

**Proposal for Limits on and Normal Compensation for
Global Immersion Courses and Block Weeks**
(Approved by the Executive Committee 5-17-2012)

- **Global Immersion Courses** may no longer be used to fulfill regular teaching responsibilities.
- Faculty members will be compensated through additional compensation for these courses.

- Faculty members will be limited to teaching one **block week** per academic year towards their regular teaching responsibilities.
- If Faculty members elect to over teach and lead more than one block week, then they will be given additional compensation for those additional courses.

- Divisional chairs will be responsible for monitoring these policies and exceptions will require approval of the dean's office

Minutes of Executive Committee Meeting

Global Immersion Courses

There has recently been a proliferation of Global Immersion Courses and some faculty members have taught one or more to fulfill some of their teaching responsibilities.

The Dean's Office proposed, and the Executive Committee unanimously approved that Global Immersion Courses should be taught only for ad comp and not to fulfill regular teaching responsibilities in future years.

Block Weeks

Again, in recent years, some faculty members have taught more than one block week course per year to fulfill their teaching responsibilities.

The Dean's Office proposed, and the Executive Committee unanimously approved that in the future, each faculty member will be allowed to teach only one block week course per year to fulfill regular teaching responsibilities.

Divisional chairs will be responsible for monitoring these policies and exceptions will require approval of the dean's office.