

**TO:** Fort Wayne Senate  
**FROM:** Educational Policy Committee  
**DATE:** 22 March 1993  
**SUBJ:** Committee on Writing  
**DISPOSITION:** To the Presiding Officer for Implementation

Whereas, Senate Document SD 88-33 mandates that graduates from IPFW baccalaureate programs will "write and speak critically and precisely, with clarity and persuasiveness"; and

Whereas, Effective writing is a concern of all campus units at all levels of instruction; and

Whereas, IPFW faculty have, through their participation in workshops and related activities, demonstrated a significant interest in Writing Across the Curriculum;

Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Senate establish an ad hoc Committee on Writing to review campus compliance with the goals for writing skills established by SD 88-33 and to make, if appropriate, recommendations leading to the furtherance of those goals.

The committee will be composed of a representative from the Department of English and Linguistics, a representative of each campus school, and the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs or his/her designee, who will be responsible for calling the first meeting of the committee, at which a chair will be elected from among its members. The committee should report its findings and recommendations to the Senate no later than twelve months following its appointment.