A1.1 Academic Policy Committee

(1) Membership. Seventeen members as follows: eight elected Faculty members; three students; one appointed academic advisor; the Chairs, or their Faculty designees, of the Academic Program and Curriculum Committee and the Graduate Faculty Committee; the Registrar or their designee; and ex-officio: the Dean of one college appointed annually on a rotating basis by the Chancellor, and the Secretary of the University or their designee. The academic advisor is appointed by the Chancellor upon recommendation of the Academic Staff Committee. Student memberships include a student member on the Graduate Faculty Committee, an undergraduate student, and another student who is an officer of the Student Association. No more than two students or no more than three elected Faculty members may be from the same college.

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(2) <u>Functions</u>

- a) On its own initiative and/or in cooperation with other Faculty committees, represents student interests and concerns in problems of educational policy which are within the purview of the University Faculty. Educational policy includes but is not limited to, grading system, add/drop policy and the academic year calendar. (Matters of academic program and curriculum are within the jurisdiction of the Academic Program and Curriculum Committee.)
- b) Studies and makes recommendations to UWM Administration, the University Faculty or the Faculty Senate, or other appropriate Faculty committees concerning academic policy. The committee may arrange for public forums and referenda among students on matters which the committee is studying.
- c) Maintains liaison with the UWM Administration and the faculties of the colleges on matters of educational policy which are within the jurisdiction of these colleges for the purpose of consulting with them on matters which have been brought to the attention of the committee and which it has studied; and for the further purpose of proposing possible uniform standards in these matters. For the latter purpose the committee may consult with individual representatives of the colleges.
- d) Consults with the colleges, schools, and departments, their executives, and relevant committees, about problems of educational policy which have been brought to the attention of the committee. In these matters the committee shall maintain close liaison with the Academic Program and Curriculum Committee, the Graduate Faculty Committee, and the University Committee.

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