Circular 1/2018 from the Vice-Rector’s Office for International Relations, applying Regulation 4/2017 of Universidad San Pablo-CEU with respect to Certification of the Level of English for obtaining Bachelor’s Degrees

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Article 2 of Regulation 4/2017 of Universidad San Pablo-CEU establishes that to obtain a Bachelor’s Degree all the students must certify a minimum B2 level of English, as established by the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFRL) In turn, its First Final Provision establishes that the Regulation will be applicable to students who enter Universidad San Pablo-CEU starting in the academic year 2018/19.

The practical application of Regulation 4/2017 requires that the criteria should be assigned and clarified for certain groups of students who were not included in the initial regulation. Specifically, when it comes to applying the rule demanding certification of their level of English, as follows:

1.- In the case of students enrolled in an International Bilingual Program (programs with the University of Chicago, Boston University, Fordham University or UCLA), their B2 level of English shall be considered to be certified by the programs’ access tests, which demand a higher level of English than the established minimum.

2.- Students enrolled in an International Degree (degrees taught wholly or partly in English, but not associated with an International Bilingual Program) must certify a B2 level of English before completing their second year.

3.- Students at Universidad San Pablo-CEU who already have a transcript from one university diploma, but are taking another degree starting in 2018/19, must certify their minimum level of English before starting the new degree, provided that the rule demanding a minimum level of English in the course they are enrolled in is applicable to students of Universidad San Pablo-CEU.

4.- Students who enter Universidad San Pablo-CEU through a process of credit recognition must certify a minimum level of English before completing the degree, provided that in the course in which they are enrolled (understood as the one in which they have the greatest number of credits) the rule for certifying the minimum level of English is applicable to students of Universidad San Pablo-CEU.

5.- Students of Optics and Optometry and Human Nutrition and Dietetics who enter Universidad San Pablo-CEU as Graduates will not be subject to compliance with Regulation 4/2017.