

#### **Sec. D. Committee on Graduate Studies**

Par. 1. The Committee on Graduate Studies shall consist of the dean of graduate studies, *ex officio*, the associate dean of graduate studies, *ex officio*, the associate vice president for research, *ex officio*, nine voting members of the University Faculty elected for overlapping three-year terms, ~~and three~~four graduate/professional-students ~~members~~, at least one of which will be a professional student, and one post-doctoral scholar/fellow. ~~The students and scholar/fellow are all voting members and are,~~ and the professional school senator, ex officio, elected for one-year terms. The Nominating Committee, in consultation with the dean of graduate studies, shall select nominees for election to the committee on the basis of participation in graduate research and in graduate study and instruction. Such selection shall be broadly representative of graduate disciplines.

Par. 2. The Committee on Graduate Studies shall review and make recommendations to the Faculty Senate with respect to graduate and professional degree programs. Degree programs refer to any course of study that constitutes a specialization or concentration and leads to recognition or an award for the completion of a prescribed course of study beyond the baccalaureate diploma. The Ohio Chancellors Council on Graduate Studies (CCGS) does not define the degrees of Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Dental MIndividual multidisciplinary degrees

~~Graduate degree program refers to any course of study that constitutes a specialization or concentration and leads to recognition or an award for completion of a prescribed course of study beyond the baccalaureate diploma. The committee also reviews and makes recommendations to the Faculty Senate with respect to graduate certificate programs at Case Western Reserve University. The Ohio RACGS does not define the degrees of Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Dental Medicine and Doctor of Jurisprudence as graduate degree programs, and the Committee of Graduate Studies therefore does not review these programs.~~

Par. 3. The Committee on Graduate Studies will provide oversight and guidance for academic and policy issues for postdoctoral scholars and fellows.