Membership:
Appointments of all voting members to the University Policy Committee are made by the Chancellor and are for an unspecified term, with the exception of the Chair of the Faculty and Staff Senate Chair. Those appointments coincide with the associated terms. For all other appointed members, when a vacancy occurs the UPC chair (or a co-chair) will request a recommendation from the appropriate Vice Chancellor. The Chair (or co-chair) may appoint non-voting ex officio members.

Committee Purpose and Responsibilities:
The Chancellor charged the committee with the following tasks: 1) serve as the implementation team for the development of the University Policy Manual; 2) a representative from each division serves as the divisional point person in the development of all policies, regulations and rules (PRRs); 3) generate trust in the process; and 4) exercise common sense – don’t become too bureaucratic.

The Chancellor set a five year goal for the full implementation of the University Policy Manual and cited the close relationship between the revision of the Faculty Manual and the development of the University Policy Manual.

Terms of Office:
Unlimited

To Whom the Committee Reports:
The Chancellor

Standard Meeting Time:
The UPC meets the last Tuesday of every other month at 11:00 a.m.

Roster:
Chair (appointed by the Chancellor) – Chris Locklear
Chancellor’s Division – Michelle Brooks
Academic Affairs – Austin Bunch
Students Affairs – Bernie Schulz
Research and Graduate Studies – Hiromi Sanders
Health Sciences – Gary Vanderpool
Finance and Administration – Steve Duncan
Human Resources – Jim Mullen
University Advancement – Patricia Simpson
University Attorney – Donna Gooden Payne
Auditor – Stacie Tronto (ex officio)
Athletics – Emmett Floyd
Chair of the Faculty – Mark Sprague
Graduate School Administrative Board – Paul Gemperline
Staff Senate Chair – Garrett Killian
Student Government Association President – Tim Schwann
Enterprise Risk Management/Office of University Attorney – Yolonda Newsome (ex officio)
Chancellor’s Division/Academic Affairs – Erin Eatman (ex officio)