

Student Activities Committee 2015-2016 Annual Report

Members of the committee:

Cathy Carpenter (Faculty, Library)

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Kelly Cross (Student Affairs)

John Stein (VPSA)

Chair: Lewis Wheaton (Faculty; Biological Sciences)

Meetings:

The committee met 7 times in person during the 2015-2016 Academic Year

October 1, 15; November 5; January 29; February 19; March 4; April 22

Summary:

The goal of the Student Activities Committee (SAC) is to consider for approval all charters of student organizations recommended by SGA and consider any proposed changes in any Constitution of the Student Body, and make appropriate recommendations to the Academic Faculty.

The initial meeting of the Student Activities Committee meeting identified 38 student groups that were interested in chartering. Two (2) groups were approved that had completed their applications over the summer. Over the course of the academic year, 41 Constitutions were reviewed for approval, and several were reviewed requiring modifications before continuing in the chartering process.

At our final meeting, we reviewed the SGA Budget as presented by Decker Onken (SGA), which was unanimously approved. We also reviewed a new chartering process to facilitate student leaders, and online portal for student organizations that helps inform students of the existence of organizations and their events.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lewis Wheaton, Chair

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