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Minutes of the University Libraries Assembly<br>http://www.augusta.edu/library/about/library-assembly.php<br>Wednesday, January 19, 2022, 3:00 pm-4:00 p.m., Virtual Meeting

Call to Order: 3:02 p.m.
Present: Ballance, Davis, Kouame, Morgan, Reese, Smith, Weeks
Absent: Bustos, Dority, Gaines, Johnson, Kubicki

1. Approval of Minutes (L. Smith)
a. First: G. Kouame Second: K. Davies
2. OLD Business
3. NEW Business
a. Welcome New Faculty
i. A. Luster, Access Services Librarian Greenblatt Library
b. Director's Update (K. Davies)
i. GALILEO Update:
4. GUGM: https://gil.usg.edu/conference
5. May 17-19
6. Keynote Speaker Kyle Courtney, Copyright Advisor for Harvard University,
7. Call for Proposals Jan. 10-Feb. 10
8. GALILEO Annual Conference:
https://about.galileo.usg.edu/conference
9. June 14-16
10. Keynote Speaker TBD
11. Call for Proposals Feb. 1-1-March 4
ii. RFP for potential Alma Replacement
12. Committees/Teams
a. Planning Team (Rod Bustos is the AU representative)
b. Evaluation Team
c. Observer Team
d. Negotiation Team
13. Timeline (rough)
a. Planning phase: January-March/April 2022
b. Posting Phase: April-June 2022
c. Evaluation phase: July-October 2022
d. General vendor demonstrations: July-October 2022
iii. University is launching a new initiative to improve faculty recruitment and retention for diverse and underrepresented faculty.
iv. Personnel:
14. New Dean of Libraries starting March 1, 2022: Brad Warren from University of Cincinnati
15. Faculty positions are paused until the Dean starts.
16. Hiring for staff are moving forward at Reese Library.
v. Met with Dr. Browder. Moving forward with the Faculty Workload, which is being pushed by the BOR. Reviewing annual evaluations, promotion, tenure, and administration.
17. M. Johnson, E.K. Morgan, and D. Balance are all serving in this initiative.
vi. Renovation is moving forward, but the stairs upgrade has been cut due to budgetary reasons. Estimated to start in February.
vii. Budget:
18. No longer combined with Instruction and Innovation for budget request submission
19. Brad will be representing the Libraries as a separate unit during Budget hearings
20. Mention of potential increase for library resources but nothing confirmed
c. University Senate Update (J. Davis) - see Appendix I
i. Bylaws were reviewed and voted on. As far as we know, the amendments were accepted, so that means as an assembly, we much make sure that our bylaws match the University bylaws.
ii. Lots of discussion about the whole post-tenure review that was passed down by the BOR. We are not really affected by this change, but our biggest concern will be student success, which will be handled at the university level.
iii. There is a pot of money that the libraries can try for to get some extra funding for a few new things.
d. University Senate Committee Updates
i. Athletics Committee (R. Bustos) - no report
ii. Budget Advisory and University Resources (K. Davies) -- Call for specific funding initiatives; these funds must be linked to a specific project.
iii. Curriculum and Academic Policies (T. Weeks/N. Reese) - no report
iv. Faculty Development (G. Kouame) --just approved a hazardous substance policy. The committee has been talking a lot with Dr. Browder and Dr. Kelehear about some of these larger university committees about the challenges in student schedules for those who have to transfer between campuses. Looking to expand the scheduling options for students.
21. Awards: Bell Award and Wallace Award are coming up to be selected. There will be a ceremony in the spring recipients.
22. Also talking about the possibility of dovetailing these awards into outstanding faculty awards, which would be selected from the pool of faculty award recipients of the college recipients
v. Faculty Grievance (J. Davis/D. Ballance) - There are no grievances at this time, but they have been looking into a policy which was sent to the senate for approval
vi. Faculty Rights and Responsibilities (J. Kubicki) - no report
vii. Governance and Communication (J. Davis) - no report
viii. Instructional Technology (R. Bustos/J. Gaines) - no report
ix. Promotion and Tenure (G. Kouame) - no report
x. Student Affairs (T. Weeks/J. Davis) -Split into two groups that are working on various things
23. We split up into working groups, one focused on the LGBTQ Resource Guide and the other on COVID-related issues. I have been working on the LGBTQ Resource guide group. We are working with ODI and MSC to update the guide from a physical book to an online resource.
24. Announcements:
a. (T. Weeks): The University went through the QEP process. They're about to roll off of the experiential learning QEP project to make it more sustainable and away from the QEP framework.
b. (K. Davies):
i. Mid cycle reporting of SACS does not require library standards completion
ii. I have been asked to review standard for student support services
iii. Please be diligent to fill out consultation and teaching forms for SLOs as we need data for SACS
iv. Multiple faculty serving on teams to address evaluation and student success
v. Progress is currently focused on defining student success and student success activities
vi. Should receive feedback on faculty workload document submitted in November
vii. New initiatives to support underrepresented faculty success
25. Can apply for recruitment funding
26. New faculty can apply for faculty development funding

