



GENERAL CHARGE FOR SPECIAL SENATE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEES

Special committees are established by Senate Assembly as authorized in Section 4.06 of the Regents' Bylaws. In collaboration with the Faculty Senate Office and SACUA, special committees assist Senate Assembly with its work. Senate Assembly special committees are charged with bringing faculty voice and perspective to a broad range of university activities including policy and procedure.

Committee on Anti-Racism (CAR)

Committee Chair: Mark Allison, UM-Flint, College of Innovation and Technology

SPECIFIC CHARGE 2023 – 2024

1. In collaboration with the ECRT and the Faculty Senate Office, form and train a network of faculty peers to offer informal support for other faculty facing challenges due to race, caste, or ethnicity.
2. Review current challenges to teaching about race and America's history of systematic racism, and offer recommendations to help support U-M faculty who do so.
3. In collaboration with the ECRT and a planning committee to be created by SACUA, offer feedback on plans for an annual report on racial misconduct targeted for ECRT release in the winter term.
4. Consider emergent issues or topics brought forward by CAR committee members for discussion over the course of the year. While coordinating with the Faculty Senate Office to help avoid duplicating work that SACUA has now referred to itself or to another committee, the committee may also continue discussing any issues or topics raised in the committee's most recent annual committee report.