
CGSR motion to allow WPI BS students to pursue the MS degree with double counting within 5 years

The motion: broaden the BS/MS application process by allowing WPI alumni to pursue the MS degree, with the double counting option, within 5 years of the BS completion.

- Essentially it gives a 5-year grace period for the double counting

Rationale:

- additional revenue stream for WPI by allowing students that opted to work upon the completion of their BS degree, to return to WPI to complete the MS degree
- many students would like to pursue the MS degree but due to various reasons must enter the workplace. These students will return to WPI for their MS if they are incentivized by allowing them the double-counting option for their MS degree

Impact on degree requirements: **None**

Resources and Anticipated Instructors: **None**

Implementation Date: **AY 2022-2023**