APC Resolution

Whereas the University primarily uses the terms “major,” “minor,” and “concentration” in the University graduate and undergraduate catalog and the Registrar’s Office uses these terms on student transcripts;

Whereas some programs use different terminology in both catalogs, especially for “concentrations;”

Whereas the use of standard terminology across programs would increase clarity and avoid confusion for students, for faculty conducting degree audits, and for others;

Be it resolved that the Senate recommends that programs consider adopting the common terminology for inclusion in the graduate and undergraduate catalogs, or indicate the common terminology alongside specialized terms where practicable, e.g., “specialization (concentration).”