

Academic Regulations Committee

2019-20 Annual Report

Membership and Summary of Committee Activities

Membership:

Linda Bruslind '20, Chair	Microbiology
Rosemary Garagnani '19*	Graduate School
Dave Wing '20	Mathematics
Jennifer Beamer '21	Kinesiology
David Hurwitz '21	Civil & Construction Engineering
Erin Mulvey '22	Office of Undergraduate Education

Ex-officio – Rebecca Mathern, Registrar

Student Members:

Derek Wong

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*Rosemary served as a substitute for David Hurwitz in Fall 2019, while David was on sabbatical.

During the Summer and Fall terms of 2019, the Academic Regulations Committee continued the work it had started the previous year addressing feedback or issues raised by various institutional constituents, in addition to necessary administrative changes to academic regulations, to insure that the language is kept up-to-date and accurate.

During the year, the Committee worked on proposed revisions to the following Academic Regulations: AR 1, 2, 12, 13, 16, 19, 25, 26, and 31. The Committee also created a new AR, #32, Undergraduate Standalone Certificates.

Proposed revisions to AR 1b, 2, 19 and 26, as well as the new AR 32, were presented to the Faculty Senate Executive Committee for approval. The Executive Committee approved several of the proposed Academic Regulations, which were then presented to the Faculty Senate. Revisions to AR 1b, 19 and 26 were approved by the Faculty Senate on February 13, 2020, while revisions to AR 2 and the new AR 32 were approved by the Faculty Senate on March 12, 2020.

Recommendations for Academic Year 2020-2021

Changes to AR 12, 13 and 31 were approved by the Committee, but have yet to be presented to the EC or (if approved) to the Faculty Senate.

The Academic Regulations Committee will continue work on the remaining Academic Regulations revisions with the intent to finalize approval by the Faculty Senate during Academic Year 2020-2021. There is continued discussion about revisions to AR 25 and 26.

Submitted by Linda Bruslind, Academic Regulations Committee Chair