Radiologic Technology

The following concerns have developed in discussion of Intercession Scheduling Impacts on Radiologic Technology.

- Biggest impact: Extension of Fall Spring Impacts our Mandatory Summer Schedules
 - o To meet accreditation clinical requirements, our faculty teach mandatory summers
 - Summer Rad Tech Hours extend beyond the BC summer schedules to meet clinical hours
 - Summer semester is the mandatory semester students attain majority of their clinical training, a shortened impacts students' ability to graduate on time.
 - Rad Tech Summer hours currently begin 1 week after spring graduation and finish the last day of July (May 23-July 29, 2022)
 - Spring to summer turnaround (1 week) and turnaround from July to August Flex-Week (2 weeks) currently impacts faculty burnout. The extension of the academic year will make these semester turnarounds a greater challenge.
 - Winter Break is our department's only true break
- Accreditation approval JRCERT
 - Any change that effects 10% of the Program Curriculum Requires a JRCERT Accreditation Review and approval
 - o A change in the length of semester would require a review due

Athletics

Here are some of our concerns in athletics.

The lateness of the end of the spring semester allows very little/no downtime for facilities and student-athletes.

Grass fields need down time for rest, restoration, and maintenance. When there is no time allowed for this, they will gradually deteriorate. Gym floors, etc. usually need yearly maintenance, which is done during this time.

Our sports typically have a six-week summer training class. This would end up starting right after the end of the spring semester, which doesn't allow them any them to recover.

Those same facilities are used for fundraising by our sports. They run camps, etc. during this down time. It is the main source of funding for many of sports, and this would be lost.

We would also have coaches having to work more days beyond the regular school year. Would these days be added on to their contracts?

If we shifted the spring forward, and then had two separate summer sessions, we could also get rid of a problem with our athletes that are trying to transfer after taking summer school to complete requirements. The late end of summer means that transcripts can't go out until very late. This often holds up athletes from joining their new teams, since they join them before the semesters start. Having two separate summers could allow transcripts to go out after the first summer session, and they could avoid this problem.