UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA AT LAFAYETTE
FACULTY SENATE REPORT

Ways and Means

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Name of Committee
Person Submitting Report
Date

Task of Committee (please indicate the task of your committee here):
(1) From the constitution – Twice each year (at the January and April meetings) the committee shall report to the Senate on the status of University actions in response to resolutions passed by the Senate during the previous half year or, when appropriate, during the previous year. (2) Determine the language that should be in the FS Constitution that limits the voting membership to those with administrative rank or department head or equivalent and below and those with no administrative responsibilities.

Progress Report:
# Since the last Faculty Senate Meeting, the following has been accomplished:

1. The committee will work on the disposition of motions and resolutions for the period, January 2013 through December 2013

2. We propose the following:
   Faculty Senate Constitution Article II. Membership Section 2. Members - Possibly delete # 2 “The Dean of the College of General Studies shall be a voting member of the Faculty Senate.” And, change Section 2. Members # 2 to Elective members of the Faculty Senate must be associate professors, assistant professors, instructors or adjunct faculty of the general faculty below the rank of Dean who have completed no less than one academic year of full-time employment at the University at the time of taking office. Now reads Elective members of the Faculty Senate must be associate professors, assistant professors, instructors or adjunct faculty of the general faculty who have completed no less than one academic year of full-time employment at the University at the time of taking office. We found an editorial issue – Garland is spelt incorrectly in Article II Section 1

3. 

Committee Members Present at Committee Meetings:
# List the members of your Committee who attended Committee Meetings since the last Faculty Senate Meeting: Met on Tuesday September 30

1. W. Rieck
2. J. Kiesel
3. G. Birkenmeier
4. D. Linton

Anticipated Future Plans
# Before the next Faculty Senate Meeting, the following actions are planned: Continue to work on the motions and resolutions

2. 

Action Required by the Faculty Senate (list any action that needs to be taken by the Faculty Senate as a result of this report)
We would like to entertain discussion regarding voting by Associate and Assistant Deans as well as criteria for Department Heads - including teaching component and elective process

Selection of committee chair, list of committee members, and any specific task from the EO