

**INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS REVIEW BOARD (IPRB)  
REPORT TO AA ON ACTIVITIES OF THE BOARD (AY 2016-17)**

**1. INTRODUCTION:**

The International Programs Review Board (IPRB) held its inaugural meeting on October 13 2016. During this meeting, the board elected its first chair, recorder, and next chair/vice Chair as provided by Senate Rules.

**2. MAJOR ISSUES/ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

**3. ON-GOING/FUTURE ISSUES:**

Discuss MGA representation on the regional councils of System Council on International Education

Virtual Exchanges – Randy Spaid Project ... etc

Promoting International opportunities for faculty research and professional development

**4. CLOSING:**

I thank all members of this board for a job well done during the year under review. Worthy of special mention is Dr. Laura Thomason, Director of International Programs, who at all material times voluntarily placed her expert knowledge and assistance before the Board. She provided the much-needed guidance, assistance, and direction especially during the initial stages of our rooting and early development. This view is shared by all members of this board. Thank you Dr. Thomason.

Moving forward, the members of the IPRB hereby pledge to work even harder on all of the responsibilities of the board as well as on other issues as the board may be called upon to serve.

This report to Academic Assembly is based activities of the board as at April 19, 2017 and I alone remain liable for any gaps herein contained.

Thanks.

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