Adjournment 3:45 pm (L. Smith \& K. Davies)
Next Libraries Assembly meeting: Wednesday, March 16, 2022, 3:00-4:00 p.m.

## Appendix I

Augusta University Faculty Senate Meeting Notes (January 2022) by J. Davis \& J. Kubicki

# AUFS Meeting 

Minutes
Jan 24, 2022
3:30-5:30 p.m. (MS-Teams) Secretary: Jennifer Davis

Attendance: The meeting was conducted via Teams and was called to order by the Chair, Dr. Vazdarjanova, at 3:30 p.m.

1. See Appendix I for attendance of AUFS Executive Members, Committee Chairs, and Senators.

## Administrative Items

Ms. Davis

1. AUFS Meeting Minutes $12 / 06 / 2021$ were approved.
2. BOX Folder:
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## Invited Reports from Ex-Officio Executive Committee Members

1. President

Dr. Keel
a. No report as President Dr. Keel was absent.
2. Provost

Dr. MacKinnon
a. Governor Kemp's Proposed Amended Budget for Remaining Fiscal Year 2022
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3. $\$ 8.7 \mathrm{M}$ central energy plant at AU for updates
b. Inaugural Dean of Libraries will begin March 1, 2022: Mr. Brad Warren
c. Dean of Augusta University Online will be announced in the coming week.
d. Provost Cabinet Meeting on January 21, 2022
i. Training completed for upcoming resource alignment hearings
e. Senate Bylaws were passed and are now at the legal team, after which they will be sent to President Keel for final approval.
4. Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs

Dr. Browder
a. Faculty Evaluation Alignment (FEA)
i. Objective: Ensure an integrated and holistic faculty evaluation system that promotes the growth and advancement of AU faculty in accordance with the institutional mission
ii. Committees involved:

1. Steering Committee
2. Tenure Review Committee
3. Post-Tenure Review Committee
4. Promotion Review Committee
5. Administrator Review Committee
iii. Minimum Outcomes for Spring 2022
6. Define student success activities and determine how and where to integrate into individual policies
7. Draft student success language for all policies
8. Complete vertical and horizontal alignments of policies
9. Complete revision workplan
10. Complete revisions as time permits
iv. Work to Date
11. Jan 13 Kickoff with Provost
12. All workgroups have had initial meeting
13. Student Success Activities Survey has been administered to the faculty
a. Results include that a majority of responses indicated that student success activities should be integrated into existing evaluation categories (79\% versus 21\%)
b. Dr. Browder also presented a rank order of the possible student activities success activities from the survey
14. Awaiting final revisions from USG to Academic \& Student Affairs handbook
v. Academic Administrator Review
15. Initial meeting will be held on Jan 27, 2022
a. Charge: Integrated academic administrator officer evaluation process to include periodic
review by subordinates and post-tenure review, as well as the annual evaluation by supervisor
16. Vice Provost for Instruction Dr. Kelehear
a. Course Scheduling Project
i. Investigating current course scheduling practices
ii. How course scheduling also affects other entities like parking, shuttle service, library hours, etc.
iii. A working committee has been formed
iv. Discussion from the senate on how the current courses are scheduled and how this can be improved to show better campus designation, efficiency in the assignment of classrooms, and possibilities of future mini-course schedules (e.g., 8 -wseek intensive courses)

## Continuing Business

| 1. Faculty Workload Initiative | Dr. |
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| Browder |  |
| a. See Invited Reports 3. |  |

1. By-laws Revisions

Drs. Elam/Basciano
a. Amendments can be found in BOX: https://augustauniversity.box.com/v/aufsmeeting20211116
b. Bylaws passed
i. See also under Provost Report item e.

