

SENATE COMMITTEE ON APPEALS

The Senate Committee on Appeals Policy (the "Policy") and related Procedures (the "Procedures") provide guidance to those individuals charged with determining appeals from decisions of Faculty/School Councils or their Appeal Bodies, of Professional Unsuitability Committees, of Faculty/School Award Selection Committees and of the Comité d'appels de l'Université de Saint-Boniface upon application by Appellants, except those pertaining to decisions on admission, tuition, disciplinary matter or human rights issues.

Terms of Reference:

There shall be a Senate Committee on Appeals:

- a) from which Panels shall be established to hear appeals as set out in the Procedures;
- b) that shall make decisions on appealable matters that shall be final and binding;
- c) that shall review the Policy and Procedures periodically and, if necessary, recommend changes.

Composition:

- 1. One (1) member holding academic appointment in the University appointed Chair for a three (3) year term by the Senate Executive Committee
- 2. Two (2) members of the Committee, from those academic members appointed by Senate, to be appointed as Vice-Chairs by the Senate Executive Committee for a three (3) year term. The Vice-Chairs shall not be from the same Faculty or School as either the Chair or each other
- 3. Three (3) members from amongst Deans of Faculties or Colleges and Directors of Schools appointed by the President (considered academic members for the purpose of the Policy and Procedures)
- 4. Five (5) members of Senate, holding academic appointments in the University, nominated by the Senate Committee on Nominations and appointed by Senate
- 5. Six (6) members holding academic appointments in the University, nominated by the Senate Committee on Nominations and appointed by Senate
- 6. The President of UMSU (or designate)
- 7. Four (4) undergraduate students from different Faculties or Schools, and two (2) graduate students nominated by the Senate Committee on Nominations and appointed by Senate
- 8. One (1) academic member appointed by Université de Saint-Boniface and one (1) student appointed by Université de Saint-Boniface

The Senate Committee on Appeals acts in accordance with the established Policy and Procedures.