University Policy for the Distance Education Committee (DEC) Membership

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1.0 Introduction

The Provost relies on the Distance Education Committee (DEC) for developing and overseeing policies and processes for the effective delivery of high-quality distance education at Saint Louis University in compliance with Higher Learning Commission (HLC) and federal guidelines. The Provost establishes priorities for the DEC, and the DEC meets on a regular basis throughout the academic year and summer as needed.

2.0 Scope

This policy governs representation and the selection process for membership on the DEC.

3.0 Chair of DEC

The Associate Provost for Distance Education, or an individual appointed by the Provost, chairs the DEC.

4.0 Representation on DEC

1. The following Colleges/Schools and academic support units will be invited to appoint a representative(s) to DEC. Representatives from the Colleges, Schools, and degree-granting centers should be faculty.

Chaifetz School of Business