

Admissions & Financial Aid Committee:

Nov 2012: Keith requested information concerning the Admission & Financial Aid Committee

-- Last end-of-the-year report = May 2009 – from Aimee Beckmann-Collier

A scanned copy is attached

--I have listed below the most recent actions by Senate concerning the committee charge and description

2009-10 - the description was changed to: “The Committee reviews the admissions and financial aid policies and practices of the University. It shall recommend change in these policies and practices when, in the Committee's judgment, such change is appropriate. The committee’s broad-based membership shall consist of six members of the Faculty of Instruction appointed to two-year terms, three students appointed by the Student Senate, the Vice President of Admission and Financial Aid, the Director of Admission, the Director of Student Financial Planning, the Dean of Students, and one member representing the Council of Associate/Assistant Deans. The Chair is appointed by the Executive Committee from among the faculty members.”

2007-08 - The current description was: “The Committee monitors and coordinates the admissions and financial aid policies of the University. It shall act on exceptions to and recommend change in these policies when in the Committee's judgment such change is appropriate. The membership shall consist of the Provost, Dean of Students, Director of Admission or delegate, the Assistant Vice President of Student Financial Planning or delegate, two members representing Deans, Associate/Assistant Deans, six members of the Faculty of Instruction, and three students appointed to two-year terms. The Chair is appointed by the Executive Committee from among the faculty members.”

A portion of the January 2008 minutes: The Faculty Senate believed the description was out of date because some of the new positions, that were created, were not included in the membership and they felt the positions should be included. Also, the committee itself was questioned on whether it is up to date. The committee members felt that it should not be abolished but that the charge be reviewed to make it more realistic with the current climate of Drake.

Sept 2005 – membership wording was changed.