

## 3344-15-03 University research council.

- (A) The university research council shall consist of:
  - Fifteen faculty or staff members eligible under paragraph
    (B) of this rule, two from each of the seven academic colleges and one from the school of nursing. Eligible faculty and staff members shall be nominated by the deans of their respective colleges and submitted to the vice president for research.
  - (2) A representative elected annually by the graduate faculty during regular elections to serve as a member of, and liaison to, the university research council.
  - (3) The director of sponsored programs and research services.
- (B) Eligible faculty and staff:

To be considered eligible for appointment to the university research council, nominees must be well-recognized, active scholars as indicated by external funding, nationally recognized scholarly activity, or other appropriate indicators; be able and willing to attend meetings on a regular basis and actively participate in the deliberations and activities of the university research council.

- (C) The university research council shall be charged with the following responsibilities:
  - (1) Research policies. Review and report to the faculty, deans, and the provost on all proposals for new policies or programs designed to enhance research productivity and success.
  - (2) Internal funding programs. Review and recommend changes to the vice president for research on internal funding programs for research. The university research council will also be requested to participate in reviewing proposals for internal competitions, ranking the proposals

and forwarding recommendations for funding to the vice president for research.

- (3) Bylaws of the university research council. The university research council shall develop bylaws and procedures.
- (4) Committees. Appointment and discharge of such committees as deemed appropriate. These committees may include members outside the council, including external to the university, as appropriate.

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