

GENERAL CHARGE FOR STANDING SENATE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEES

Standing committees are established by Senate Assembly as mandated in Section 4.06 of the Regents' Bylaws. In collaboration with the Faculty Senate Office and SACUA, standing committees advise and consult with the vice presidents of the university on matters within the areas of their respective responsibilities. Senate Assembly standing committees are charged with bringing faculty voice and perspective to a broad range of university activities including policy and procedure. Senate Assembly standing committees shall strive to provide advice and consultation to their respective vice presidents in a timely fashion so that faculty perspectives are considered during the decision-making process.

General Counsel's Advisory Committee (GCAC)

Advisory to: Timothy Lynch, Vice President and General Counsel

Committee Chair: Lori Tschirhart, University Library

SPECIFIC CHARGE – 2021 – 2022

1. Free speech issues, legal protections.
2. Academic integrity in the virtual environment, protection of intellectual output.
3. Implementation of the Equity, Civil Rights and Title IX Office (ECRT) and related items.
4. Sexual and Gender-Based Misconduct Umbrella Policy.
5. Legal liability issues related to health and safety during COVID-19.