

From the University Senate Bylaws:

VI. The Student Affairs Committee¹

The Student Affairs Committee shall consist of at least one elected faculty Senator, at least one faculty Senator-at-Large, one elected student senator (that student elected to be Chairperson of the Students Affairs Committee by a constituency of both elected student senators and student senators-at-large as per FS VII. D. 5), five student senators-at-large (including one from the graduate school), two delegates from the Student Government Association, the President of the Student Government Association or his/her designee, and the President of the Graduate Student Organization. Faculty members should not exceed student members. It shall be chaired by the elected student senator on the Committee and it shall be advised by the Dean of Students or his/her designee. SAC may designate a representative for a senator-at-large member who is unable to attend a committee meeting. In the absence of quorum (defined as one-half of the student committee members,) the vote on a resolution will be discussed and voted on electronically.

It shall:

- a. recommend to the Senate policies governing the operation of the Dean of Students Office. The Committee's concern shall be at the policy level and not with its implementation of day-to-day matters;
- b. advise the Dean of Students upon either the Dean's or the Committee's initiative or upon the request of the Senate or Executive Committee;
- c. have the power and responsibility to make policy recommendations to the appropriate University officer(s) regarding all other student related activities and services.

The Senate may, for very substantial reasons, appoint one additional senator-at-large to any of the committees, described in sections two through six of these bylaws. The Executive Committee shall inform the Senate whenever an appointment is recommended under this provision.

¹ In an effort to represent properly all faculty constituencies in the University Senate, unless specifically called for in the bylaws, faculty representation should be opened to all faculty constituencies.