

## **ANNUAL REPORT**

University Standing Committee	Committee on International Programs
Academic Year Covered by Report	2016-2017
Date Report Submitted	June 28, 2017
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Number of times committee met	8 as full committee and 9 subcommittees

## **RECOMMENDATIONS**

### Internationalization of the Faculty Code

The recommendation of the subcommittee is to continue the discussion with the Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate to proceed with the presentation of the petition to the full Faculty Senate for discussion.

### Global Partnerships

The recommendation of the subcommittee is that CIP continues studying and evaluating the newly developed Global Partners Database; follow up with Dr. Kirby about undergraduate partnerships with other universities; follow up with Lian Lynch about graduate partnerships; develop a preliminary inventory based on the previously mentioned pending reports; and continue considering possible forms to include other institutions in existing or a new database.

### Jackson Rigney Award and Seed Grants

The recommendation of the subcommittee is to review annually requirements for selection and awards of the Seeds Grants.

## **SUMMARY OF DISCUSSION ITEMS/ACTIVITIES OF COMMITTEE**

### Internationalization of the Tenure Code

The charge of the subcommittee was to engage the Faculty Senate in the discussion related to the internationalization of the Tenure Code. The subcommittee was composed of four faculty members who met periodically to learn and discuss the approach. The process included approaching members of the Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate, following procedures to submit a letter for consideration of discussion of the proposed change in the Tenure Code, and bringing the topic to discussion of the full Faculty Senate. The result of this effort was achieved. The Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate recommendation was to slowly approach the issue on a College by College basis to increase awareness for the recognition of the internationalization of the Faculty Code.

## Global Partnerships

The charge of the subcommittee was to gather information about NC State global partnerships and provide feedback to OIA on the Global Partners Database. The subcommittee was composed by six members who met periodically to look at possible inventories in other US institutions and determine if they were possible collaborations to develop at undergraduate and graduate levels. The subcommittee reported that there are no graduate-level listing of institutions. A report concerning undergraduate institutions is pending. The Global Partners Database was evaluated and launched by OIA and offers an extensive list of NC State Global Partnerships.

## Jackson Rigney Award Selection and Seed Grants

The charge of the subcommittee was to review application requirements, selection criteria, and selection of awardees for the Seed Grant Proposals and for the Jackson Rigney Nominations. The subcommittee met regularly and reported to the full committee on applications requirements that were discussed and modified accordingly, and approved by committee. The subcommittee reviewed grant proposals and rank them, and the final selection was done by the full committee.

**RECOMMENDATION FOR REVISION OF CHARGE AND/OR MEMBERSHIP CONFIGURATION (if applicable)**