

**Grievances Committee
Vanderbilt University Faculty Senate
Report for Academic Year (2016 – 2017)
Chair: Thanks L. Christenbery
May 2, 2017**

Committee Members:

Tom Christenbery, Chair, Nursing
Dale Andrews, Divinity
Charlene Dewey, Medicine, Executive Committee Liaison
Richard Haglund, Arts and Science
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Geri Reeves, Nursing
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William Walsh, Medicine
David Weintraub, Arts and Science
Richard Willis, Owen, Executive Committee Liaison

Charges Assigned for 2016 – 2017:

1. Hear Grievances
2. Review Faculty Manual Part IV, Chapter 2, Sections B and C

Work Accomplished:

1. Filed Grievances: No formal faculty grievances were submitted for 2016 – 2017
2. Unfiled Grievances: During 2016 – 2017, three unfiled grievances were brought to the chair. Each case reached successful resolution within their respective schools.
3. Grievances Committee met on May 2, 2017 to review recommended changes to the Faculty manual for Part IV, Chapter 2, Sections B and C. Changes were proposed by the Faculty Manual Committee (Chair, Myrna Wooders, and Executive Committee Liaison, Geoffrey Fleming). Committee agreed to meet later in May 2017 to complete the review of Chapter 2 and submit recommendations to the Faculty Manual Committee.