Bicentennial Advisory Committee (http://president.umich.edu/committees/bicentennial-advisory-committee/)

Biosciences Initiative Coordinating Committee (http://president.umich.edu/committees/biosciences-initiative-coordinating-committee/)

Institutional Conflict of Interest Committee for Clinical Trials (http://president.umich.edu/committees/institutional-conflict-of-interest-committee-for-clinical-trials/)

President's Advisory Committee on Labor Standards and Human Rights (http://president.umich.edu/committees/presidents-advisory-committee-on-labor-standards-and-human-rights/)

President's Advisory Committee on Public Art (http://president.umich.edu/committees/presidents-advisory-committee-on-public-art/)

President's Advisory Committee on University History (http://president.umich.edu/committees/presidents-advisory-committee-on-university-history/)

Smoke-Free University Advisory Committee (http://president.umich.edu/committees/smoke-free-university-advisory-committee-members/)

UM-Dearborn Chancellor Search Advisory Committee (http://president.umich.edu/committees/um-dearborn-chancellor-search/)

PRESIDENT'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON UNIVERSITY HISTORY

Function

The committee will advise the President of the University on matters relating to the history and traditions of the University that require historical interpretation, sensitivity, and expertise. The agenda for the committee will be determined by the Office of the President as issues come to it requiring advice of this nature. The committee will provide to the President a report that discusses the historical dimensions of the issue in question, the impact of various approaches to the issue on the University's appreciation and maintenance of its history and traditions, and recommendations of actions for consideration.

The committee will meet once per year and also as required when issues arise. The Office of the President will provide administrative support for the committee.

Updates:

In Spring 2016, President Schlissel requested that the President's Advisory Committee on University History consider and make recommendations regarding how the University should approach questions raised by the community regarding historical names in and on buildings. The Committee deliberated over several months, exploring the history of naming practices at the University, potential cases that might arise and practices and policies at other similar institutions. They issued preliminary recommendations to the President in Fall, 2016 which he shared and discussed with the executive leadership of the institution. Some feedback from

that process was provided to the committee resulting in the final recommendations which are set forth below and which have been accepted by the President.

Memo: Committee Views on Possible Review of University Space Names (PDF) (/wp-content/uploads/sites/3/2017/01/PACOUH-memo-on-naming-1-13-17.pdf)

May 2008 Regents Meeting, Appendix B:
Policy For Naming Of Facilities, Spaces and Streets (PDF) (/wp-content/uploads/sites/3/2017/01/Regents-2008-Naming-Policy-and-Guidelines.pdf)

Membership

The committee will consist of six to ten members appointed by the President. Membership will include faculty are who expert in historical interpretation, as well as others who have special knowledge of the history and traditions of the University. The President shall appoint the chair of the committee.

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