Analysis of Summer Course Cancellations
Summer of 2008 through Summer of 2012
KGQ 9/7/12

Data Sources:
(1) Cancellation Reports for 200740-201140 (Sum 08-Sum 12) from Linda O’Keefe
(2) Retrieval of Summer Timetable information, Sum 08 – Sum 12 on Registrar Page on 9/7/12 (x-listed courses not accounted for)

Figure 1: All Summer Course Cancellations by Year

Analysis: The total number of summer course cancellations across all summer terms jumped in 2010, but has remained fairly steady since.
**Figure 2: Summer Course Cancellations by Summer Term**

*Analysis:* Maymester typically has had the most cancellations across all summer terms during 2008-2012.

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**Figure 3: Summer Cancellations by Summer Term, by Year**

*Analysis:* The number of Maymester cancellations increased sharply from 2009-10 and then again from 2011-2012. However, the number of cancellations for the June and July terms fell 2011-2012.
**Figure 4: Number of Courses Listed in Final Timetable on Registrar’s Website. Cross-listed courses are not accounted for.**

**Analysis:** The number of course offerings that went (listed in the final timetable) in the Maymester was steady from 2008-2011, but fell by about 20% from 2011-2012. However, there was some increase in the number of July courses that went in the July term from 2011-2012.

**Figure 5: Summer Cancellations as a Percentage of Number of Summer Courses Listed by Term by Year on Registrar’s Website as of 9/7/12**

**Analysis:** The number of courses cancelled as a percentage of those that went in the Maymester increased sharply from 2011-2012. There was a sharp increase in the percentage of courses cancelled compared to those that went for the July term from 2010-2012, but that metric returned to trend in 2012 for the July term. Note that this percentage does NOT represent the percentage of total course offerings cancelled.