Western Washington University
DisAbility Advisory Committee
Charge & Charter

Statement of Purpose:
Western Washington University is committed to providing access and reasonable accommodation in employment, education, and related programs and services to faculty, staff, and students with disabilities. This commitment includes architectural, technological and educational access. In support of Western’s continued commitment and efforts, the DisAbility Advisory Committee serves to improve accessibility through the following:

• Advising Western on disability matters
• Addressing other emergent disability-related issues
• Making recommendations through the Vice Provost for Equal Opportunity/Employment Diversity to the appropriate Vice President in regard to policy, procedures, capital projects and awareness programs

Membership:
1 – Representative from Academic Technology
1 – Representative from DisAbility Resources for Students
1 – Representative from Environmental Health & Safety
1 – Representative from the Equal Opportunity Office
1 – Representative from Facilities Management
1 – Representative from Disability Services, Human Resources
1 – Representative from University Libraries
1 – Representative from Space Administration
1 – Representative from University Police
1 – Representative from Parking Services
1 – Representative from University Residences
1 – Representative from the Viking Union/Student Activities
1 – Representative from the Associated Students (AS) Disability Outreach Center (on an annual basis, for a one-year term).
2 – Faculty members (names provided by Faculty Senate for a two-year term)
1 – Student-at-large, chosen by the AS Board of Directors (on an annual basis, for a one-year term)

**All representatives, unless otherwise noted, are permanent appointments to this Committee. Other members from any of the groups above may be included at the discretion of the Chair. Membership will be determined by interest of the proposed member and representation of their respective group.

Chair:
The Committee is chaired by the Vice Provost for Equal Opportunity and Employment Diversity.

Meetings:
The committee will meet once a quarter during the regular academic year, and additionally, as needed.