



Committee on Non-Tenure-Track Faculty

Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, October 3rd, 1:00 to 2:00 PM
LSC 310 and Microsoft Teams

Attendees: Karen Thorsett-Hill, Sean Bryan, Ryan Brooks, Scott Wiebensohn(minutes), and Ann Hess

1) MINUTES APPROVED

- a) CoNTTF Meeting Minutes – Sept 18, 2023

2) CHAIR ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPDATES

- a) Faculty Success Open House – Update from Event
 - Ryan and Ann attended and there was good discussion around workload equity, faculty success, and salary equity
 - Documentation of presentations will be uploaded on NTTF channel in the Provost Faculty Council Teams
- b) University Budget Model
 - Upcoming open forum will be October 18th, 2023
 - In need of NTTF on the steering committee, if interested reach out to Ryan
 - This Budget Model is still in a discussion period
- c) Salary/Compensation Equity Update
 - Comparing to our external institutional peers
 - Included data around retirement plans
 - Discussions currently being had to raise the salary floor to \$70,000
- d) Advocates and Allies Update – Ann
 - Thank you, Ann!
 - Ann is the only NTTF representative
- e) Needing a new volunteer to takeover as CoNTTF's institutional research lead
 - To be added to the next agenda
- f) University Distinguished Professors Award
 - This same conversation is happening in a variety of committees
 - Mike Palmquist will be joining us for a Q&A session at our November 13th meeting
 - Update on Committee on Teaching and Learning
 - (i) Sean shared that this group was interested in continuing this conversation to include one inclusive award (tenured and non-tenured)

3) ACTION ITEMS / DISCUSSION

- (1) Campus Equity Week Green Light – Activity Needed
 - We can do our own thing and have endorsement of the Office of Inclusive Excellence and Sue James

- Aiming for last week of October
 - A brainstorming session of new ideas occurred
 - (i) Does not have to be fancy, just select topics of interest for NTTF
 - Will narrow down topics at our next meeting, possibly a presentation and a listening session
- (2) Review Workload Document
- Thank you to everyone who added comments and reviewed this evolving document
 - Discussion followed on a variety of topics
 - Ryan encouraged attendees to share this document with your home department
- (3) On-Boarding and Mentoring
- Ryan stated, it is important to set up faculty to be successful
 - Scott shared some of the successes that the Libraries have made since their restructuring
 - Karen pointed out how the College of Engineering handles mentoring through committee
 - Ann shared that there is a new faculty orientation in August with the College of Natural Sciences