



**NOTICE OF MEETING·**  
**BERKELEY DIVISION OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE**  
**Thursday, November 5, 2015, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**  
**Banatao Auditorium, Sutardja Dai Hall**

Items on the agenda for the fall meeting of the Berkeley Division include:

- **Update on the UC Berkeley budget**  
Associate Vice Chancellor and Chief Financial Officer Rosemarie Rae will provide an update on the campus budget.
- **Announcements**  
Chancellor Nicholas Dirks  
Division Chair Benjamin Hermalin  
Graduate Assembly Campus Affairs Vice President Lyndsey Ogle  
Osher Lifelong Learning Institute Director Susan Hoffman
- **Proposed legislation**  
Proposed amendments to Berkeley Division Regulations governing student probation and dismissal in the Colleges of Letters and Science (L&S), Environmental Design (CED), and Natural Resources (CNR)

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## *In Memoriam*

*In Memoriam* is a compilation of commemorative statements honoring deceased members of the Division, their lives, and service to the University. Memorials are contributed by various sources, including colleagues of the deceased and the Office of Public Affairs; *In Memoriam*, the systemwide Academic Senate's online publication, makes these tributes generally available.

The Committee on Memorial Resolutions has approved memorials for the following Berkeley faculty since April 2015. The authors of the memorials are listed in the column to the right.

Tulio Halperin Donghi (History)	Margaret Chowning, Richard Herr
William Louis Garrison (CEE)	David Levinson, Martin Wachs, Samer Madanat
Gregory Grossman (Economics)	Gerard Roland
Sanford H. Kadish (Law)	Jesse C. Choper, David Lieberman
Joseph Kerman (Music)	Bonnie Wade
Ernest S. Kuh (EECS)	David A. Hodges, Alberto Sangiovanni Vincentelli
Harold Lecar (MCB)	Ehud Y. Isacoff
David Littlejohn (Journalism)	Paul Zalis
Evert Irving Schlinger (ESPM)	Michael E. Irwin (Illinois Natural History Survey, Scientist Emeritus)
Richard Anthony Steinhardt (MCB)	Robert Zucker, Terry Marchen, Geoffrey Owen
Ian Sussex (Plant Biology)	Sara Hake, Sheila McCormick, Renee Sung
Michael Tarter (Public Health)	School of Public Health, Marketing and Communications, Committee on Memorial Resolutions
Charles Hard Townes (Physics)	P. Buford Price
Lloyd Ulman (Economics)	Clair Brown, Terry Huwe

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

### I. Minutes

Minutes of the April 22, 2015 meeting of the Division (Enclosure 1)

### II. Announcements by the President

President Janet Napolitano is unable to attend.

### III. Other Announcements

- A. Chancellor Nicholas Dirks
- B. Berkeley Division Chair Benjamin Hermalin
- C. Graduate Assembly Campus Affairs Vice President Lyndsey Ogle
- D. Osher Lifelong Learning Institute Director Susan Hoffman

### IV. Special Orders-Consent Calendar

*For proposed legislative amendments, **additions** to the current text are noted by an underline; **deletions** to the current text are noted by a strikethrough line. Per Division bylaws the consent calendar is approved in the absence of a quorum.*

The Committee on Rules and Elections reviewed the following legislation and found the proposed amendments to be consonant with Berkeley Division bylaws and regulations. Divisional Council approved the proposed amendments.

- A. **Proposed amendments to Berkeley Division Regulations governing probation and dismissal in the colleges of Letters and Science (L&S), Environmental Design (CED), and Natural Resources (CNR)**  
The deans of the colleges of Letters and Science (L&S), Environmental Design (CED), and Natural Resources (CNR) propose changes to the Berkeley Division regulations governing probation and dismissal so that students who fail to receive letter grades for any one semester (which results in a “no grade-point average” value) are placed on probation. These amendments would also align the regulations of L&S, CED, and CNR with regulations governing probation and dismissal at other colleges and schools on campus.

Title IX. College of Letters and Science

819. PROBATION AND DISMISSAL (Am. 3.83)

- A. Students will be subject to academic probation if at the end of any term they fail to achieve at least an ~~their overall~~ grade-point average in the University of ~~is less than~~ 2.0 (C average) or if they

~~fail to achieve at least a~~ their grade-point average of falls below 1.5 for that any term.

- B. Students will be subject to dismissal if after one term on probation they ~~fail to achieve~~ have not achieved an overall grade-point average of 2.0 (C average) or if for the term on probation ~~they fail to achieve a~~ their grade-point average of is below a 2.0.
- Computation of the grade-point average shall not include courses graded P, NP, I, and IP.
- C. The Faculty, or its designated agent, has the power to:
1. dismiss from the University students under its supervision;
  2. suspend provisions of this Regulation, thereby permitting retention in the University of students subject to dismissal; and
  3. authorize return to the University of students who have been dismissed under this Regulation. (EC. 86)

Title XI. College of Natural Resources

877. DISMISSAL

- A. In the College of Natural Resources, a student will be placed on probation if at the close of any semester the student's ~~fails to achieve at least cumulative grade-point average is less than an overall grade-point average of 2.0 (C average) computed on the total of all courses undertaken in the University.~~
- A student on probation is not entitled to take courses with a Passed / Not Passed option.
- B. A student shall be subject to dismissal from the University:
1. If the student's ~~fails to achieve at least an overall grade-point average falls below of 1.5 for any semester;~~
  2. If after one semester on probation, the student's ~~fails to achieve at least an overall grade-point average is less than of 2.0 (C average) computed on the total of all courses undertaken in this University, not including courses graded P, NP, I or IP. (En. 3.83)~~

Title VI. College of Environmental Design

604. PROBATION AND DISMISSAL (Am. 5.2.12)

Students will be subject to academic probation if at the end of any term ~~their~~ they fail to achieve at least an overall grade-point average in the University is less than of 2.0 (C average) or if their ~~they fail to achieve at least a grade-point average falls below of 1.5 for any term.~~

Students will be subject to dismissal if after one term on probation they ~~have not achieved~~ fail to achieve an overall grade-point

average of 2.0 (C average) or if for the term any on probation their  
they fail to achieve a grade-point average is below of 2.0.

- Computation of the grade-point average shall not include courses graded P, NP, I, and IP.

The Faculty, or its designated agent, has the power to dismiss from the University students under its supervision, or to suspend the provisions of the Regulation and permit the retention in the University of students thus subject to dismissal, and the return to the University of students who have been dismissed under this Regulation.

**V. Reports of Special Committees (None)**

**VI. Reports of Standing Committees (None)**

**VII. Petitions of Students (None)**

**VIII. Unfinished Business (None)**

**IX. University and Faculty Welfare (Discussion only)**

**A. Update on the UC Berkeley budget**

Associate Vice Chancellor and Chief Financial Officer Rosemarie Rae will provide an update on the campus budget.

**X. New Business (None)**