

Proposed Senate Committee

University Writing Committee

The committee shall work with the Office of University Writing to develop common principles and guidelines for incorporating intentional and significant writing experiences into every major. The committee will regularly review how programs provide writing instruction beyond the core curriculum and how they assess writing relevant to their discipline and forward their recommendations regarding any new courses or changes in curriculum to the University Curriculum Committee for final approval. In addition, the committee will analyze assessment data on writing, and make recommendations to departments, the Office of University Writing, and the University Senate as appropriate.

Membership:

Faculty: One faculty member from each college or school

 One representative from the faculty of the University Libraries

Students: One undergraduate student

 One graduate student

Continuing/Ex-officio, non-voting:

Director of University Writing

Director of the Miller Writing Center

Director of First-year Composition

Office of Institutional Research and Assessment

Representative or designee from the University Curriculum Committee