

**STUDENT RELATIONS COMMITTEE  
ANNUAL REPORT – 2013/2014  
TCU FACULTY SENATE**

STANDING CHARGES:

1. Represent the Faculty Senate on matters involving student concerns.
  - Worked with student leaders to jointly support QPR (Question—Persuade—Refer) initiative, including possible joint SGA-FS training sessions.
  - Also met with students in the Neeley Next Generation leadership program who are working on an independent program to increase suicide awareness.
  - Voted to endorse the establishment of two new language houses that will be closely tied to academic programs.
  - Voted to refer to AEC with SRC endorsement a student-initiated request to push back the Pass/No Credit deadline.
2. Meet with the officers of the Student Government Association and Student House of Representatives at least annually in order to monitor issues of concern to the student community of the University.
  - Met with SGA officers on multiple occasions during the fall semester to discuss their plans for the semester and how FS-SRC and faculty in general could assist them in achieving their goals.
3. Have committee representative(s) attend scheduled Student Government meetings when possible.
  - Members of the SRC were scheduled to attend all of the SGA House of Representatives meetings and filed reports to the SRC as a whole.
4. Seek information from Student Affairs and share with FS; provide FS feedbacks.
  - Met with Kathy Cavins-Tull to discuss Student Affairs activities and initiatives, in general, and how to improve students' academic success.
5. Review strategies to maintain effective student participation on University committees.
  - Conducted preliminary discussion with SGA officers.

SPECIFIC CHARGE:

- A. Explore whether and to what extent subsets of student populations feel excluded from important aspects of university life.

- It was determined that this charge was closely aligned with the QPR initiative and, upon meeting with Cathy Cavins-Tull and SGA officers, it was decided that the underlying issue was already being appropriately addressed.

COMMITTEE INITIATED CHARGE/PROGRAM: (Spring)

- “Lunch with a teacher” program currently being implemented with widespread student and committee support. Budget is approved and funded via Office of the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs and SGA resolution has passed in support of the program. Will launch in fall 2014.

Submitted by Ted Legatski, SRC Chair for Fall 2013

Amended by Johnny Nhan, SRC Chair for Spring 2014