Approval of the minutes of the meeting of September 19, 2000
The September 19, 2000 minutes were approved as amended. (Changes: Mike Moore was marked as present. Since Gail Nelson and Pat Byrd are not committee members, their names were omitted from the roster.)

Discussion of two proposed motions regarding E-Courses
Voting did not take place regarding these motions. After the discussion, it was decided to form a subcommittee of members from Admissions and Standards, Faculty Affairs, IS&T and APACE.

Motion to Create a Banner Conversion Task Force was approved
A subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Admissions and Standards, the Banner Conversion Task Force (BCT), will be formed. The BCT will recommend GSU policy on matters concerning changes to the Faculty Handbook, Academic Regulations, and admissions standards that arise during the conversion to the Banner computer system.

The BCT is not authorized to make recommendations concerning college and departmental requirements. The BCT will, however, be able to consider whether college and departmental requirements mesh with University requirements.

The BCT will cease to exist at the end December 2002.

The BCT shall be composed of: the Director of Admissions, the Registrar, the Director of the Student Advisement Center, the Director of Undergraduate Studies, two faculty members selected by the Chair of Faculty Affairs, and two faculty members selected by the Chair of Admissions and Standards.

The BCT will report all its recommendations to the members of Admissions and Standards and the Senate Executive Committee. If no member of these committees objects to the recommendation of the BCT within two weeks of being notified of the recommendation, the recommendation of the BCT will be GSU policy. If any member of these committees objects to the recommendation, it will be considered at the next full meeting of the appropriate Senate committee and must follow the normal Senate procedures to become GSU policy.

The BCT procedure will only be used for those issues requiring prompt action because of Banner conversion. In extenuating circumstances, and only with the approval of the President, the Provost, and the Chair of the Senate Executive Committee, the two-week comment period may be shortened.

Motion to Revise the Scholastic Discipline Rules and the Academic Improvement Program was approved.
I. The following scholastic discipline rules shall replace the current rules as of Summer 2001.
   A. Students are placed on warning when
      1. their cumulative GSU GPA is below 2.0 and
      2. they were not on warning, supervision, or suspension the previous semester in attendance.
   B. Students are placed on supervision when
      1. their cumulative GSU GPA is below 2.0 and
      2. they were on warning or supervision the previous semester in attendance.
   C. Students are placed on suspension when
      1. their cumulative GSU GPA is below 2.0 and
      2. their most recent term GSU GPA is below 2.0 and
3. they were on supervision the previous semester in attendance.

D. Once placed on suspension, students remain on suspension until
   1. their cumulative GSU GPA is 2.0 or above or
   2. they are placed on exclusion.

E. Students are placed on exclusion when
   1. their cumulative GSU GPA is below 2.0 and
   2. their most recent term GSU GPA is below 2.0 and
   3. they were on suspension the previous semester in attendance.

F. Students on exclusion are not eligible to enroll in any undergraduate program or status in any college of GSU.

G. When students are placed on suspension, they are no longer on supervision. When students are placed on exclusion, they are no longer on suspension.

H. Academic standing
   1. Students on warning or supervision are in good standing.
   2. Students on suspension or exclusion are not in good standing.

I. No transfer credit will be given for courses taken while on suspension or exclusion.

J. To assist students in the transition to these new scholastic discipline rules, at the end of the Fall 1999 semester, students who would normally be placed on supervision or suspension shall be placed on warning.

K. The Student Advisement Center, following guidelines set by the Board of Regents, may establish distinct scholastic discipline policies for students in LSP.

II. The following Academic Improvement Program (AIP) shall be used at the end of the Fall 2000 semester and thereafter.

A. Warning
   1. Students on warning shall receive a letter outlining the AIP.

B. Supervision
   1. Students on supervision for the first time must:
      a. Have their registration approved by an academic advisor.
      b. Register for no more than 12 semester hours (including GSU 1050 and GSU 1060).
      c. Take GSU 1050, Survival Skills for College (unless they have already taken it).
      d. Take any other steps required by the academic advisor (e.g., seeing their major advisor, participate in an assessment by the Counseling Center, seeking the assistance of the Writing Center, etc.).
   2. Students on supervision for a second or subsequent time must continue to participate in the AIP until their cumulative GSU GPA is 2.0 or better.
   3. The Provost, or his or her designee, is authorized to develop criteria which, if met, will exempt students on supervision from the requirement that they take GSU 1050. These criteria, and any subsequent changes to them, shall be reported, as an information item, to the Senate Committee on Admissions and Standards.

C. Suspension
   1. Students on suspension for the first time must:
      a. Have their registration approved by an academic advisor.
      b. Register for no more than 12 semester hours (including GSU 1050 and GSU 1060).
      c. Take GSU 1060, Survival Skills for Academic Success (unless they have already taken it).
      d. Take any other steps required by the academic advisor (e.g., seeing their major advisor, participate in an assessment by the Counseling Center, seeking the assistance of the Writing Center, etc.).
   2. Students returning from a first suspension after having not enrolled at GSU for one or more semesters must participate in the AIP until their cumulative GSU GPA is 2.0 or better.
3. The Provost, or his or her designee, is authorized to develop criteria which, if met, will exempt students on suspension from the requirement that they take GSU 1060. These criteria, and any subsequent changes to them, shall be reported, as an information item, to the Senate Committee on Admissions and Standards.

D. Exclusion
   1. Students on exclusion are not eligible to enroll in any undergraduate program or status in any college of GSU. Therefore, they may not enroll in the AIP.

E. GSU 1050 and GSU 1060
   1. may be taken only once each.
   2. do not count as credit hours towards graduation.
   3. shall be used in the calculation of the GSU GPA.

F. Irrespective of whether a student is participating in the AIP, no student shall graduate with a cumulative GSU GPA less than 2.0.

G. Colleges may, at their option, require a student on suspension for the first time not to enroll at GSU for a semester.

H. Students who wish to appeal for an exemption from some or all of the AIP policy shall appeal, in the first instance, to the Director of the Student Advisement Center. Should the student wish to appeal the decision of the Director of the Student Advisement Center, he or she shall use the normal procedures for appealing for a waiver of a University regulation.

I. Nothing in this policy changes the financial aid regulations of GSU or guarantees students in the AIP that they will receive financial aid.