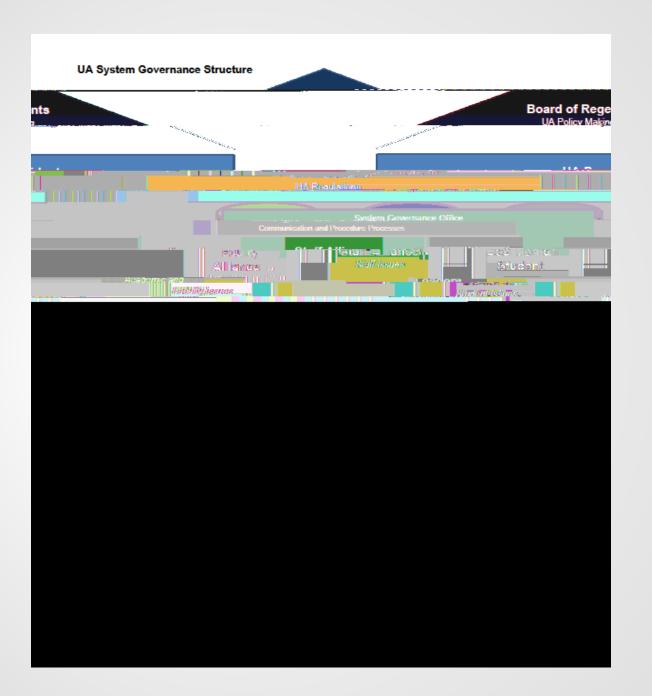
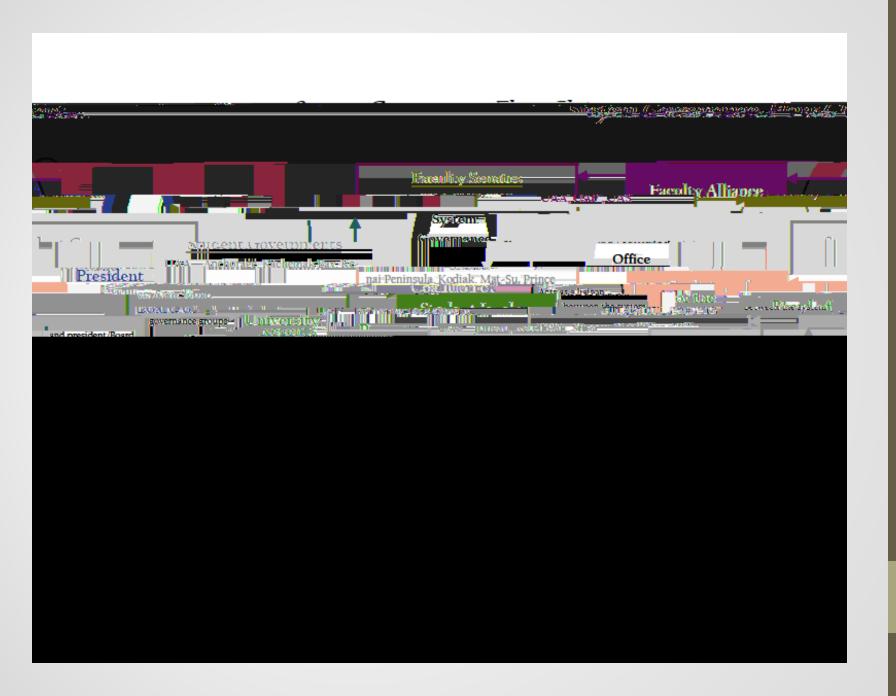
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Intent (UA Reg. Chapter 03.01)

It is the intent of the University of Alaska Board of Regents:

- 1. that the faculty shall share in the governance of the university,
- 2. that shared governance is an integral part of the business of the university, and
- 3. that participators in shared governance are empowered by the UA Board of Regents to carry out their governance responsibilities to the best of their abilities without interference or fear of reprisal.



Alliance Responsibilities

 The Alliance has an advisory andcoordinating role in academic affairs

Alliance Responsibilities (continued)

- subject matter and methods of instructionthose aspects of student life relating to the educational process such as degree requirements, grading policy, course coordination and transfer, student probation and suspension, standards of admission and scholastic standards;
- and faculty welfare issuesincluding, but not limited to compensation, benefits, appointments, reappointments and termination, workload, promotions, the granting of tenure, dismissal, ethics, and other matters affecting the faculty, the general welfare of the university and its educational purposes and effectiveness.



Transmittal of Recommendations and Actions (UA Reg. 03.01.010)

Transmittal of Items from Administration and the Board of Regents to System Governance

- Items initiated by the President of the University, the President's designee, or the Board of Regents affecting matters within the scope of staff, faculty and/or student governance normally shall be submitted to the appropriate system governance group through the system governance of office in a timely fashion to allow sufficient time for adequate review and response prior to implementation.
- However, Regents' Policies and University Regulations requiring immediate implementation may be implemented prior to review by governance. Such policies and regulations will also be forwarded to governance in an expedient manner and may be modified after governance review



Workflow between Senate & Alliance

- No specific regulations
- Issues are brought either
 - From Senate to Alliance via President/Presidentelect (e.g., review of student dispute resolution policies)
 - From Alliance to Senate (e.g., minimum admission standards)
- Alliance also receives requests or directives from UA Administration and BoR (e.g., GERs)
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 - Are researched & discussed at Alliance.
 - Alliance drafts motion that has chance of passing all 3 Senates.

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 - 3. Vetted by Senate administrative/executive committees and either returned to Alliance for revisions or brought to Senate.
 - 4. Senates discuss and vote on motion and either pass or return to Alliance for revisions.
 - 5. If motion is passed it is transmitted to the appropriate authority to institute.

Workflow between Senate & Alliance

- Not clear what happens when the 3 Senates can not come to an agreement despite multiple attempts (e.g., minimum admission standards).
- Will need to figure this out because there will be more issues that concern all three universities.