

**EXECUTIVE OFFICE
REPORT TO THE RIVERSIDE DIVISION
FEBRUARY 24, 2026**

To Be Adopted

Proposed Changes to Committee on Committees Bylaw

Bylaw 8.8 – 8.8.7: Lived Name Policy, Service Permissions, & Name Correction

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Submitted by the Executive Office on: December 18, 2025

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Approved by the Committee on Committees:

The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction finds the wording to be consistent with the code of the Academic Senate:

Received by Executive Council:



10/17/2025

To: Kenneth Barish, Chair of the Assembly of the Academic Senate
and Cherysa Cortez, Executive Director of the UCR Academic Senate

From: Kinnari Atit, Ph.D., Faculty Chair of the School of Education Executive Committee

Subject: Feedback on Proposed Changes to Committee on Committees Bylaw 8.8 – 8.8.7

The SOE Executive Committee reviewed the Proposed Changes to Committee on Committees Bylaw 8.8 – 8.8.7. Comments/feedback were solicited at our executive committee meeting and via email.

- Revise “In accordance with Bylaw 335(B)(1), any one of the members of this panel shall be available, upon request of any Senate member, to give advice on the relief open to the Senate member in case of a grievance, to discuss with the aggrieved Senate member that member’s claim of violation of rights or privileges, and to counsel the Senate member on the appropriate procedures to be followed.” to “In accordance with Bylaw 335(B)(1), any member of this panel shall be available, upon request of any Senate member, to (a) advise on the relief available in a grievance, (b) discuss the member’s claim of violation of rights or privileges, and (c) counsel the member on the appropriate procedures to follow.” to enhance clarity.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide feedback.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kinnari Atit', followed by a stylized flourish.

Kinnari Atit
Chair, Faculty Executive Committee
School of Education
University of California, Riverside
Email: kinnari.atit@ucr.edu



Academic Senate

COMMITTEE ON RULES AND JURISDICTION

Date: October 15, 2025

To: Kenneth Barish, Chair
Riverside Division

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From: Randolph C. Head, Chair
Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction

Re: [Campus Review] Bylaw Change: *Proposed Changes to Committee on Committees Bylaw 8.8 – 8.8.7: Lived Name Policy, Service Permissions, & Name Correction*

The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction has carefully considered the Proposed Changes to Committee on Committees Bylaw 8.8 – 8.8.7: Lived Name Policy, Service Permissions, & Name Correction. The Committee appreciates that the proposed changes are meant to bring committee bylaws into alignment with current systemwide policies, school name changes, and to add an award committee to the list of concurrent service allowances. With this, R&J believes the proposed regulations would benefit from slight modification to increase clarity and consistency. Once completed, the committee approves of these proposed changes.

The Committee on Rules and Jurisdiction offers the following to assist in the above and to ensure overall document consistency:

8.8.2.1, Line 7 Add a comma following "...School of Education"

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Approved by the Committee on Distinguished Campus Service: October 15, 2025

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