University Senate Reports and Resolutions

(As of June 22, 2007. In chronological order, most recent first, since February 1998.)

- **Response to Charge S-0414, Student Fees** - Budget and Finance Committee - April 2007
- **Response to Charge S-0602, Course-Textbook Reserve Requirement** - Instruction, Curricula and Advising Committee - April 2007
- **Response to Charge S-0604, Shared Governance** - University Structure and Governance Committee - April 2007
- **Response to Charge S-0702 (formerly S-0406), Tolerance and Sensitivity** - Student Affairs Committee and Equal Opportunity Committee - April 2007
- **Response to Charge S-0415, Faculty Retirement Incentives** - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - March 2007
- **Response to Charge S-0608, Merger Proposals** - University Structure and Governance Committee - March 2007
- **Partial Response to Charge S-0603, Senate Membership, New Brunswick** - University Structure and Governance Committee - February 2007
- **Report and Recommendations in Response to Charge S-0606, Targum** - Student Affairs Committee - January 2007 (Report for Information Only; No vote, No action taken.)
- **Report and Recommendations on Charge S-0502, Status of full-time, Non-tenure-track, Non-clinical Faculty** - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - December 2006 [President's Response]
- **Response to Charge S-0411, Content of Student Transcripts** - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - October 2006 (No action taken, No changes to the status quo were recommended)
- **Response to Charge S-0313, Availability of Syllabi during Add/Drop** - Instruction Curricula and Advising Committee - October 2006 [President's Response]
- **Report on Addition of Plus/Minus Grades to Default Grading System** - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - April 2006 (Report for Information Only; No action taken.)
- **Report and Resolution in Response to Charge A-0601, Proposal for Establishment of a School of Public Affairs and Administration at Rutgers-Newark** - April 2006 [President's Response]
- **Recommendations in Response to Task Force on Undergraduate Education Report** - Executive Committee, for the University Senate - February 2006 - President McCormick's February 1, 2006 e-mail to the Rutgers Community regarding "Update on Undergraduate Education Report" - Text of President McCormick's March 7, 2006 E-mail to the Rutgers-New Brunswick/Piscataway Community regarding "President's Recommendations for Transforming Undergraduate Education"
- **Status Report and Resolution in Response to Charge S-0413, FAIR v. Rumsfeld Appeal** - Equal
Opportunity Committee - October 2005 [President's Response]

- Response to Charge A-0312, Endorsement of Draft University Copyright Policy - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - October 2005 [President's Response]

- Response to Charge S-0401, Faculty and Student Board of Governors Membership - University Structure and Governance Committee - October 2005

- Response to Charge S-0407, Faculty Reporting Processes - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - October 2005

- Response to Charge S-0318, Use of Course Management Systems - Instruction, Curricula and Advising Committee - September 2005 [President's Response]

- Resolution: Support for Chair of the University Senate - University Structure and Governance Committee - September 2005 [President's Response]

- Senate Bylaws Review (Part 2, Senate Handbook) - University Structure and Governance Committee - April 2005

- Report on the Proposals to make the Clinical Track available to the Graduate School of Applied and Professional Psychology, and to establish a new track of Professional Practice Faculty in Both Business Schools and the Mason Gross School of the Arts - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - April 2005 [President's Response]

- Faculty Role in Undergraduate Student Recruitment and Admissions - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - April 2005

- Report on Possible Conflict of Interest in Assignment of Textbooks - Instruction, Curricula and Advising Committee - March 2005 [President's Response]

- Academic Calendar, Commencement Dates - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - March 2005

- Modification of University Calendar for Academic Year 2009-2010 - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - March 2005

- Senate Bylaws Review, and Election Procedures for At-Large and PTL/Annual Appointee Senators - University Structure and Governance Committee - February 2005

- Report on E-mail Privacy - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - November 2004 [President's Response]

- Report/Recommendations on Faculty Departmental Voting Rights - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - November 2004 [President's response]

- Mid-Semester Course Assessment - Instruction, Curricula and Advising Committee - April 2004 [President's Response]


- Academic Calendar Change, 2005 Commencement Date - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - April 2004 [President's Response]

