

Review and Proposed Disposition of Position Papers

1. Title: Position Paper No. 4: Review Procedures for Librarians Outside the Normal Campus Peer Review Process
2. Recommendation: Reaffirm without change
3. Justification:
 - a. History: This position paper was created to recommend a peer review process for those librarians outside the normal review process. It was first introduced in June 1975 and was approved in Nov. 1976. Its original purpose was to provide a peer review structure for librarians appointed statewide but it was expanded to include librarians who were outside the normal campus review process. Today, there are no systemwide librarians but its contents remains relevant to other librarians. In accepting the position paper, Pres. David Saxon stated that its contents would be included in the APM but they have never been specifically represented there.
 - b. Today's reality: The position paper continues to set policy with respect to peer review for librarians who are not in the normal campus review process. The position paper does not set procedures; rather it states clearly that all librarians should have peer review. This is still a timely statement to make.
4. Summary

The position paper remains valid in setting policy of peer review for all persons in the librarian series who are outside the normal campus peer review process.

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