Faculty Affairs I Committee:

Chair: K. C. Poole

Members:

* Lanette Grate
* Rahul Mehta
* Kim Eskola
* Clayton Crockett
* Shoudong Feng
* Part Time Elected Rep

Charge:

Investigate the policies and practices related to part-time faculty employment to teach academic classes at UCA. The investigation should address the following questions:

* Are policies and implementation consistent across colleges and departments?
* Is compensation consistent with adopted policies? To what extent is compensation competitive with other similar institutions within the state and region?
* Identify options for UCA benefits such as insurance, retirement, etc.
* Make recommendations consistent with findings.

Faculty Affairs II Committee

Chair: Brian Bolter

Members:

* Doug Isanhart
* Garry Craig Powell
* Jim Downey
* Phillip Spivey
* Alexandra Marshall
* Debbie Bratton

Charge:

Investigate policy and practice related to student retention, admission to the university and graduation rate. The extent to which these policies are interdependent and inform the overall student retention rate become a critical driver of the overall health of the university. The work of this committee will want to interface with other campus groups who are charged with addressing these issues. The Committee should bring recommendations to the Senate.

Academic Affairs Committee

Chair: Chris Craun

Members:

* Jud Copeland
* Melissa Shock
* Kaye McKinzie
* Art Lichtenstein
* Christian Carichner

Charge:

Investigate the practices/policies for offering on-line (distance learning) courses as part of the UCA curriculum. Attention should be given to use of technology, availability and viability of technology support from the Instructional Technology Division, tuition and fees, faculty concerns such as course load with on-line courses, grading, security of exams and assignments, enrollment minimum or maximum, and disbursement of revenue generated by on-line tuition. The Committee should make recommendations for creation of policies relating to the above.