

**Academic Affairs Committee**  
**Final Report prepared for May 1, 2020 General Faculty Meeting**

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The Academic Affairs Committee met a total of nine times, once a month except for January where we met twice. The additional meeting was over winter break to complete an especially long agenda from the December meeting. The most recent meeting was on April 24, and the approved proposals will go on the first Faculty Senate agenda of the Fall.

There were many proposals this year, some fairly straight-forward and others quite complex requiring much discussion and revision, so most meetings lasted at least two-and-a-half hours. To summarize the work accomplished this academic year, the committee reviewed 145 proposals including: five academic regulations or policies, 26 program modifications (seven general modifications, 18 curriculum changes, and renaming the IDS degrees), 31 course modifications, 38 new courses, 17 course deletions, the catalog's first dual degree worksheet, two new certificates, a new graduate degree program, and converting the six concentrations of the Business Administration major into six new majors, several grade changes, and a student appeal for reinstatement. In the final two meetings, the committee also discussed modifying the current forms; the chair-elect (Holly Pae) and I will complete this task and submit the new forms to Faculty Senate in August for approval.

In addition to committee meetings, there were several subcommittees that met separately to review and develop academic policies and regulations. Of the five academic regulations or policies proposed, two were passed, and the other three will continue to be developed next academic year.

As of May 1, 2020, the 2020-21 roster will be:

21 Carmen Harris (HPPA)	22 Kristi Miller (SON)	23 Vince Connors (NSE)
21 Rebecca Mueller (SOE)	22 Michael Wooten (EFA)	23 Polinapilinho Katina (IES)
21 Jan Griffin (PSYCH)	22 John Siegel (LIB)	23 Monika Shehi (LLC)
21 Charley Harrington (IDS)	22 Reid Toth (SCW)	23 TBD (MSC)
21 Nolan Stolz (FACS)	22 Roz Paige (MEM)	
	22 Holly Pae (SOE-HPH, Chair of AAC)	