2000-01 Senate Subcommittee for the Evaluation of Administrations Annual Report

The SSEA has concluded its business for 2000-2001. Here is a summary of our activities for the year:

During Fall 2000, the SSEA committee met to prepare the evaluation instruments for the administrators of Letters and Science and for the administrators of the School of Architecture and Urban Planning. The committee agreed to distribute questionnaires using scan-tron forms to facilitate processing. (Internet questionnaires were considered but were determined not to be sufficiently secure/anonymous given the expertise at UWM.)

From L & S, the committee met with Dean Goodman, and Associate Deans Richard Meadows, Thomas O'Bryan, Charles Schuster, and Donna Van Wynsberghe. Mark Schwartz (Chair, Academic Planning Committee) and Provost Wanat were also present. The committee prepared questionnaires in November 2000 and was ready to distribute them in January 2001 when Dean Goodman announced that he would be leaving UWM. Consistent with UWM legislation, the evaluation of L & S administration was terminated at that point.

From SARUP, the committee met with Dean Robert Greenstreet, Associate Dean Uriel Cohen, Nancy Frank, Chair of Urban Planning (and acting Associate Dean), and Michael Utzinger, Chair of Architecture with Provost Wanat also present. At this meeting, we considered their suggestions for the evaluation of Dean Greenstreet and Associate Dean Cohen. We also determined that it was not appropriate to evaluate Dr. Frank as her position as Associate Dean would not be continuing. Questionnaires were finalized in November 2000 and distributed in January. A final summary report was prepared in mid-April 2001 and sent to the Secretary of the University's office on April 16 for distribution to the relevant parties.

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