# Department of Oceanography, National Sun Yat-sen University <br> Regulations Governing the Establishment of the Academic Committee 

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Article 1. The Academic Committee (hereinafter "the Committee") was established to promote effective planning and execution of academic research-related affairs of the Department of Oceanography (hereinafter "the Department").

Article 2. The Committee is composed of at least three elected faculty members of the Department ranked assistant professors or above. The member who receives the most votes shall act as the convener of the Committee. Where two or more members receive the same number of votes, the Department Director shall appoint one of them to serve the position of the Committee convener, who will be an ex officio member the coming year to maintain continuity of decision-making. Each member shall serve a term of one year with a term limit of two terms.

Article 3. Responsibilities of the Committee are as follows:
Review academic regulations for students, student scholarships, master's and doctoral program subsidies, and other academic activities and affairs.

Article 4. A decision may be implemented by the Committee only upon agreement of the Department Director. Should there be any objections from the Department Director, the matter shall be submitted to the Department Affairs Council for resolution.

Article 5. These Regulations, as well as all amendments thereto, shall come into effect upon approval by the Department Affairs Council.

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