

Report from the Admissions and Financial Aid Committee 2001–2002

The members of the committee are Eddie Cheng (Chair), Justine Speer, Mohammad Bazaz, Wendy Zhang, Dawn Aubry, Phil Asbury (Fall 2001), Robert Johnson (Winter 2002), Pete Nancy and Rhonda Hanna. We discussed various issues via email and meetings were called when they were necessary.

The Fall Semester was spent on various issues regarding admissions. After email discussions and a meeting, the following two motions were carried.

1. Give our formal approval of the Admission Task Force Report.
2. Give our formal support for Pete Nancy's current effort on the ethnic proposal.

The original plan for the Winter Semester was to have Phil Asbury, the new Director of Financial Aid, to give us a fresh perspective and unbiased opinion on issues regarding financial aid at Oakland University. However, Mr. Asbury resigned his position and left the university in February. Through conversations with students, some members of the committee discovered that the satisfaction level from students regarding the services providing by the Office of Financial Aid is not very high. After email discussions and a meeting, the committee felt that this issue should be revisited when a new Director of Financial Aid is hired.

Submitted by Eddie Cheng