CALS DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION COMMITTEE

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Student Members:
Kendall Ann Clark
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Number of Members: Ten faculty members, two undergraduate students from different program areas, one graduate student; the Associate Dean and Director of Academic Programs and the College student services diversity staff as ex officio members.

Committee Chair: Chair is elected annually by the Committee from its faculty membership.

Length of Terms: Faculty: 4 years
Students: 1 year

Responsibilities: The Diversity and Inclusion Committee is a standing committee of the College, whose responsibility is to:
1. Gather information related to diversity issues of concern to students, faculty and academic employees in the college.
2. Develop and oversee programs to address these concerns.
3. Report findings to the administration and to provide information regarding these issues to the CALS Faculty Executive Committee so that appropriate policies concerning the issues may be developed.
4. Suggest areas which the CALS Faculty Executive Committee may want to examine to determine if new or modified policies concerning academic human diversity and
resources are needed.

5. Recommend to the CALS Dean annual goals for the College’s participation in Cornell’s Diversity Initiative. Implement the appropriate goals.