Revisions to the UCCAP Defining Document

PART 1

MARCH 19, 2021

Outline

- Background on revisions
- Five Proposals for today
  - Vote planned in April
- Additional changes under consideration in Senate
  - Changing membership

UCCAP's Work

- Revision of Defining Document over past 3 years
- Defining Document from UCCAP – January 2021
- Defining Document from Faculty Senate – February 2021
- Summary of Revisions from UCCAP and Faculty Senate

Faculty Senate's Work

- Brought concerns to faculty in Fall 2020
- Linked with work on representation
- Waited for UCCAP's revisions, received in January 2021
- Reviewed and revised those, brought proposals to Senate in February
- Discussion and voting on some proposals in March
- Additional discussion and voting in April
- Goal: complete revisions this year

First Proposal

Eliminate the Continuing Education and Lifelong Learning Committee

▶ Committee is non-active

Second Proposal

Change UCCAP Steering Group to UCCAP Advisory Group and require meetings at least once per semester.

- UCCAP Steering has not been active
- This is an attempt to fix it

Third Proposal

Eliminate the Academic Planning Advisory Committee

▶ Committee is non-active

Fourth Proposal

Change Administrative Oversight of UGEC

▶ Moving oversight from Dean of CAS to Provost since Gen-ed is university-wide

Fifth Proposal

Replacing Workflows in the Defining Document

▶ Replace 2010 charts with updated workflows

▶ Workflows will follow the DD and be reviewed by the Senate

What else is coming?

Proposed changes to membership (still under discussion in Senate)

- UCCAP:
  - Replace one A&S rep with four divisional A&S reps
    - Current TT Faculty: 128 in CAS, 33 in SoBA, 21 in SoM and 6 in Library
  - Make library rep a full voting member
    - Argument: the library is relevant for all curriculum
  - Add two graduate reps
    - Graduate curriculum committees asked for reps. Stetson does not separate Graduate Faculty
  - Change eligibility so contingent faculty may serve
    - Motivation is to allow PoPs to serve, but without a robust termination policy that is against AAUP guidelines
- UGEC:
  - Make library rep a full voting member