Commission on Higher Education (sometimes called ICHE)

- Define the educational missions of public colleges and universities
- Plan and coordinate Indiana’s state-supported system of postsecondary education
- Review budget requests from public institutions and the State Student Assistance Commission
- Approve or disapprove for public institutions the establishment of new programs or expansion of campuses
ICHE

- The Commission is not a governing board, but a coordinating agency that works closely with Indiana’s public and independent colleges.
IU Board of Trustees

• To govern the disposition and method and purpose of use of the property owned, used, or occupied by the institution.

• To prescribe the fees, tuition, and charges necessary or convenient to the furthering of the purposes of the institution and to collect the same;

• To prescribe the curricula and courses of study offered by the institution and to define the standards of proficiency and satisfaction within such curricula and courses.
FACULTY SELF-GOVERNMENT

A. Academic mission.
B. Structure and standards for faculty governance.
C. Standards and procedures for creation, reorganization, merger, and elimination of academic programs and units.
E. Curriculum.
F. Class scheduling and academic calendar.
L. Standards and procedures for faculty appointments, promotion and tenure, compensation, conduct and discipline, and grievances
UNIVERSITY FACULTY COUNCIL

The University faculty shall exercise its authority through the University Faculty Council . . . [or] Otherwise, a faculty may exercise its authority as a whole faculty or through institutions of representative faculty governance established pursuant to the faculty’s constitution or bylaws.
UFC Representatives

• A. The voting membership of the University Faculty Council shall be composed of elected faculty and librarians as well as ex-officio members and students.

• B. The number of elected representatives from each campus shall be one representative for each 100 voting members on the campus.

• C. Ex-officio voting members of the University Faculty Council shall include:
   1. The President of the University.

• http://www.iu.edu/~ufc/