Membership changes to Research Committee (3335-5-48.14), IPPC (3335-5-48.19), and Committee on Academic Technology (3335-5-48.3)

SYNOPSIS: Revises membership rules for three standing committee of the university senate to reflect changes in faculty titles and in administrative titles and structure.

WHEREAS the category of "non-tenure track" is to be eliminated from university rules; AND

WHEREAS two standing committees—Research and Intellectual Property, Patents, and Copyrights—identify "non-tenure track faculty" as a category of membership; AND

WHEREAS the chairs of these three committees have been consulted as to which faculty should be eligible to serve on the committee; AND

WHEREAS changes in administrative structure and titles have resulted in redundancies and unfilled appointments; AND

WHEREAS this revision clarifies administrative membership on these three committees according to current titles and practices; AND

WHEREAS the rule committee unanimously voted in support of this proposed rule on April 12, 2024.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that a revision to rules 3335-5-48.3, 3335-5-48.14, and 3335-5-48.19 be approved by the University Senate and respectfully request concurrence of the Board of Trustees effective upon approval by the Board of Trustees.