Voting Items - all approved by AUFS

1. Hazardous Chemical Protection Policy (Faculty Development Committee) Dr. Curry-McCoy

## Committee Reports

1. Athletics

Dr. Bennett
a. Mental health and student athletes
i. Last year, a survey was distributed to student athletes and responses culminated into a mental health summit a

1. Survey will be revised and re-distributed to student athletes
b. Student athletes and academic performance
i. Study groups
ii. Mentoring program

## 2. Budget Advisory \& University Resources <br> Dr. Hamilton

a. Qualtrics survey was sent out to all faculty requesting projects to present to the AUFS budget and alignment hearing
3. Curriculum and Academic Policies

Dr. Abdulovic-Cui
a. Evaluating proposals to changes in the curriculum
i. Currently evaluating some proposals from the College of Education
4. Faculty Development

Dr. Curry-McCoy
a. Reviewing policies
b. Coordinating with Dr. Browder on annual faculty awards
5. Faculty Rights \& Responsibilities

Dr. Milano
a. STRATEGIC GOAL \#1: SHARED GOVERNANCE

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b. STRATEGIC GOAL \#5: PROCESSES \& POLICIES

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one policy to review, Accommodating Employees with Disabilities Policy, which was reviewed by the Committee with over $60 \%$ Committee member input.
6. Governance \& Communication

Dr. Sligar
a. Including updates on the new website, but now need to figure out what types of information should be shared
b. Starting to coordinate with colleges on their annual elections for open senate seats
7. Grievance

Dr. Bolgla
a. Working on updating the grievance policy
b. Work group was made to develop training for all faculty about the grievance process
8. Information Technology Resources

Dr. Attie
a. Efforts in organizing some automated backup utility for AU systems; two vendors have been narrowed now and are being evaluated
9. Promotion \& Tenure - no report

Dr. Mivechi
10. Student Affairs

Dr. Griffith
a. Collaborating with Dr. Townsend on inclusivity for the LGBTQ+ student community
i. Process for students to indicate their name and preference for class
b. Paws Pantry - sustainability of keeping supplies available for students

## Officer Reports

1. Chair

Dr. Vazdarjanova
a. See BOX folder:
https://augustauniversity.box.com/v/aufscharreportjanuary2022
2. Vice-Chair

Dr. Elam
a. Working on the Beard Award; nominees have been notified and portfolios are due at the end of January
b. Bylaws work has been completed
3. Past Chair

Dr. Basciano
a. Dr. Basciano will be contacting committee chairs regarding the AUFS strategic plan
4. Treasurer - no report

Dr. Rajpurohit
5. Secretary

Ms. Davis
a. Senate website update has been launched; soliciting feedback and will continue to update

