

bers serve six-year terms, except for the initial membership which was staggered.

The Council prepares programs for the orderly growth and the overall development of the State system of higher education, the investigation of needs throughout the State for undergraduate, graduate and adult education, for professional and technical training and for research facilities. The Council also has the responsibility for the presentation of plans and recommendations for the establishment and location of new facilities and programs.

The Council conducts studies regarding the Statewide coordination of the activities of the public institutions of higher learning, academically, administratively, and fiscally and makes recommendations to the governing boards of public institutions of higher education, as well as to State officials. The agencies and institutions having custody of and responsibility for data, statistics, and information on matters pending before or of interest to the Council are required to comply with any reasonable request of the Council for such information.

Any institution of higher education which has functions and programs within the scope of the duties, functions, and interests of the Council, and which submits any program, plan, or proposal to any official or agency of this State, must at the same time furnish a copy of the program, plan, or proposal to the Council for such recommendation as may be appropriate.

The Council also submits an annual report to the Governor and the General Assembly which includes a report of its activities, together with the results of any studies it has undertaken or completed, together with such plans or recommendations respecting higher education (Code 1957, 1969 Repl. Vol., Art. 77, secs. 325-328).

Appropriations	1971	1972
General Funds .....	\$269,473	\$235,864
Staff: 15.		

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