Memorandum

To: Eileen DeLuca

From: Martin A. McClinton Sent: Friday, March 15, 2019

The purpose of this memorandum is to clarify the prerequisites for CHM2045 and CHM2045L, which were changed this year to "MAT1033 with a C or better AND (one credit of High School Chemistry or CHM2025 or CHM2032 with a C or better)". The intent of the faculty was to ensure that students had appropriate algebra skills before attempting the General Chemistry 1 class since many of the learning outcomes require those skills. A student who tests into, or has taken, math courses at a level higher than MAT 1033 (e.g. College Algebra, Precalc. Algebra, Trigonometry, etc) would have the skills necessary to take CHM2045 and CHM2045L. Therefore, test scores allowing student to bypass MAT1033, or completion of algebra courses that have MAT1033 as a prerequisite, should be view as allowing students to take CHM2045 and CHM2045L.

Approved by

Dr. Eileen DeLuca, Provost