

All Faculty Meeting

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

Faculty Senate

April 13, 2011

Putting our Best Foot Forward: Refreshing Shared Governance at SIUE

- 9:30 to 9:45 am: Refreshments
- 9:45 to 10:00 am: Welcome and opening remarks by Faculty Senate President Jonathan Pettibone on the roles and responsibility of faculty in shared governance
- 10:00 to 10:15 am: Provost Ferguson on Importance of Shared Governance to the mission of the university
- 10:15 to 10:30 am: A brief “orientation” to the current Senate structure and the activity of the Senate for the 2010/2011 academic year
- 10:30 to 11:00 am: Keynote: E. Duff Wrobbel and Members of the Shared Governance Task Force on defining the principles of Shared Governance at SIUE and the impetus for change in the Senate
- 11:00 to Noon: Panel discussion with Faculty, current senate officers, and administration on improving communication and transparency between faculty, administration, and the Senate

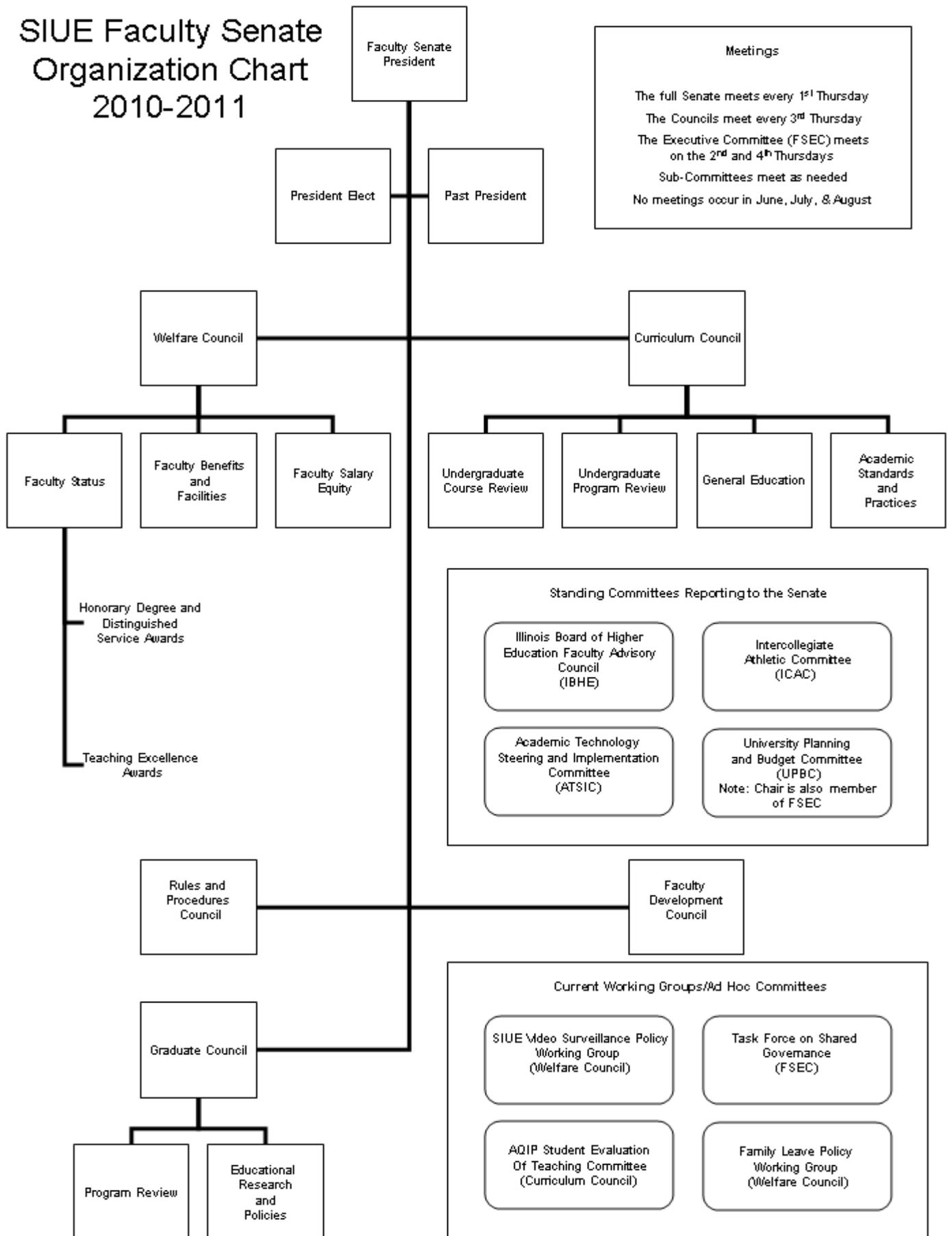
2010-2011 Faculty Senate Executive Committee