## Announcements:

1. Next Meeting - 02/14/2022 from 3:30-5:30 p.m. (Online only in MS-Teams)

Appendix I: Attendees

| Executive Committee Officers |  | Meeting <br> $01 / 24 / 2022$ |
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| Chair of AUFS | Almira Vazdarjanova | Present |
| Vice-Chair of AUFS | Alicia Elam | Present |
| Past Chair of AUFS | Peter Basciano | Present |
| Treasurer of AUFS | Surendra Rajpurohit | Present |
| Secretary of AUFS | Jennifer Davis | Present |
| Parliamentarian of AUFS (non-voting) | Ray Whiting | Present |
| Ex-Officios (non-voting) | Brooks Keel | Absent |
|  | Neil Mackinnon | Present |
|  | Kathy Browder | Present |
|  | Zack Kelehear | Present |
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| Committee Chairs 2021-2022 |  | Pres |
|  |  | Present |
| Athletics | Hannah Bennett | Present |
| BAUR | Bill Hamilton | Present |
| Curriculum \& Academic Policies | Amy Abdulovic-Cui | Present |
| Faculty Development | Tiana Curry-McCoy | Present |
| Faculty Rights \& Responsibilities | Michael Milano | Present |
| Governance \& Communication | Chris (John) Sligar | Pbsent |
| Grievance | Lori Bolgla | Present |
| IT | Paul Attie |  |
| Promotion \& Tenure | Nahid Mivechi |  |
| Student Affairs | Candace Griffith |  |
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| Senators 2021-2022 |  |  |
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| College of Allied Health Sciences | Gianluca De Leo (Faculty Advocate) | Present |
|  | Andrew Balas | Present |
|  | Tiana Curry-McCoy | Present |
|  | Patty Watford | Present |
| Hull College of Business | Jim Grayson | Present |
|  | D. Elizabeth Turner | Present |
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| College of Education | Rebecca Harper (Ombudsman) | Absent |
|  | Darla Linville | Present |
|  | Meredith Rausch | Present |
|  | Juan Walker | Present |
| College of Nursing | Vincent Pair | Present |
|  | Lufei Young | Present |
|  | Vacant |  |
|  | Vacant |  |
| College of Science \& Mathematics | Josefa Guerrero-Millan | Present |
|  | Laurentiu Sega | Present |
|  | Chris (John) Sligar | Present |
|  | Soma Mukhopadhyay | Present |
|  | Vacant |  |
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| Dental College of Georgia | Michelle Fielden | Present |
|  | Brent Haeberle | Present |
|  | Michael Milano | Present |
|  | Jan Mitchell | Present |
|  | Stephanie Sidow | Present |
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| Medical College of Georgia | Ahmed Chadli | Present |
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|  | Ahmad Mirza | Present |
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| Pamplin College of Arts, Humanities, <br> \& Social Sciences | Christina Amonson | Present |
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|  | Jay Heslen | Present |
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|  | Jun Zhao | Present |
|  |  | Present |
| School of Computer \& Cyber Sciences | Paul Attie | Absent |
|  | Ron Martin | Present |
|  | James Smith |  |
|  |  | Present |
| University Libraries | Josette Kubicki |  |
|  |  | Present |
| Senator At Large | Jean Silva (CAHS) | Present |
|  | Penny Alderman (Pamplin) |  |

# AUFS Meeting 

Minutes
Feb 14, 2022
3:30-5:30 p.m. (MS-Teams)
Secretary: Jennifer Davis

Attendance: The meeting was conducted via Teams and was called to order by the Chair, Dr. Vazdarjanova, at 3:30 p.m.

1. See Appendix I for attendance of AUFS Executive Members, Committee Chairs, and Senators.

## Administrative Items

Ms. Davis

1. AUFS Meeting Minutes $1 / 24 / 2022$ were approved.
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## Invited Reports from Ex-Officio Executive Committee Members

## 1. President

Dr. Keel
a. No report as President Dr. Keel was absent.
2. Provost Dr.
MacKinnon
a. Governor Kemp's Proposed Amended Budget for Remaining Fiscal Year 2022
i. The proposed budget has to still be voted upon, but includes the following:

1. All full-time state employees to receive a $\$ 5,000$ between now and June 30, 2022
a. Logistics for how these monies will be allocated is still being discussed
2. All full-time state employees to receive a Cost of Living adjustment of $\$ 5,000$ beginning July 1, 2022
a. These monies will be reflected in salaries
3. $\quad \$ 8.7 \mathrm{M}$ for updates to the central energy plant at AU
4. $\quad \$ 7 \mathrm{M}$ to support MCG initiative of $3+$ expansion
5. $\$ 99 \mathrm{M}$ to support USG expansion of enrollment growth
a. AU was one of only 4 USG institutions who experienced an enrollment growth this past fall
b. Parking Deck on $15^{\text {th }}$ Street was approved by Board of Regents at their February meeting
i. Yvonne Turner, Chief Executive Financial Officer of AU, was instrumental in this proposal
ii. Board approval is for 1,350 spaces and the construction cost cannot exceed \$32,602,500.
c. New Master's program in Medical Physiology was approved
d. President Keel presented at the Board of Regent's annual budget hearing to provide a financial update as well as a five-year plan for new buildings at AU to the Chancellor
e. The Georgia legislative request to all 26 USG institutions for information on their efforts around diversity, equity, and inclusion has been put on pause and it is unclear when or if it will resume.
f. Wednesday, February, 23, 2022 will be the Spring Academic Leadership Meeting with the Deans and Department Chairs.
i. The focus of this meeting will be on student progression. AU's student progression from first to second year of full-time, first-time undergraduate students was $70.2 \%$ ( $29.8 \%$ of students did not continue).
g. Work on the new AU Strategic Plan continues and President Keel will hold a townhall to present in March 2022.