- Resolutions Concerning Educational Priorities - University Structure and Governance Committee - April 2004 [President's Response]
- Resolution on Medium, April 22, 2004 Edition - Full Senate - April 2004 [President's Response]
- Knight Express Card Report Review - Student Affairs Committee - March 2004 [President's Response]
- Winter Session Review - Instruction, Curricula and Advising Committee - March 2004 [President's Response]
- Evaluation of Administrators, Review - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - March 2004 [President's Response]
- Recommendations on Honor Cords Worn with Academic Regalia - Student Affairs Committee - February 2004
- Report and Recommendations on Use of Electronic Applications for Admission - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - February 2004 [President's Response]
- Endorsement of the Coalition on Intercollegiate Athletics (COIA) Framework - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - February 2004 [President's Response]
- Report on Governance of the Proposed Research University System - University Structure and Governance Committee - November 2003 [President's Response]
- Contract with the Governor on Higher Education - University Structure and Governance Committee - October 2003 [President's Response]
- Procedures for Chair Appointments by Deans - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - October 2003 [President's Response]
- Status Report Minus Grades and Graduate Add/Drop Period - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - May 2003
- Textbook Buyback - Student Affairs Committee - May 2003 [President's Response]
- Student Advising - Instruction, Curricula and Advising Committee - May 2003 [President's Response]
- Resolution in Appreciation of Student Participation in March 6, 2003 Trenton Rally Protesting Proposed State Budget Cuts - Executive Committee - March 2003 [President's Response]
- Use of Athletic Facilities for Non-Athletic Events - Student Affairs Committee - March 2003 [President's Response]
- Status of Affirmative Action - Equal Opportunity Committee - March 2003 [President's Response]
- Report and Resolution in Opposition to Proposed and Continued Budget Cuts, and in Support of Excellence in Higher Education in New Jersey- Executive Committee - February 2003 [President's Response]
- Report and Resolution on the Status of Hispanic and Latino Faculty and Administrators - Equal Opportunity Committee - February 2003 [President's Response]
- Initial Response to the Report of the New Jersey Commission on Health Science, Education, and Training - Executive Committee and University Structure and Governance Committee - November 2002 [Board of Governors' Response]
- Student Advising Services - Instruction, Curricula, and Advising Committee - November 2002 (Referred back to Committee)
- Resolution in Appreciation of President Lawrence - Executive Committee - October 2002 [President's Response]
- Best Practices in Assessment of Teaching - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - May 2002 [President's Response] [President McCormick's Follow-Up Response]
- Add/Drop Period Review - Academic Standards, Regulations, and Admissions Committee - April 2002
- College of Applied and Professional Studies - University Structure and Governance Committee - March 2002
- Parking and Transportation Services - Student Affairs Committee - March 2002
- State of New Jersey's Smoking Cessation Program - Student Affairs Committee - March 2002
- Tuition Increases - Budget and Personnel Committee - January 2002
- Healthcare Insurance for Graduate Students - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - December 2001 [President's Response]
- New Jersey National Guard Tuition-Remission Program - Executive Committee - November 2001
- Equal Marriage Resolution - Equal Opportunity Committee - November 2001
- Committee to Advance Our Common Purposes Curriculum Task Force Report Review - Instruction, Curricula and Advising Committee and Equal Opportunity Committee - May 2001
- Minimum Grade Point Average - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - April 2001 [President's Response]
- Part-Time Lecturers Representation in the Senate - University Structure and Governance Committee - April 2001 [President's Response]
- Review of Add/Drop Trial Change, and Recommendations on Permanent Change - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - April 2001
- Enrollment, and Quality of Life and Education at Rutgers - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee, with Input from Student Affairs Committee - April 2001
- Evaluation of Administrators by Faculty and Students - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - April 2001 [President's and University Vice President for Academic Affairs' Responses]
- Plus and Minus Grades, Law School-Camden - Academic Standards, Regulations and Admissions Committee - March 2001
● Posting Student Instructional Rating Data to the Web - Instruction, Curricula, and Advising Committee - March 2001 [President's Response]

● FASIP Awards, Making Public the Recipients and Amounts of - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - March 2001 [University Vice President for Academic Affairs' Response] [President McCormick's Follow-Up Response]

● Teaching-Assistant Training - Instruction, Curricula and Advising Committee - February 2001 [President's Response]

● Workplace Violence Policy - Faculty Affairs and Personnel Committee - February 2001 [President's Response]

● Fee Structure for Full-Time University College Students - Budget Committee - January 2001 [President's Response]

● Health Benefits for Same-Sex Domestic Partners of Rutgers Employees and Retirees - Equal Opportunity Committee - January 2001 [President's Response]

● Parental Notification Policy - Student Affairs Committee - December 2000 [President's Response]

● Resolution to Change the (Add/Drop) Registration Period on a Trial Basis - Executive Committee - November 2000 [President's Response]

● Student Financial Management and Credit-Card Debt - Student Affairs Committee and Executive Committee - October 2000 [President's Response]

● Social Security Numbers as Student Identification Numbers - Executive Committee and Student Affairs Committee - October 2000 [President's Response]

● Winter Session - Educational Planning and Policy Committee - October 2000 [President's Response]

● Access to Majors - Educational Policy and Planning Committee - April 2000

● Credit-Card Debt - Student Affairs Committee - April 2000 [President's Response]

● TZ Grade - Educational Policy and Planning Committee - March 2000 [President's Response]

● School of Business - Educational Policy and Planning Committee - March 2000 [President's Response]

● University Senate Committee Structure Revision - Committee on University Governance, and Role, Composition and Function of the Senate - March 2000

● Senate Revitalization Recommendations - Ad Hoc Senate Revitalization Committee, and Committee on University Governance, and Role, Composition and Function of the Senate - March 2000 [President's Response]

● Alcohol Policy - Student Affairs Committee - November 1999 [Acting Vice President for Student Affairs' Update on Implementation]

● Asian Cultural Center - Equal Opportunity Committee - May 1999 [President's Response]

● Federally Mandated Discrimination Based on Sexual Orientation in ROTC Programs - Equal Opportunity Committee - February 1998 [President's Response]