

WKU Faculty Senate: April 21, 2022

Senate Recommendation 2022-04-21 Faculty Handbook Revision Language Head to Chair

Faculty Senate Chair

Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Proposal to Amend WKU Faculty Handbook

Editorial revisions include updates to the organizational structure, web addresses and names/titles, as well as other similar non-substantive changes.

Section(s) to be amended: ALL

Corresponding page number(s): ALL

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1. Type of Change:

Editorial (non-substantive)

Substantive

Editorial revisions include updates to the organizational structure, web addresses and names/titles, as well as other similar non-substantive changes.

Addition: Where possible, identify the section of the handbook to which addition is proposed:

Deletion: Identify the section of the handbook from which deletion is proposed:

Revision: Identify the section of the handbook to which revision is proposed: ALL

2. Proposals should be made in the form of text intended as an addition to or a replacement of, in whole or in part, some current section of the Faculty Handbook.

Current: Reference to “Department Head” throughout Handbook.

Revision: Substitute “Department Chair” for “Department Head” references throughout Handbook.

Rationale for amendment: University is removing reference to “Department Head” in all policy and practice.