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## UCAP

University Committee on Academic Policy

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Wednesday, October 03, 2001

Professor Norman Abeles, Chairperson  
Executive Committee of Academic Council

Dear Norm,

**re: Your memo of September 12, requesting a UCAP recommendation on the issue of  
inclusion of staff in Academic Council**

At the regularly scheduled UCAP meeting of September 27, the UCAP membership took up the charge from ECAC to consider the issue of including staff representation on Academic Council. After a through discussion of this issue, it was the determination of the UCAP membership that this issue falls outside the UCAP charge under the bylaws of the academic governance program. Sense of the committee was that this issue is more of a structural question rather than a policy question.

Yours truly,



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