## ARTICLE TWELVE CLASS SIZE

12.1 The parties recognize that one of the great strengths of the University is a relatively low student/faculty ratio and the resultant opportunity for small classes and for greater student/faculty contact whenever possible. The University will ensure that disproportionate class sizes across and within colleges and programs have sound pedagogical, physical space, and financial viability rationales. Recommendations concerning class size shall be submitted to the appropriate Dean yearly by the program faculty and in consideration of program reviews and viability reports. Class size limits for a specific semester shall not be exceeded without approval of the Faculty member.