulletin* is the official publication that governs academic degree requirements and academic policies and procedures for undergraduate and graduate students who attend Stockton University. The *Bulletin*, updated and published annually, represents students' contract with the University for attaining their academic degree or other educational objectives.

Students are required to adhere to the graduation requirements stipulated in the *Bulletin* published in the fall semester of the academic year of their matriculation. Students are also required to adhere to academic program policies and procedures, not published in the *Bulletin*, but represented in student handbooks, in the academic year of their matriculation.

In addition to academic programs, the *Bulletin* provides general information about admissions, costs, financial aid, campus life, University organization and governance, Campus Code of Conduct, and University organizations, activities, and services. University Policies and Procedures pertinent to students' University experience are included. All University Policies and Procedures are published at <https://stockton.edu/policy-procedure>.

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- A. Degree requirements for students entering the University starting in the fall or spring semester of an academic year appear in the *University Bulletin*, which is published in June of that academic year to go into effect on July 1.
- B. Curricular requirements for majors, minors, and other academic credentials offered by the University appear in the *Bulletin*.
- C. Curriculum changes can occur after the *University Bulletin* is published. Curriculum changes and the effective date of changes should appear on the website, clearly noting that the curriculum has changed and that the changes have occurred after publication of the current year's *Bulletin*. Consult the *University Bulletin* procedure for full description of the processes for making these type of changes.
- D. Other Policies and Procedures that Reference the *University Bulletin*
Since the *University Bulletin* serves as a comprehensive resource for students on matters ranging

from attendance to wellness, other policies and procedures may refer to the *University Bulletin*. Those policies and procedures should include a link to this policy or the *University Bulletin* procedure, as relevant.

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