D. Curriculum Committee (appointed)

1) Functions:

   a) To consider matters of the curriculum.

   b) To initiate and review curricular innovations.

   c) To consider matters of library facilities and the maintenance of instructional materials.

   d) To make curricular recommendations to the faculty for action.

   e) To consider, formulate, and recommend policies and practices to the faculty and the administration affecting student recruitment and admission.

   f) To consider, formulate, and recommend policies and practices to the faculty and the administration affecting academic dismissals, readmissions, and student financial assistance.

   g) To assist the VPAA in administering the academic Program.

   h) To review and acknowledge department five-year periodic reviews with attention to curricular implications.

   i) To recommend the approval of academic calendars for subsequent academic years, with the participation of appropriate cabinet members.
D. UNDERGRADUATE Curriculum Committee (appointed)

1) Functions:

   a) To consider ALL matters of the UNDERGRADUATE curriculum, INCLUDING ALL PROGRAMS INVOLVING UNDERGRADUATE PARTICIPATION.

   b) To initiate and review curricular innovations THAT HAVE AN IMPACT ON THE UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM.

   c) To consider matters of library RESOURCES AND OTHER RESOURCES PERTAINING TO THE DELIVERY OF THE UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC PROGRAM

   d) To make UNDERGRADUATE curricular recommendations to the faculty for action.

   e) To consider, formulate, and recommend policies and practices to the faculty and the administration affecting UNDERGRADUATE student recruitment and admission.

   f) To consider, formulate, and recommend policies and practices to the faculty and the administration affecting academic dismissals, readmissions, and student financial assistance TO UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS.

   g) To assist the VPAA in administering the UNDERGRADUATE academic program.

   h) To review and consider curricular implications of UNDERGRADUATE program reviews.

   i) To recommend the approval of ALL academic calendars RELATED TO THE UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM AS ADMINISTERED THROUGH ACADEMIC AFFAIRS for subsequent academic years, with the participation of appropriate cabinet members.
Interdisciplinary Committee Functions (APAP 420.2M)

Current language

M. Interdisciplinary Studies Committee (appointed)

1) Functions:

   a) Review proposals for new interdisciplinary courses or degree programs as well as changes to existing courses and programs.

   b) Provide a parallel to the advisory and review process that presently occurs within departments.

   c) Advise the initiating individual(s) as to what additional consultations and/or approvals (e.g., divisions, departments, individuals) would be necessary in order to prepare adequately the proposal for review by the Curriculum Committee.

   d) Review student proposals for Self-designed Interdisciplinary Majors and proffer suggestions to the initiating individual and their faculty advisors as needed.

2) Membership:

   a) One faculty member from each of the academic divisions of the College.

   b) Two of the members shall be advisors of existing interdisciplinary programs; two of the members shall not.

   c) Two students appointed by the Student Senate.

   d) The Associate Academic Dean shall serve as an ex officio member.
Proposed Changes to Interdisciplinary Committee Functions for the APAP 420.2M

Functions:

a) To review proposals for new interdisciplinary courses or degree programs as well as changes to existing courses and programs. This review process will parallel and precede the final review performed by the Curriculum Committee and include both new and existing courses and programs.

b) To advise proposers as to which consultations or approvals are necessary and provide recommendations along with an assessment of the academic merit and program appropriateness, to the proposer to help with preparation for review by Curriculum Committee.

c) To forward the recommendations along with an assessment of the academic merit and program appropriateness to the proposer, to the Curriculum Committee, and relevant Division Coordinators.

d) To review student proposals for Self-designed Interdisciplinary Majors and proffer suggestions to the initiating individual and their faculty advisors as needed.

Membership

a) One faculty member from each of the academic divisions of the University.

b) Two of the members shall be advisors of existing interdisciplinary programs; two of the members shall not.

c) Two students appointed by the Student Senate.

d) The VPAA or a representative from Academic Affairs shall serve as an ex officio member.