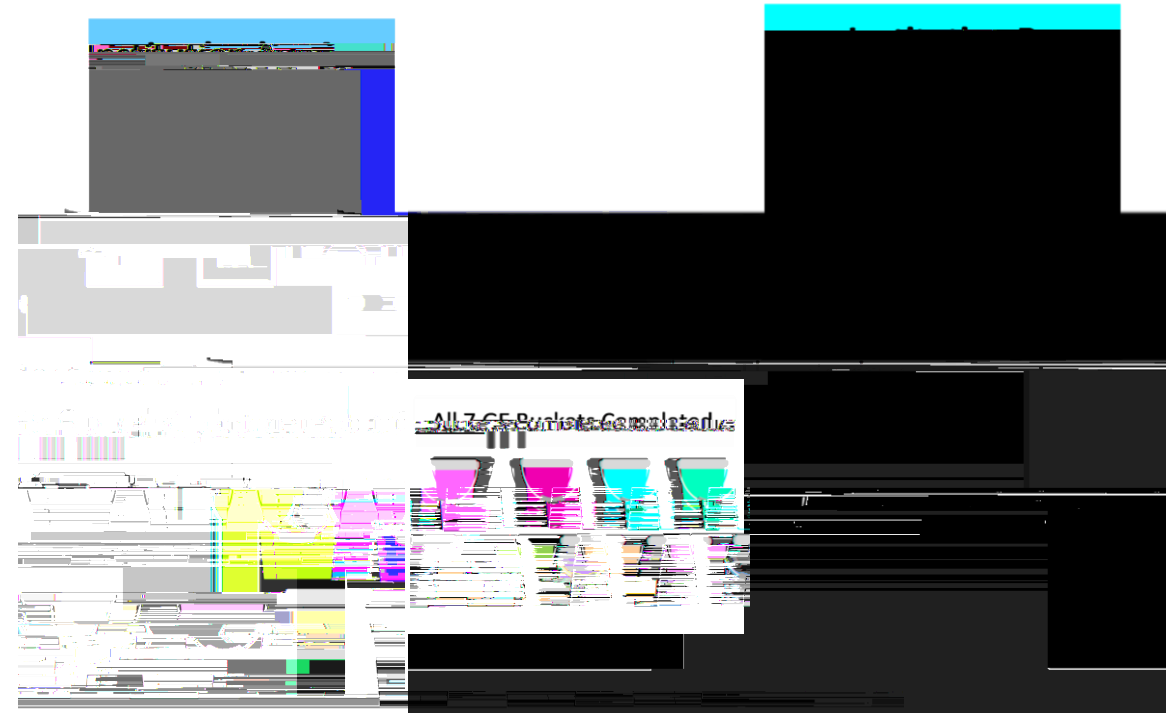
