

CHARTER

UNIVERSITY GOVERNANCE AND OPERATIONS COMMITTEE of the Arizona Board of Regents

A. Purpose

- 1. Advance university academic quality and student success.
- 2. Advance university operational efficiency, cost management, and financial sustainability.

B. Organization

The University Governance and Operations Committee is a standing committee of the board consisting of regents appointed by the board chair. The board chair will designate one regent to chair the committee.

C. Meetings

- 1. The committee will hold a minimum of five meetings each academic year.
- 2. Additional meetings may be scheduled as needed.

D. Committee Responsibilities

The committee provides oversight and direction on:

- 1. Academic quality, academic programs, including General Education programs, university academic organizations and campus locations
- 2. University accreditation and federal compliance
- 3. Student affordability, accessibility, and student cost to attend an Arizona public university
- 4. Intercollegiate athletics
- 5. Student safety, satisfaction, and educational experience
- 6. University student recruitment and admissions, including community college transfer articulation
- 7. University budgets and finances
- 8. Tuition, fees and other revenues
- 9. Capital planning, projects and debt
- 10. Real estate leases, acquisitions, sales, and development
- 11. University affiliated entities and foundations
- 12. Information technology planning and projects
- 13. University medical education, health affairs and sciences
- 14. University technology transfer, commercialization, and operations
- 15. University research activities and research parks
- 16. University use and expenditure of Technology Research and Initiative Funds, and
- 17. Government and community relations.