

Faculty Senate – Undergraduate Student Success Committee

Quadrennial Review

Proposed Changes to Committee Charge and Membership

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Rationale:

The Undergraduate Student Success Committee membership recognizes and affirms the import of its charge and membership as defined by the 2013 Faculty Constitution. The proposed changes to the charge reflect current institutional organization and practices, and to encourage consistency in the committee's commitment to including the perspectives and insights of stakeholders in Wright State University's undergraduate students success.

Proposed Amendments:

1. Committee Charge

a. Original Charge

Undergraduate Student Success Committee Charge: The Committee shall plan, develop, and provide ongoing evaluation and improve the effectiveness of first year seminars, and learning communities, as well as other aspects of the first-year experience. This includes, but is not limited to, long-term oversight of first-year outcomes and remediation strategies for conditionally admitted students. The Committee will also review and assess outcomes to increase the preparedness of students from local and area high schools to enter Wright State University.

b. Proposed Changes

Undergraduate Student Success Committee Charge: The Committee shall plan, develop, and provide ongoing analysis, evaluation, and policy recommendations designed to improve the effectiveness of campus programs and resources, as well as other aspects of the undergraduate student experience. This includes, but is not limited to, long-term oversight of undergraduate student outcomes and remediation strategies for undergraduate students.

2. Committee Membership

a. Original Membership

Undergraduate Student Success Committee Membership: One faculty member from each undergraduate college (appointed by the Faculty Senate) and up to three University College faculty/staff

directly involved with undergraduate student experience (appointed by the Dean of University College). A faculty representative may designate an alternate faculty representative who has voting privileges when the regular member is absent. Committee members shall serve two-year staggered terms.

b. Proposed Changes

It is recommended that a representative from the following groups be included in regular committee membership:

- Student Government Association
- University Undergraduate Academic Adviser Committee