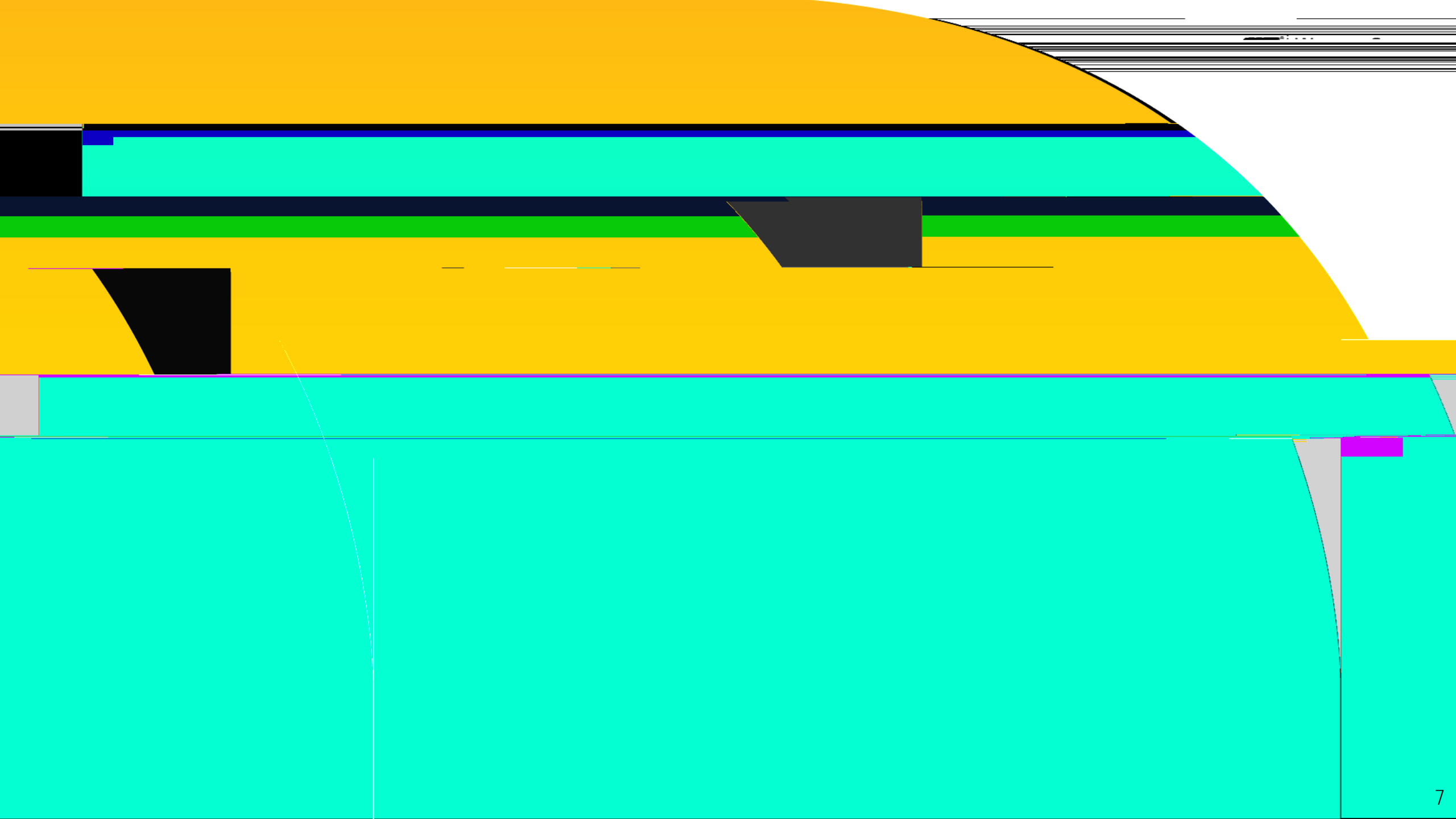


