



NORMS FOR EXPIRATION OF COURSES PASSED BY UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE STUDENTS WHO HAVE NOT EARNED THE DEGREE WITHIN THE ESTABLISHED TIME ¹

At the PCUPR, the courses passed by students who have not earned the degree within the period of time established, will expire according to the following time limits:

1. Courses of the general curriculum at the undergraduate level and the core courses at the graduate level do not expire.
2. Undergraduate concentration courses expire ten years after they have been passed.
3. Specialty courses of sequential doctoral programs (master's - doctoral) expire ten years after they have been passed.
4. Specialty graduate level courses (master's or doctoral) expire five years after they have been passed.
5. College courses at the undergraduate level do not expire.

The Academic Dean may recommend in writing that expired courses be accepted. Expired courses may be accepted after an evaluation to determine if their content has not undergone substantial changes. When the concentration or specialty courses are from a College different from the College to which the student belongs, the Dean of the former shall be consulted to corroborate whether they have undergone substantial changes, the Dean's recommendation on whether to accept them or not shall be obtained.

Convalidated courses from other institutions shall be treated in the same manner as those taken at the PCUPR, that is, they shall expire at the end of the stated time starting from the date on which the student passed them at the other institution.

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