

California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

Academic Senate Report

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Academic Credit Certificate Programs Update

Academic Senate Action:

Adopted:	December 3, 2025
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Final Disposition:

Transmitted to President:	December 4, 2025
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RECOMMENDATION:

The Academic Senate supports the proposed updates to the policy. CPP's policy distinguishes academic credit certificates (state-side, small-unit, matriculated students) from non-credit professional certificates (CPGE, self-support). Existing academic certificates must align with new policy. Standalone academic credit certificates will not be pursued at this time due to strict financial aid regulations and low demand. The approach ensures compliance and clarity while supporting meaningful student learning opportunities.