

RESPONSIBILITIES OF A SENATOR AND SENATE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Senators and members of Senate Committees shall:

1. Act in good faith in the best interests of the university.
2. Respect the principles of collegiality and fairness.
3. Maintain confidentiality when issues are discussed in closed session meetings.
4. Understand and respect the distinction between the role and responsibilities of the Senate, the Board of Governors and the Administration.
5. Attend and be well-prepared for meetings.
6. Engage in meetings with thoughtful consideration and with a view to foreseeing the probable consequences of each proposed course of action.
7. Exercise critical judgment when coming to decisions or providing advice to the Senior Administration.
8. Serve on Senate committees and subcommittees as opportunities and scheduling permit.
9. Communicate with constituents about the issues before Senate and raise any issues of concern.
10. Be knowledgeable about the jurisdiction and function of Senate and its committees.