FACULTY COUNCIL MEETING

**3:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 13, 2015**

# Council Room, 412 Student Union

**AGENDA:**

1. Roll Call

2. Approval of the December 9, 2014 Minutes

3. Approval of Agenda

4. Special Report:

A. Dr. Stephen McKeever - NESI

B. Tim O’Neil/Josh Ward – Undergraduate Research

5. The President – Remarks and Comments

6. Report of Status of Faculty Council Recommendations:

President Hargis, Provost Sandefur, and/or Vice Presidents

7. Reports of Standing Committees:

a. Academic Standards and Policies: Carol Jones – Update

Recommendation: 15-01-01-ASP: UAR 6.12 Violation of Academic Integrity\*

b. Athletics: Tom Royer – No Report

c. Budget: Pamela Lloyd – No Report

d. Campus Facilities, Safety, and Security: Nathan Walker – No Report

e. Diversity: Daqing Piao – No Report

f. Faculty: Karen McBee – No Report

g. Long-Range Planning and Information Technology: Victor Baeza – No Report

h. Research: Gilbert John – No Report

i. Retirement & Fringe Benefits: Rita Miller – No Report

j. Rules and Procedures: Ranji Vaidyanathan – No Report

k. Student Affairs and Learning Resources: Barney Luttbeg – No Report

8. Reports of Liaison Representatives –

9. Old Business – Officer Michael Robinson - Chief of Police, OSU Police Department

Gun Resolution\*

10. New Business - None

11. Adjournment

*Refreshments will be served at 2:45 p.m.*

*\*Attached*

**Amended by Passed Failed**

**Recommendation No.** 15-01-01-ASP   1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Moved by:**  Academic Standards & Policies   2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Seconded by:**  3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Passed**         **Tabled**         **Failed**  4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Title:**        UAR 6.12 Violation of Academic Integrity

**The Faculty Council Recommends to President Hargis that:**

The proposed revisions to OSU University Academic Regulation 6.12 Violation of Academic Integrity as presented to Faculty Council on January 13, 2015, be accepted and placed into record.

**Rationale:**

In conjunction with revising OSU Policy 2-0822, verbiage changes to UAR 6.12 need to be made per request from University Legal Counsel.

**University Academic Regulation 6.12**

**Violation of Academic Integrity**

October 22, 2014

Summary of Proposed Change

In conjunction with revising OSU Policy 2-0822, the following change needs to be made per request from University Legal Counsel.

**6.12 Violation of Academic Integrity.** Oklahoma State University is committed to maintaining the highest level of academic integrity and ethical behavior. It is necessary that all members of the University support and promulgate the values of honesty and responsibility appropriate for an academic community. Not only does such academic integrity and ethical behavior contribute to the status of the University, but it also represents an important component of the educational process. To assure a high level of integrity among students, behaviors that violate academic integrity (e.g., unauthorized collaboration, plagiarism, multiple submissions, cheating on examinations, fabricating information, helping another person cheat, unauthorized advance access to examinations, altering or destroying the work of others, and ~~fraudulently~~ altering academic records) will not be condoned nor tolerated. Violations may subject the student to disciplinary action including the following: receiving a failing grade on an assignment, examination, or course; receiving an "F!" notation of a violation of academic integrity on the transcript; and suspension from the University. In the event an incident is not resolved at the time grade reports are due to the Registrar (e.g., an alleged violation is discovered during the final examination period), the instructor will assign an incomplete grade until the allegation is resolved. (See also [academicintegrity.okstate.edu](http://registrar.okstate.edu/academicintegrity.okstate.edu))

Approved

Academic Standards and Procedures—11.4.14

Directors of Student Academic Services—11.19.14

Instruction Council—11.20.14

Faculty Council

Council of Deans

Executive Team

**Oklahoma State University Faculty Council**

**Guns on College Campuses**

**January 13, 2015**

**Whereas**, the indefinite and unproven benefits of the carrying of firearms by faculty, staff or students can be clearly contrasted with the potential risks for accidental and intentional misuse of weapons in the environment of a college campus; and

**WHEREAS**, the safety and security of an entire campus community outweigh the needs of the individual implicit in the definition of self-defense; and

**WHEREAS**, the policies of the university that provide safety to all of its constituencies, and the specific actions of its security team could be severely compromised by untrained and uncoordinated individual action for which the institution would bear the ultimate responsibility;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the members of the Oklahoma State University Faculty Council support the current policy regulating weapons, firearms, ammunition, fireworks, explosives, and dangerous chemicals, and oppose any policy that would allow the carrying of any firearms, especially handguns, by faculty, staff or students on college campuses.

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**Nicholas Materer**

**Faculty Council Chair**

**Accepted by Faculty Council on XXXXXX**