

COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC FREEDOM AND RIGHTS ANNUAL REPORT 2013-2014

CAFR serves as guardian of academic freedom and rights for all members of this academic community. CAFR issues can be approached informally or formally; this year the committee heard both.

Informal Cases: CAFR met with two students and four faculty members on an informal basis. In two of these cases, it was determined there were insufficient grounds to pursue a formal case. In two cases, the complainants decided to resolve the matters through alternative mechanisms. Two of the informal complaints were brought forth as formal cases.

Formal Cases:

Committee members for 2013-2014 included:

Pat Hilleren, Biology, tenured, 2015

Crystal Moore, Social Work, tenured, 2014, Chair

Rachel Roe-Dale, Mathematics and Computer Science, tenured 2014

Sara Lagalwar, Neuroscience, untenured, 2016

Mao Chen, Foreign Languages and Literature, tenured, 2016

The committee members for 2015-2016 include:

Mao Chen, Foreign Languages and Literatures, tenured, 2016

Pat Hilleren, Biology, tenured, 2015, Chair

Sara Lagalwar, Neuroscience, untenured, 2016

Feryaz Ocakli, Government, untenured, 2017

Saleema Waraich, Art History, untenured, 2017

SGA will appoint student members in the fall.