

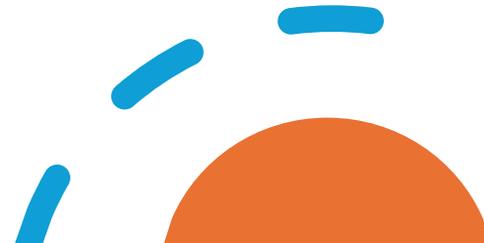


Faculty Senate chair report

March 4, 2026



Dear colleague
letter and KRS
164
modifications

- The U.S. Department of Education dropped its final appeal of a federal court ruling that blocked the “Dear Colleague” letter.
 - The letter that said schools at all levels must eliminate race-conscious curriculum, financial aid and student services immediately or risk losing federal funding.
 - HB 4 now part of KRS 164
 - <https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/record/25rs/hb4.html>
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Faculty Grievance Process

- Included in the REDBOOK Chapter 4
- Will develop an ad hoc committee charged with reviewing the process and making recommendations for modifications
- **Seeking volunteers to serve on this ad hoc committee**

Policy review

- If a Senator would like a policy reviewed, please contact the policy owner listed at the bottom of the policy.



Upcoming review

- The Faculty Senate will develop an ad hoc committee to review the Faculty Accountability Policy and develop recommendations for modifications
 - This committee will be formed after the Faculty Grievance ad hoc committee has completed its review and provided recommendations

Ad hoc
committee on
Faculty Senate
reapportionment

- Jennifer Hamm
- Pat Harris
- Enid Trucio-Haynes
- Emi Rameriz
- Christopher Tillquist
- Shantel Crosby
- Lance Gibson

SACSCOC Self-Study Leadership Team

- Erica McClure
- Robert Bert
- Pat Harris
- Tomás Edison
- Vida Vaughn
- Angela Thompson
- Andrew Winters