

Annual Report – Academic Policies Committee – 2016-2017

Committee Members: Diana Karczmarczyk, Chris Kennedy, Catherine Sausville, Suzanne Slayden (Chair), James Steele

The committee recommended changes in wording for the Grade Appeal policy in the University Catalog that were approved by the Faculty Senate.

The committee recommended a new policy for the award of a Posthumous Degree that was approved by the Faculty Senate.

The committee reviewed the detailed 2017 Summer Term Calendar as submitted by the Registrar. The calendar was approved by the Faculty Senate.

The committee reviewed suggested changes by the Provost's office to the previously-approved AY 2017-2018, 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 calendars. The committee asked for further information which should be forthcoming for the next Faculty Senate meeting, at which time the calendar changes will be presented for approval.

The committee reviewed a proposed AY 2020-2021 calendar that attempted to integrate the new Wiley 8-week on-line courses with the regular academic year calendar. The committee returned the calendar to the Provost's office for further study.