

DATE: February 14, 2019
AMENDED: February 22, 2019
TO: Faculty Senate
FROM: Faculty Senate Steering Committee
SUBMITTED BY: Judi McDonald, Past Chair of the Faculty Senate
SUBJECT: Chair-Elect Eligibility



The Faculty Senate Steering Committee recommends amending the constitution so that any parliamentarian of the Faculty Senate in the last four years is eligible to run for the position of chair-elect.

Proposed amendment of the WSU Senate Constitution (<https://facsen.wsu.edu/senate-constitution/>):

ARTICLE III ORGANIZATION, Section 2: Officers

Chair-Elect

RED LINE AMENDMENT

Chair-~~e~~Elect

The ~~Chair-chair-e~~Elect of the Faculty Senate shall be elected by ~~and from~~ the membership* of the ~~Facutly~~ Senate; from among those individuals who are currently a senator, parliamentarian, or a member of the Steering Committee or have served in one of these positions within ~~have served in the Faculty Senate within the previous four academic years or those who have served on the Steering Committee in~~ the previous four years. The ~~Chair-chair-e~~Elect shall assume the duties of the ~~Chair-chair~~ in the absence of the ~~Chairchair~~.

~~*i.e., both continuing Senators and those whose terms are expiring are eligible for election.~~

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