A. FUNCTION. [See also 4300.] [ed. 7-06]

A-1. To conduct a continuing review of teacher-education policies and to promote quality teacher preparation.

A-2. To act on and submit to the respective college committees proposed changes in programs leading to teacher education certifications and endorsements. [rev. 3-14]

A-3. To provide updates on state and national issues pertaining to the preparation of educators. [rev. 3-14]

A-4. TECC will meet in September, January and March, three times per year, prior to UCC deadlines, in order to facilitate curriculum changes. Meeting dates/times will be posted annually by the first week of September. [add. 3-14]

BC. STRUCTURE AND MEMBERSHIP. [Faculty members in the Committee are nominated/appointed by the College of Education, Health & Human Sciences (CEHHS) as follows from each of the following groups:]

- Four faculty members from the Department of Curriculum and Instruction, including representation from the elementary program, the secondary program, the career and technical education program, and the special education programs;
- One faculty member from the Department of Movement Science physical education teacher education program;
- One faculty member from the Department of Leadership and Counseling educational leadership program;
- One faculty member from each of the following groups: early childhood, agricultural education, music education, social sciences, natural sciences and business;
- Two junior or senior level students (one from the CEHHS College of Education and the second annually rotating between early childhood education, agricultural education and music education);
- Three P-12 school personnel, including a superintendent, a principal and a teacher from multiple districts, representing both elementary and secondary education as well as from multiple districts;
- The Director of Teacher Education, who serves as chair; and
- The CEHHS Director of Assessment (w/o vote) and the Dean of the College of Education, or designee, both without vote (w/o vote), who serves as chair. [rev. 7-08, 7-10, 3-14]

Summary of TECC Membership:

Elementary program faculty
Secondary program faculty
CTE program faculty
Special education program faculty
PETE program faculty
Educational leadership program faculty*
Early childhood program faculty
Agricultural education program faculty
Social sciences program faculty
Natural sciences program faculty
Business program faculty
College of Education student (junior or senior)
One student from E.C., Ag.Ed., or Music
Superintendent
Principal
Elementary teacher**

Commented [TCR1]: A relatively innocuous semantics shift; we don’t certify (the state does) completers. We recommend individuals for certification.

Commented [TCR2]: To allow for flexibility in scheduling TECC meetings, given the changing deadlines by UCC.
Music education program faculty
Secondary teacher**
Director of Teacher Education*
Director of Assessment***
Dean***

English education program faculty
Mathematics program faculty

*proposed
**must be from different districts
***without vote