FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCES AGENDA -- OCTOBER 1, 2002

3:30 p.m. MILLINGTON 150

I. Minutes of the last meeting, September 3, 2002 (minutes posted at http://www.wm.edu/as/dean/faculty/documents/minutes/20020903.pdf)

II. Nominations and Elections Committee

A. Replacement Elections for RPT, ISC and EPC.

http://www.wm.edu/as/dean/faculty/documents/nominationelection/20021001.pdf

III. Report of Administrative Officers

IV. Honor Council Procedures (10 minutes)

A. A brief synopsis outlining what the Honor Council learned at the Center of Academic Integrity's Convention at Texas A&M, followed by the presentation given by the Honor Council at the convention, describing our own honor system. If there is time, we will answer any general questions about honor council procedures.

V. RPT Report

http://www.wm.edu/as/dean/faculty/documents/rpt/20021001.pdf

VI. Report of the Faculty Affairs Committee

A. Discussion Question: (30 minute time limit)

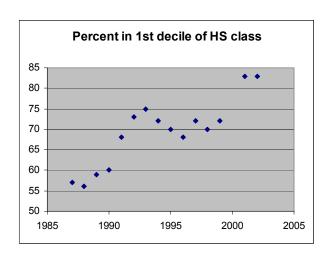
Should we be concerned that W&M has experienced a 13% increase in the average undergraduate GPA over the last 15 years, even though this increase is partly explained by an accompanying increase in student quality?

(See attachment)

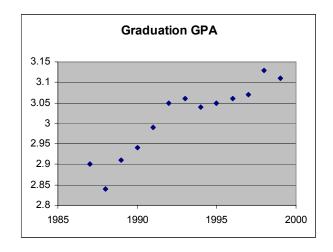
VI. Old Business

VII. New Business

Slide 1: "quality of WIM Entering Students over the Past Fifteen years



Slide 2: Mean Graduation GPA of W&M Students over the Past Fifteen Years



Slide 3: "Quality" of Entering W&M Students vs. Mean Graduation GPA

