



**Speaking Intensive Committee
February 26, 2020 Report to the UFC**

Committee attendance:

Elizabeth Johnson-Young, Parrish Waters, Lauren McMillan, Maya Mathur, Anand Rao

Guests in attendance:

Emily Crosby, Tim O'Donnell

The Speaking Intensive Committee held a meeting on Tuesday, February 18, 2020, to discuss if, and how, students with documented disabilities should receive accommodations, including alternate assignments, for Speaking Intensive requirements. Faculty from communication were invited to participate in the discussion. The group discussed the SI learning outcomes, how the PRCA-24 (Personal Report of Communication Apprehension) could be used to help identify student need for those with documented disabilities, and started a discussion of alternate assignments that could be used by instructors. The group agreed to consider changes to the learning outcomes. Anand will work on revised language for the learning outcomes, as well as prepare a document outlining suggested accommodations for students with documented disabilities. The prepared materials will be considered by the SI committee at its March meeting.

2019-2020 Speaking Intensive Committee

- 2020 Elizabeth Johnson-Young (Assistant, CAS)
- 2020 Parrish Waters (Assistant, CAS)
- 2021 Lauren McMillan (Assistant, CAS)
- 2022 Tyler Frankel (Assistant, CAS)
- 2022 Maya Mathur (Associate, CAS)
- Anand Rao, Director of Speaking Intensive Program, Committee Chair

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- Anand Rao, Director of the Speaking Center