"At the end of FY 2020, the Board expressed a strong desire to develop a more robust system-based approach to facilitate student transfer. Building on this vision, in FY 2021 and 2022, the Board established a goal to develop a systemwide general education (GE) package under a common framework. When framing this goal, the Board instructed Board staff to develop a system-based GE package that would maximize the application of credit throughout the system, simplify processes for transfer students, and remove barriers for transfer students."











Each KBOR institution determines that a student has satisfied the system-wide GE requirements. KBOR mandates that a student transferring to WSU from any KBOR institution with this notation will have satisfied the requirements for GE at WSU







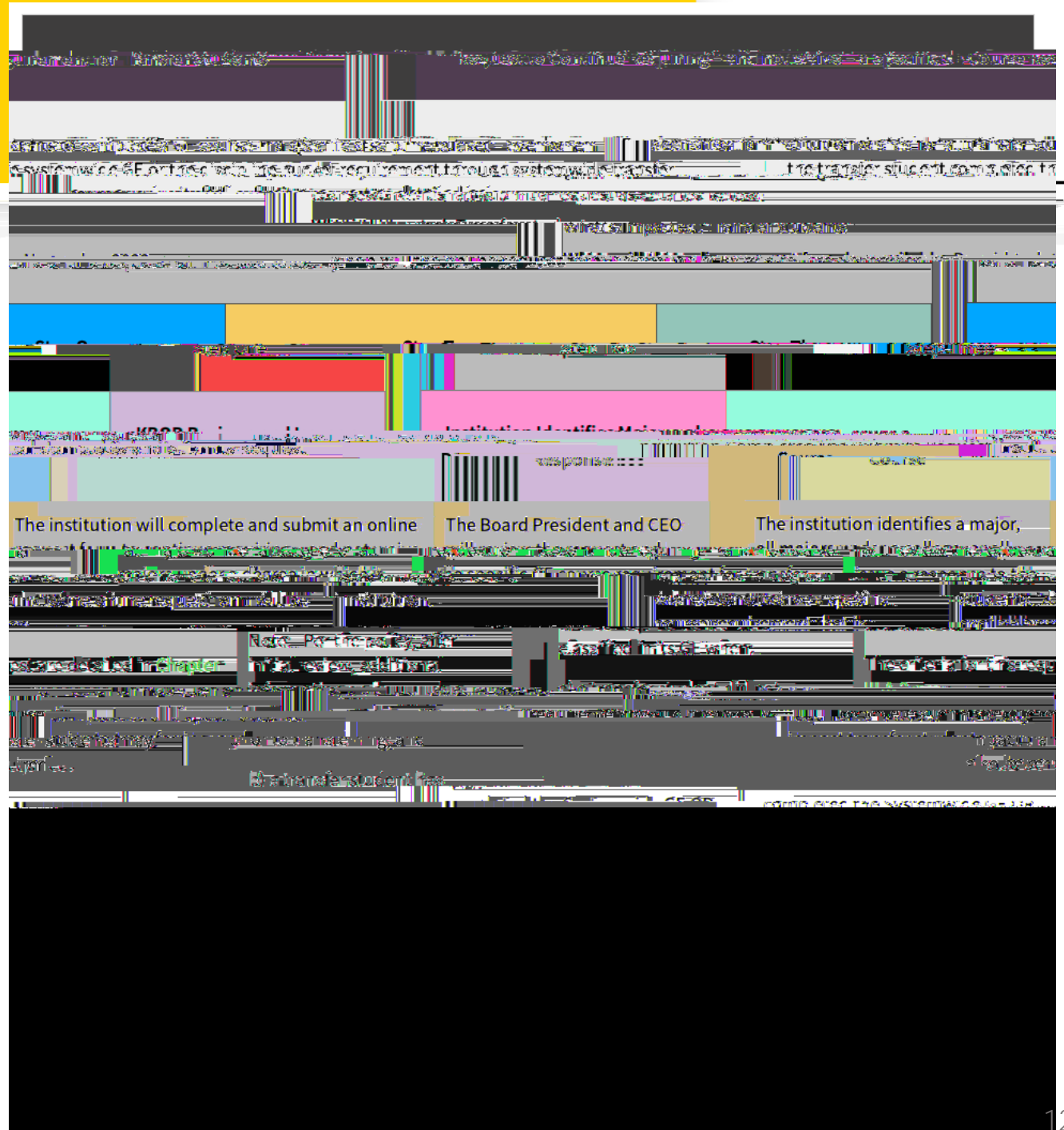
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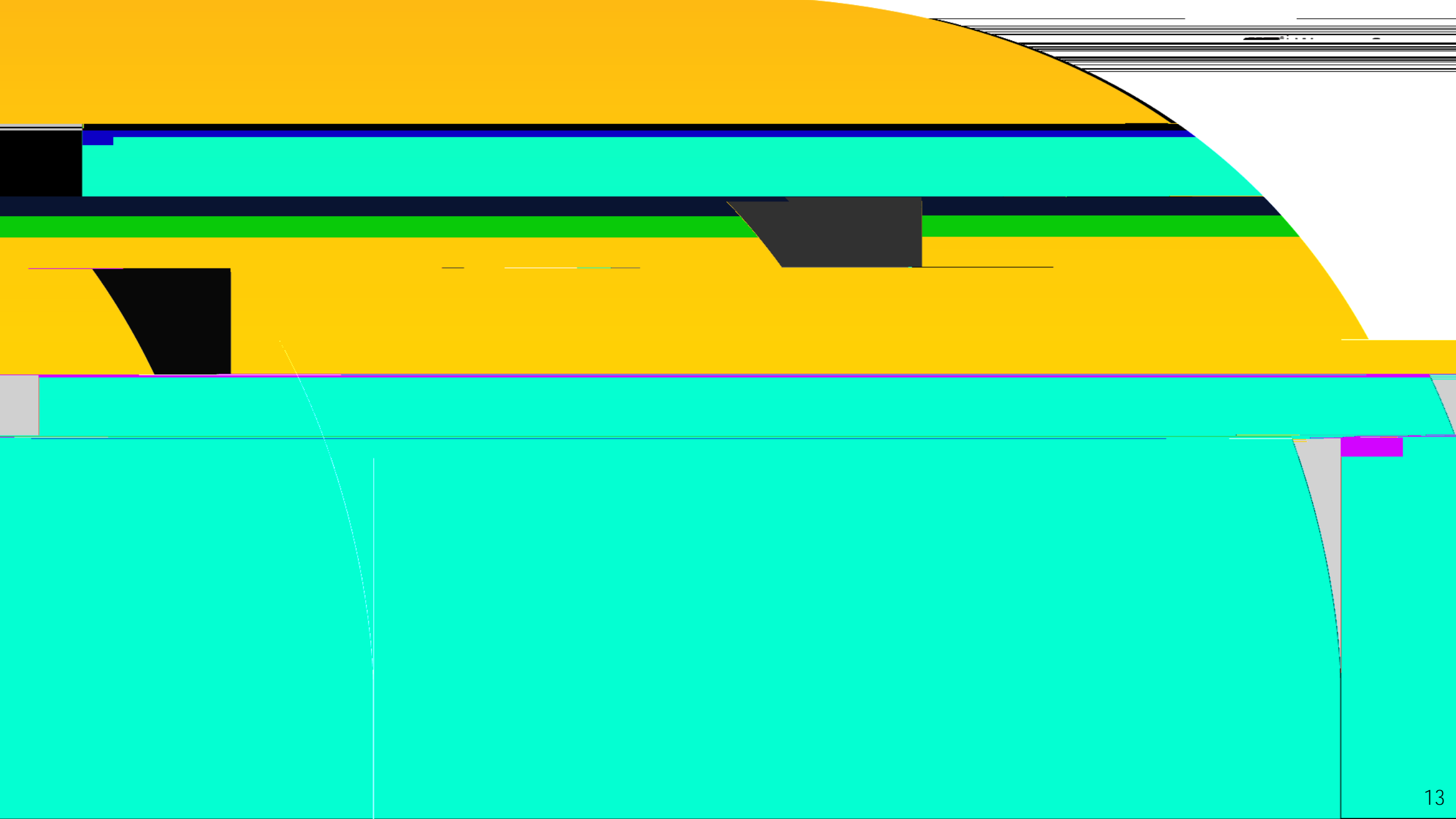
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The KBOR framework leaves little room for variation except in the institutional bucket (#7). In general,

- Total required credits hours in the Gen ed program are reduced from 36 to 34-35.
- The Fine art Discipline has merged with humanities. Students now pick two subjects within this larger bucket.
- Math and Statistics have been separated to a distinct discipline from Natural Sciences.
- All students are required to take a NS Lab.
- There is no requirement for course number 300

- Institutional requirement of at least 3 GE cr. Hr. of diversity designated coursework has been added. These may be satisfied through the discipline specific requirements.
- There is no restriction of the amount of major or program requirements which can be applied to GE, but student must fulfill the two-subject requirement in buckets #5 and #6.





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The GE committee recommends the formation of a standing diversity committee to review the diversity attribute for all courses including GE courses.



The GenEd Committee has provided new GE policy which complies with the KBOR framework.

In addition to the policy proposal, we have also provided:

- Differences to the previous policy.

- A FAQ to answer some of the most common questions.

- Full listing of WSU GenEd courses divided into buckets.

- Sample student programs.

