

Transparency on documents

Transparency is a key component for the efficient functioning of the Executive Board and the University Council. The University Council receives information for the decisions the Executive Board intends to take. These decisions are based on carefully weighed recommendations from the organization and often includes several layers of prior recommendations made by the platforms, the UC-OW and the Strategic Board.

However, at times the information provided does not include these recommendations in full. As such, they do not reflect the complete true story. As information presented in this way can be misleading, the University Council requested the Executive Board to attach all relevant advice from platforms as a written document for future documents submitted to the University Council. The Executive Board agreed to attach executive summaries of the advice received from these platforms. Hence, the advice received by the University Council from these platforms will be as detailed as the advice received by the Executive Board themselves. However, the Executive Board did not feel the need to attach full-text discussion documents of meeting of these platforms. This agreement will enable the University Council to take informed decisions for future documents based on the recommendations from platforms.