Council on Educational Policy (CEP)
LAUC-I Academic Senate Representative
2013-2014 Report

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Council/Committee Name (acronym): Council on Educational Policy (CEP)

Council/Committee Charge: The CEP considers all matters related to academic policy, makes recommendations regarding curricula and programs and other educational matters, including general campus requirements and grading systems, issues recommendations on the establishment, substantive modifications or withdrawal of academic programs, and reviews and reports on the character of the educational programs on the Irvine campus.

Link to Council/Committee Website: http://www.senate.uci.edu/Councils/CEP/index.asp

Frequency of Meetings: The full CEP (including LAUCI representative and other non-voting members) met 9 times for 2 hours. The CEP’s Programs and Policy group comprised exclusively of voting members, that is, academic senate participants or ladder faculty, met an additional 7 times throughout the academic calendar year.

Major Activities: CEP’s work is confidential. Academic policies and changes in curricula were reviewed throughout the year.

Issues of Concern to the Libraries: Online education programs are of great concern to CEP locally and systemwide. The statistically significant growth of foreign and international student enrollments is also of significant concern both locally and system wide.