IFC Constitution and Bylaws Amendments Summary
April 21, 2020

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
The overall goal is to extend voting rights and representation in the IFC to the NTT faculty and add emergency procedures.

Article I. Section A.
Clarifies the definition of the faculty as a whole

Article I. Section B.
Detailed definition of the voting faculty
Detailed definition of the non-voting faculty
Note: These definitions match those found in the amended UFC Constitution

Article IV. Section A.3.
Brings the language regarding an alternate for an IFC member who cannot attend an IFC meetings into line with new definition of Voting Faculty

Article IV. Section F.1.
Changes the ratio of TT and NTT faculty in the IFC Executive Committee from 8:2 to 6:4. Six to 4 is maximum number of NTT allowed under the 60/40 rule. Six to 4 more closely matches the actual ratio of TT and NTT at IUPUI+ISUM, which is 40/60.

Article IV. Section F.5.
Adding a component to allow the IFC Executive Committee to act as the executive agent of the council without prior consultation with the council to take emergency action on educational matters when facing situations such as COVID-19.

Article V. Section F.2.
Updates the faculty definition for membership UFC Executive Committee in case of a tie.

BYLAWS AMENDMENTS
The overall goal is to adapt the Bylaws to match the proposed changes to the Constitution and add clarification to the Ombudsteam.

Article II. Section A.
Specify that Unit reps will be Voting Faculty as defined in the Constitution.

Article II. Section B.
New cap on the number of At-Large reps that can come from a single unit. This is to distribute voting power among the units in the face of a large increase of NTT faculty in the IUSM.
Article II. Section C.1.
Deleted phrase that limited the President and VP positions to TT faculty, now will be open to both NTT and TT faculty.

Article II. Section D.1.
Changes the number of IUPUI reps to the UFC to 12 to match the new IFC Constitution.

Article II. Section D.3.
Updates the apportionment of UFC reps between the TT and NTT faculty in accord with the changes to the UFC Constitution. The split will now be 8TT and 4 NTT of the 12 total. This is within the 60/40 rule. Clarify by reordering sentences in v.2.

Article IV. Section C.1.
Specifies that NTTF are eligible to serve on the Ombudsteam.

Article IV. Section C.4.
Clarify that the Ombudsteam will have representation from different schools (i.e., no two schools will have representation on the team.)