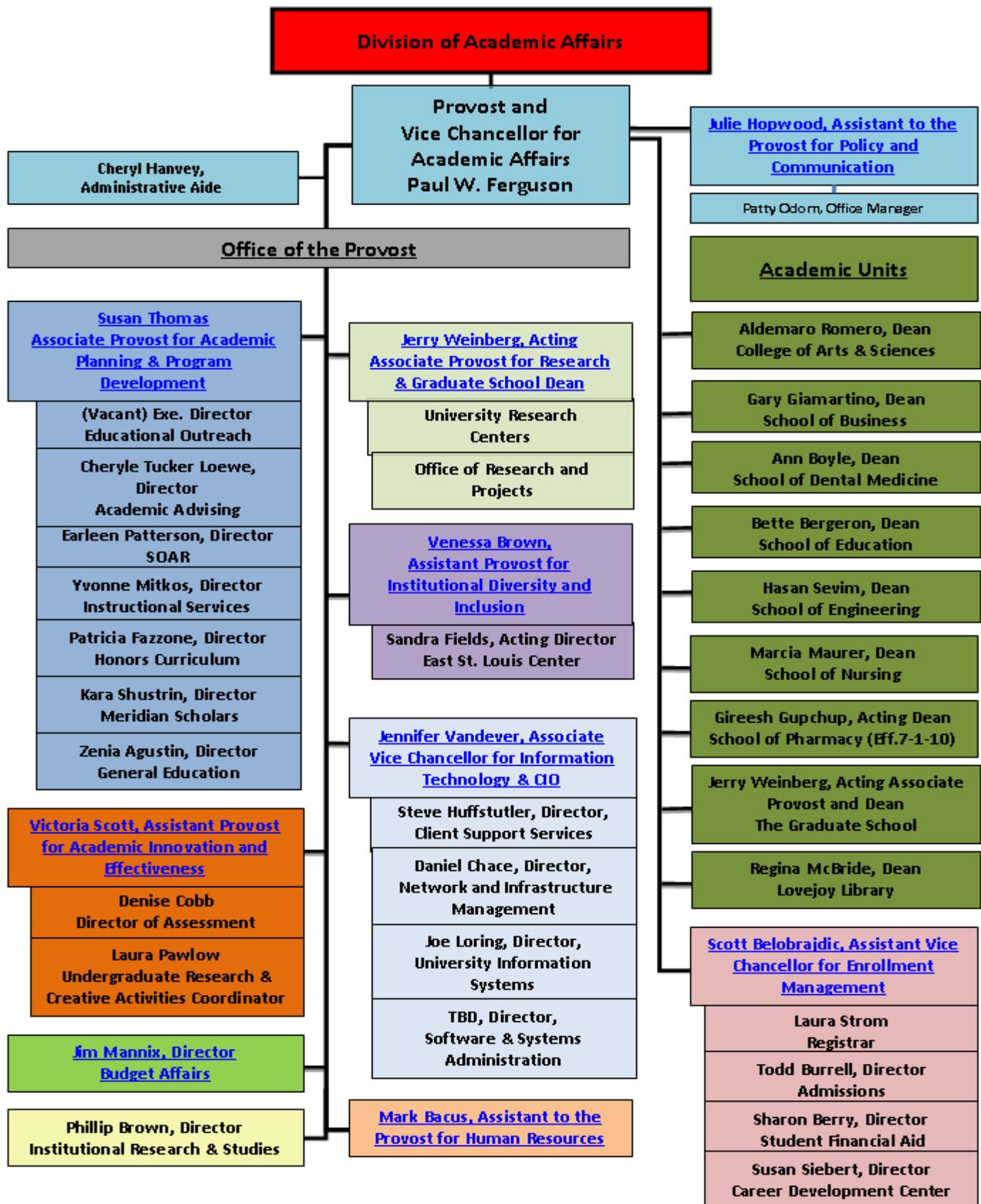
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SIUE Faculty Senate Organization Chart 2010-2011





Functions of Faculty Senate Councils

Curriculum Council

The Curriculum Council is responsible to the Faculty Senate for formulating and recommending policy on undergraduate curriculum (instructional programs; courses of study; definitions of certificates, diplomas, degrees, student entrance, retention and exit), for formulating and reviewing undergraduate curricular policy proposals, for reviewing the administration of all undergraduate curricular matters, and for conducting undergraduate program reviews.

"Undergraduate" shall be defined as including both dental and continuing education.

Faculty Development Council

- A. To work with the Office of the Provost to develop and promote programs relating to faculty roles and responsibilities in the areas of teaching, scholarship, and service, such as the Fall Faculty Symposium, Scholarship of Teaching and Learning initiatives, and Faculty conversations.
- B. To serve as liaison to SIUE faculty to identify faculty development interests.
- C. To coordinate the dissemination of information of campus, state, and national initiatives concerning faculty roles and responsibilities.
- D. To encourage broad faculty involvement and open discussion within departments regarding faculty roles and responsibilities and coordinate these activities at college, school and university levels.
- E. To provide for the oversight of the Excellence in Undergraduate Education Program (EUE).
- F. To work in conjunction with the EUE Coordinator to develop program guidelines and review procedures, to conduct a periodic assessment of the EUE Program, and to advise the EUE Coordinator on other matters pertaining to EUE.
- G. The Committee shall also be responsible for conducting the review of EUE proposals and make recommendations to the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs on the allocation of EUE funds.

Rules and Procedures Council

The Rules and Procedures Council is charged with recommendations pertaining to structuring the Faculty Senate, specifically the reapportionment of Senate seats, seating and unseating Senators, and the election of Senate Officers; examining the academic governance of the University per se including name changes and/or the restructuring of departments and schools; liaison with internal bodies, e.g. Student Senate, University Staff Senate, etc., and external bodies, e.g. SIUC and the Board of Trustees; evaluation of the Chancellor and the Provost and Vice Chancellor; recommending possible changes in the Board Statutes to the Board of Trustees; reviewing current practices and policies in the area of academic governance and formulating guidelines for the administration and governance of all academic units.

Welfare Council

The Welfare Council shall be concerned with, but not limited to, policies pertaining to: faculty evaluation, salary, promotion, tenure, leaves of absence, recruitment, retraining, development, rights and responsibilities, general faculty benefits, discipline, severance and grievance.