I. PURPOSE: To coordinate and recommend all aspects of the academic budgets, calendar, class schedules, curriculum, planning, and other policies related to academic affairs.

II. POLICY:

A. The Council serves as the representative agency at the University level for specific policy matters relating to faculty concerns that are more restricted to departmental or college, line-authority issues. For more general policy matters relating to faculty concerns which have University-wide ramifications, the Deans' Council and the Faculty Senate constitute the two academic bodies who recommend general academic policy to the University Provost.

B. The Deans' Council consists of the following voting members: Deans of the Colleges and Schools and the Dean of the Library and non-voting members from the administration as well as the SUUSA student Academic Vice President. See the “Attachment to 13.9” for the list of the non-voting ex-officio members of Deans’ Council.

C. The Deans' Council meets every two weeks or more often as necessary during the academic year, and every month during Summer School. Other meetings are called on an ad hoc basis as needed.

D. Deans' Council receives recommendations, reviews, acts upon and monitors the functions of the Undergraduate and Graduate Curriculum Committees.

E. The Deans' Council is directly responsible to the Provost who functions as its chair.
SUBJECT: DEANS' COUNCIL

Attachment to Policy 13.9

Deans’ Council – Membership List

The 2011-2012 Deans' Council consists of the following voting members:

Dean of the School of Business
Dean of the College of Education
Dean of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences
Dean of the College of Performing and Visual Arts
Dean of the College of Science & Engineering
Dean of the Library
Dean of the University College
Dean of the School of Continuing and Professional Studies & Dean of Graduate Studies

Non-voting ex-officio members:

Associate Provost and Director of Strategic Planning
Assistant Provost and Director of Institutional Research and Assessment
President, Faculty Senate
Director of Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning
Associate Vice President of Information Technology
Vice President of Student Affairs
Director of Sponsored Research and Grants
Director of Academic Budget and Support
SUUSA Academic Vice President
Registrar
President’s Council Fellow