COMMITTEE ON RULES AND JURISDICTION
UPDATED ANNUAL REPORT TO THE RIVERSIDE DIVISION
December 2, 2014

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The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction conducted its work via email and telephone. Following is a summary of Committee activities from May 1, 2014 to August 31, 2014.

In keeping with the charge to review legislation submitted for adoption, the Committee considered the Regulations, Bylaws, and Policies below:

- The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction considered the proposed bylaw change for the Graduate School of Education and found the wording to be consistent with the code of the Academic Senate. At the same time, it found the underlined text in E4.2 to suggest that Extension is one of the credential programs, which seems unlikely. The Committee suggested the language be amended so extension representative is additional to the credential program representatives.

- The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction considered the proposed bylaw change for the School of Business Administration and found the wording to be consistent with the code of the Academic Senate.

- The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction considered the campus policy review of the request to use a working title for the Lecturer with Security of Employment Series. The Committee found the proposed use of the terms ‘Teaching Professor’ etc. to be consistent with Senate rules and bylaws. At the same time, it found the proposed use awkward and possibly misleading, and recommended that the University consider instead adopting other possible terms such as 'docent' or 'Senate lecturer'.

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