Updated Proposal 9

Article V SECTION 5.5: MEMBERS Part A. Representation of Faculty and Librarian Units subpart 1. Faculty and Librarian Election Units; Qualifications of Representatives

Add

One or more election units shall be established for each of the following faculty groups: clinical appointees; lecturer appointees; professor of practice appointees; and research scientist/scholar appointees. Election units shall be proposed by the Bloomington Faculty Council Nomination Committee in recognition of the distribution of these appointees across the academic units and ratified by a majority vote of the Bloomington Faculty Council. These election units will be published with the Council's bylaws. Council representatives from these election units must be persons qualifying under section 1.3 of this constitution and shall be nominated and elected by such qualified persons in the represented unit. The number of voting tenure track faculty and librarian representatives shall be no less than 60% of the total voting membership of the Bloomington Faculty Council.

Rationale: Currently, Professors of Practice have no representation on the BFC and there is only one representative for each of the other three categories of non-tenure-track faculty ranks. This change will give these election units representation on the Bloomington Faculty Council.

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