

## February 2022 Minutes

### Faculty Standards Committee of the University Senate

Monday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022 (2:00 – 3:30 PM, held via WebEx)

#### 1. Attendance

Lisa Holle, Chair, Pharmacy Practice  
Valarie Artigas, School of Nursing  
Bede Agocha, CLAS, Africana Studies Institute  
Douglas Degges, Art and Art History;  
Dan Burkey, Engineering, Associate Dean  
Masha Gordina, CLAS, Mathematics  
Elizabeth Jockusch, CLAS, Ecology & Evolutionary Biology  
Betsy McCoach, Neag, Educational Psychology  
Kathleen Holgerson, Women's Center  
Vicki Magley, CLAS, Psychological Sciences  
Linda Pescatello, CAHNR, Kinesiology  
Martina Rosenberg, CETL, Faculty Development  
Jeffrey Shoulson, Senior Vice Provost, Ex-Officio member

*Unable to attend:* Preston Britner, CLAS, Human Development & Family Sciences; George McManus, CLAS, Avery Point; Jack Powell, Undergraduate Student Government Representative; graduate student representative and another USG representative unassigned

#### 2. Approval of December 2021 Minutes

#### 3. SET Working Group - Martina Rosenberg described intent and plan for resolution.

- a. Committee approved *Resolution in support of convening a University wide task force to operationalize "evidence of teaching excellence beyond SET" (formerly known as SET+ or SET Plus)*
- b. Lisa to bring to Senate Executive Committee and present at March 2022 University Senate meeting
- c. Jeffrey will continue to look into whether we can hold grades until SETs completed

#### 4. Dean's Level Distinguished Professor workgroup status -Vicki Magley updated group that language will be finalized and brought to March 2022 meeting

- a. Plan for FSC review/approval before moving forward to Senate Executive Committee and Provost for consideration

#### 5. COACHE Faculty Job Satisfaction Survey – Lisa indicated Gladis Kersaint, Phillip Hyman and Sarah Croucher invited to present March 7<sup>th</sup> overview of faculty job satisfaction survey 2020 results

#### 6. PTR process

- a. Jeffrey requested input from committee on supporting documents provided to faculty by Provost's office in preparing for PTR ([22-23 PTR Reference for FSC Review](#)) and website: <https://provost.uconn.edu/faculty-and-staff-resources/promotion-tenure-reappointment/>
  - i. It was clarified that SharePoint documents similar to what is on website but in another format. Suggested to include that language so that faculty know that they information is the same

- ii. Committee members will review documents and website by March 7th meeting and provide feedback to Jeffrey, Lisa or at next meeting
- b. PTR forums to be held virtually again this year – proposed schedule is for April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**PTR/Tenure Track Forum:**

- 9:00-9:05 Opening – Lisa Holle
- 9:05-9:15 Opening – Carl Lejuez
- 9:15-9:25 AAUP Remarks – Michael Bailey/Faculty Rep?
- 9:25-10:30 PTR Presentation/Q&A – Jeffrey Shoulson
- 10:30-11:00 Breakout rooms with deans

**CIRE/Non-Tenure Track Forum:**

- 1:00-1:05 Opening – Lisa Holle
- 1:05-1:15 Opening – Carl Lejuez
- 1:15-1:25 AAUP Remarks – Michael Bailey/Faculty Rep?
- 1:25-2:30 PTR Presentation/Q&A – Jeffrey Shoulson

- 7. Request to consider status of Emeritus professors - Lisa discussed issue requested by faculty to make broad statement that emeriti faculty should have same status as when they were full-time. Discussion ensued about difficulties with software access and other access within university.
  - a. Lisa to investigate when/if netid/password stops functioning once faculty retires and what software access issues might be problematic
- 8. Reminder of Future Meetings
  - a. March 7, 2022 - Note: COACH Faculty Job Satisfaction Survey presentation 3-3:30pm
  - b. April 4, 2022
  - c. May 2, 2022