RESOLUTION
Faculty Affairs I
Education Seminars Conducted Through the Office of University Training/Instructional Development Center

WHEREAS, the number of education seminars which members of the UCA faculty are required to attend has risen; and

WHEREAS, there has been a lack of clarity regarding the purposes of these education seminars and the purpose or purposes of attendance registration; and

WHEREAS, research into these matters by the Faculty Senate suggests that accreditation and liability issues are the purposes; and

WHEREAS, there is growing concern among faculty members regarding these aforementioned education seminars; and

WHEREAS, there has not been a clear distinction between the roles of the Instructional Development Center and the Office of University Training; be it therefore

RESOLVED, that in the future the purpose or purposes of any required faculty education seminar be clearly stated either in advance or at the beginning of such a seminar, and that it be further

RESOLVED, that the planners of such education seminars consider other communication avenues so as to be sure that education seminars are the best vehicle for accomplishing the stated purposes, and that it be further

RESOLVED, that the mandatory aspect, including the use of sign-in sheets, be clearly explained, and that it be further

RESOLVED, that a clear distinction be made between the missions and activities of the Office of University Training and the Instructional Development Center.