Resolution 2017-14. On Protecting Free Speech.

The General Faculty resolves:

Recognizing that the N.C. General Statutes (§116-300) require the UNC Board of Governors to develop and adopt a new policy on free expression, we strongly urge the Board not to impose broader limitations on expression or expressive conduct than those defined by North Carolina law, and to give each UNC campus maximum discretion, consistent with the First Amendment rights of students, staff, and faculty, in determining appropriate consequences for violations of any adopted policy.

Submitted by the Faculty Executive Committee.