

Senate Committee on Appeals



Date: April 15, 2025

To: Members of Senate

From: Senate Committee on Appeals

Re: 2024/2025 Annual Report

The <u>Terms of Reference and Procedural Guidelines</u> for the Senate Committee on Appeals require that the Chair provide an annual report to Senate at its May meeting. This report covers the 2024/2025 academic year.

Appeals Received

The Senate Committee on Appeals (the "Committee") received ten appeals in 2024/2025.

Non-Academic Misconduct Appeals:

The Committee received one non-academic misconduct appeal in 2024/2025. The appeal involves a decision on a time-limited suspension from the university. This appeal is ongoing.

Academic Appeals

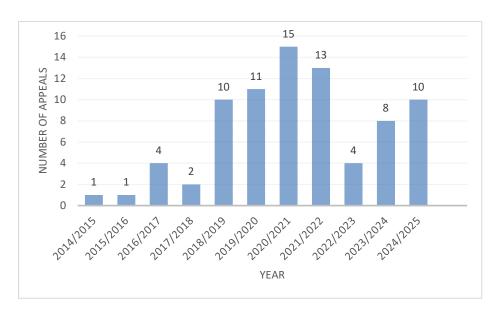
The Committee received eight academic appeals in 2024/2025. One appeal received was a re-opened case based on Section 8 of the Procedural Guidelines. Seven of these appeals are ongoing. Below is a brief description of each of these appeals:

- 1. Under section 8 of the <u>Senate Committee on Appeals Procedural Guidelines</u>, a request was received to re-open an appeal. This re-opened appeal was dismissed.
- 2. An appeal involving a student required to withdrawal from the Faculty of Human and Social Development. This appeal is ongoing.
- 3. An appeal involving a violation of the Policy on Academic Integrity. This appeal was dismissed.
- 4. An appeal involves a violation of the Policy on Academic Integrity. This appeal is ongoing.
- 5. An appeal a denial of a student's request for a Withdrawn Under Extenuating Circumstances (WE) Academic Concession. This appeal is ongoing.
- 6. An appeal involving a decision to deny a student's re-admission to the Faculty of Law. This appeal is ongoing.
- 7. An appeal involving a decision to deny a student's admission to the Faculty of Law. This appeal is ongoing.
- 8. An appeal involving a violation of the Policy on Academic Integrity. This appeal is ongoing.

- 9. An appeal involving a violation of the Policy on Academic Integrity. This appeal is ongoing.
- 10. An appeal a denial of a student's request for a Withdrawn Under Extenuating Circumstances (WE) Academic Concession. This appeal is ongoing.

Appeal Tracking

Below is a chart showing the number of appeals filed in the past 10 years.



Conclusion

Thank-you to all members of the Senate Committee on Appeals. The work of this Committee is very important to the just operation of the university and your contributions are greatly appreciated.

Respectively submitted,

2024/2025 Senate Committee on Appeals

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