

**2020 - 2021 Report to Faculty Senate
Faculty Senate Judiciary and Appeals Council
Faculty Senate Committee on Appeals**

The Faculty Senate Committee on Appeals (FSCA) received quite a few informal inquiries this year, but only had a single case traverse the process. That case was analyzed by an Ad Hoc Investigative Committee of three members, and recommendations came from a meeting of 23 members of the FSCA. Those recommendations were forwarded to Provost Wickert.

The FSCA notes that there is an increase in the number of cases that progress to the formal appeal in which there is a central issue related to a “letter of direction” or a “letter of non-disciplinary corrective action,” based on *FH 7.2.7.7 Non-disciplinary Corrective Action*. In 2021-2022, the Judiciary and Appeals Council will be working through the Faculty Senate to modify that section of the Faculty Handbook to add clarity for both authors and recipients of these “letters of direction.”