

**Resolution 2021-5. On the Hiring of Chancellors.**

The Faculty Council resolves:

We affirm the following principles: (1) that the process by which a chancellor is hired must have significant faculty influence; (2) that a campus-based search committee with strong faculty voice must play the primary role in selecting candidates; and (3) that a candidate who is hired must have the search committee's support. Processes and policies that undermine collaborative decision-making at either the institution or System level threaten shared governance, and should be revised to promote openness, transparency, fairness, and equity in decision-making in searches for senior leadership positions. These principles of shared governance are essential to the University of North Carolina System's continued excellence, national reputation, and accreditation.

*Submitted by the Faculty Executive Committee*