

FRRRC meeting on August 28, 2020

Meeting minutes

Committee chair Metin Duran opened the meeting and indicated that the committee will focus on the revisions to Sexual Misconduct, Title IX, policies.

Assoc. Provost Craig Wheeland and Title IX coordinator Ryan Rost provided a background on changes to federal Title IX and university's response to be in compliance with the regulations.

MD opened the floor for questions and comments from FRRRC members. Summary of changes to the document based on the discussions are below:

- Clarified language re Informal Investigations student-faculty.

- Change the order of "Rights of the Respondent" and "Rights of the Complainant"
("Rights of Complainant" should be first

- Rights to accommodations

- More detail / specification of disciplinary actions

- More detailed annual reporting

- No statute of limitation for Complainants

- Symmetry in Respondent \ Complainant notifications subject to any safety concerns

- Right to specified regular updates for both Respondent and Complainant

- VPAA as the Disciplinary Officer – though the title may change in future.

Written comments by a FRRRC member who could not attend were not discussed due to time running out. Those comments will be forwarded to Ryan Rost.

Approved unanimously on October 2, 2020.