

Proposed Revisions to the *Palmetto College Campuses Faculty Manual*
 Palmetto College Campuses Faculty Senate
 University of South Carolina

Brief Title of Proposed Change	Update Columbia Faculty Committees
Committee Proposing Revision	Rights and Responsibilities
Date of Presentation to Senate	17 April 2015
Senate Approval Date	17 April 2015

Rationale for Proposed Revisions

- The USC Columbia Research and Productive Scholarship Committee is no longer a functioning committee.
- The Committee on Conflict of Interest is not currently included in the *Faculty Manual* though it has been long established.

Summary of Proposed Revisions

- Delete defunct committee and include description of the Committee on Conflict of Interest.

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Current	Proposed
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[Representation on USC Columbia Faculty Special Advisory Committees](#)

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