2017-2018 Facilities and Educational Resources Committee report to FDAR Council

The Facilities and Educational Resources Committee (FERC) did not meet during the 2017-2018 academic year. Our charge is to discuss and advise on matters relating to allocation and maintenance of university facilities and materials that are used for educational purposes. Associate Provost Ann Marie VanDerZanden and Associate VP Paul Fulini were recently appointed and have taken some time to grow into their positions. Following on discussions initiated by former Associate Provost Dave Holger, Associate Provost VanDerZanden oversees discussion of policies relating to allocation of general use classroom space; those discussions were suspended for much of the academic year. VP Fulini's Maintenance Improvement Committee has recently produced a report ("ISU: A State of Elegant Decline") documenting the current condition of facilities, the desired condition, costs and impact on uses that taking facilities offline to improve would have. VP has asked for faculty input. The 2018-2019 agenda for FERC will include both of these items and others that may arise.

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