

Faculty Guide and Bylaws Committee Report
May 20, 2022

The Faculty Guide Committee met on April 27 and May 18. We are completing work on the Article 13 revisions. This article has also been reviewed by the Provost's Faculty Guide Editing Group. We plan to bring it to the Senate in June.

We are bringing revisions of Article 3 to the Senate today for a second reading.

We are bringing an interpretation of the Faculty Guide regarding the amount of time that must pass before an Associate Professor can apply for promotion to Professor. Article 4.1.b states the "teaching and service performed, and scholarly or creative works published **after submission of an application** for previous successful promotion are the basis for the next promotion". This was on the April Senate agenda but we did not get to it.

We are bringing Article 8 to the Senate. This article was approved by the Senate in November 2019 and the Provost is sending it back with editorial changes suggested by the Faculty Guide Editing Group and University Counsel. The FG Committee Co-Chairs meet with Amy Newcombe and Erik Lillquist on May 16, reviewed the edits and additional minor suggestions. The Faculty Guide Committee has reviewed the edits and we are now bringing Article 8 back for a first reading.

The committee feels any substantive changes to proposed Faculty Guide language already approved by the Senate, must be fully and thoroughly reviewed. Therefore, although the edits to article 8 are relatively minor, we are submitting the article for full Senate review in accordance with the Bylaws.

Respectfully submitted,

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