

**UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN SENATE**  
COMMITTEE ON UNIVERSITY STATUTES AND SENATE PROCEDURES  
(Final; Action)

SP.20.16      Revision to the *Bylaws*, Part D.3 – Committee on Admissions

**BACKGROUND**

Responding to the Report of the Eighth Senate Review Commission (XSR.19.01), the Senate Committee on Admissions (AD) examined its charge and composition as provided by the *Bylaws*, Part D.3.

This proposed set of revisions more accurately reflects the activities of AD. Specifically, it adds the 2010 amendment that requires AD to review the recorded communications with third-party entities related to Admissions, and emphasizes the committee’s role in ensuring ethical policies and practices are present in all Admissions activities.

Further, AD recommends adding representation from the Office of Minority Affairs, given the projected decreased enrollment of underrepresented minorities due to decreased number of high school graduates in the state of Illinois, as well as outmigration.

**RECOMMENDATION**

The Senate Committee on University Statutes and Senate Procedures recommends the approval of the following revisions to the *Bylaws*. Text to be deleted is ~~struck through~~ and text to be added is underlined. Adoption of amendments to the *Bylaws* requires a two-thirds vote of the Senate.

**REVISION TO THE BYLAWS, PART D.3 – Committee on Admissions**

- 1      a. Duties
- 2            The Committee shall:
- 3            1. Consider matters of policy concerning campus standards and procedures for
- 4            admission of students ~~from secondary schools and higher institutions~~, and make
- 5            reports and recommendations to the Associate Provost for Enrollment Management
- 6            and the Senate;
- 7            2. ~~Advise the Associate Provost for Enrollment Management and review administrative~~
- 8            ~~actions on student petitions~~ Review outcomes of student-athlete admissions

9                    decisions, third-party communications, and decisions regarding student petitions to  
10                    ensure ethical standards are maintained in procedures for admission.

11            b. Membership

12            The Committee shall consist of:

- 13            1. Two faculty members from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and one faculty  
14            member from each other college, ~~except that the Graduate College shall be~~  
15            ~~represented by the Dean of the college or the Dean's designee (*ex officio*);~~
- 16            2. One academic professional member;
- 17            3. Four student members, not more than one of whom may be a graduate or  
18            professional student;
- 19            4. The Associate Provost for Enrollment Management or the Associate Provost's  
20            designee (*ex officio*); ~~and~~
- 21            5. A member of the Council of Undergraduate Deans (*ex officio*), selected by that  
22            committee;
- 23            6. The Director of the Office of Minority Student Affairs or the Director's designee (*ex*  
24            *officio*); and
- 25            7. The Dean of the Graduate College or the Dean's designee (*ex officio*).

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