**Distance Education Committee Standing Rules**

The Distance Education Committee reviews and recommends policies on matters pertaining to distance education that promote the educational mission of the University.

1. Provide policy recommendations regarding faculty relations as they pertain to the creation, implementation, delivery, rewards, and intellectual property rights related to distance education courses and programs.

2. Advise in the long-term planning and financing of distance education courses and programs, including student marketing, recruitment and retention issues in order to ensure a sustainable student base.

3. Advise on distance education curriculum priorities, development, standards and evaluation, and review certificate programs to insure high quality offerings.

4. Monitor standards of academic quality for all distance education courses to ensure the quality and uniformity of degree offerings.

5. Maintain a continuing examination of the impact of distance education on the educational mission of individual programs, departments, colleges and the University.

6. Provide reports and recommendations to the Faculty Senate and operate in an advisory role to the Associate Provost of OSU Extended Campus.