## 3. Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs <br> Dr. Browder

a. Annual Faculty Evaluation
i. Information will be sent out to the faculty the week of Feb. 14
ii. Nothing in regards to the Board of Regents changes in policies will impact this year's evaluation form and procedures.
b. Faculty Recruitment and Retention Initiative
i. Focuses on underrepresented faculty
ii. Received our first set of proposals and are in the process of working through those
c. Spring Faculty Celebration Event will be held on April 26, 2022
i. Information for the faculty is forthcoming
4. Vice Provost for Instruction
Dr. Kelehear
a. Instructional Development Opportunities for Summer 2022

## Invited Guests

1. Faculty Reporting Activity Project

Ms. Pam Kearney

a. Project kicked off in November 2021 and is co-sponsored by Dr. Browder and Institutional Effectiveness to investigate current practices and tools for reporting faculty activity
b. Survey was distributed recently to the faculty asking for input
c. See presentation slides in Appendix II

## Continuing Business

1. Faculty Evaluation Alignment (information copied from Dr. Browder's slides) Dr. Browder
a. Work to Date
i. Kickoff took place Jan 13
ii. FEA workgroups meeting weekly
iii. Student Success Activities Survey administered
2. Decision to integrate across other categories
3. Drafting definition for Student Success Activities based on feedback
iv. Initiated vertical alignment analysis
v. Academic and Student Affairs Handbook language updated and published
b. Summary of Global Changes of Faculty Evaluation Processes
i. Must incorporate appropriate due process mechanisms (present in all AU processes)
ii. Must support the principles of academic freedom (present in all AU processes)
iii. Must identify and define institutional performance criterial at each level of evaluation (present in some AU processes)
iv. Must develop templates that provide guidance as to what faculty members must submit (present in all AU processes)
v. Performance Criteria
4. Must be stated in writing and available on the institution's website
5. Must be clear and transparent, with performance rubrics for each category
6. Must be developed for each stage of career
vi. Performance Criterial and Assessments for Teaching should include:
7. Assessment of student perception
8. Evidence of effective student learning
9. Peer assessment of pedagogy
10. Evaluation or curricular design
vii. Performance Criterial and Assessments for Teaching may include:
11. Advising and mentoring
12. Student research
13. Development of student success tools and curriculum materials
viii. Much of what the BOR is proposing to changes in the annual evaluation AU is already doing, such as written evaluation on whether faculty member is making satisfactory progress towards the next milestone review.
c. Next Steps
I. Finalize draft definition of Student Success
II. Finalize vertical and horizontal analysis
III. Finalize WIG list
14. Academic Administrator Evaluation

Dr. Browder
a. Work to date:
I. Developed work plan
II. Reviewed relevant BOR policy
b. Next steps:
I. Determine who will be evaluated
3. By-laws Revisions

Drs. Elam/Basciano
a. Amendments can be found in BOX:
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b. Bylaws are currently at Legal Affairs for review

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1. Fire Code Red Policy (Athletics Committee)

Dr. Bennett

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a. All spring teams are in season
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c. Discussion on who departments or colleges contact when they have an issue with a student athlete and we are going to send notices or messages out to the department chairs to relay that to their specific college that it is Dave Hunt, the Faculty Athletic Representative, or Christina Woetzel who is the Assistant Athletic Director.
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Dr. Hamilton
a. Qualtrics survey was sent out to all faculty requesting projects to present to the AUFS budget and alignment hearing
i. Two projects identified to bring forth: Greenblatt Library AB 2103 renovation and a Qualitative Research Lab (QRL) for the Center for Social Science Research (CSSR)
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4. Faculty Development
a. Ongoing conversations with Dr. Kelehear about challenges for the students taking classes on multiple campuses, and course scheduling project which is underway to help address several issues on some of those.
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|  | Meredith Rausch | Present |
|  | Juan Walker | Present |
| College of Nursing | Vincent Pair | Present |
|  | Lufei Young | Present |
|  | Vacant |  |
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| College of Science \& Mathematics | Josefa Guerrero-Millan | Present |
|  | Laurentiu Sega | Present |
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|  | Ahmad Mirza | Present |
|  | Richard Lane Perry | Present |
|  | William Salazar | Present |
|  | James Wilde | Present |
| Pamplin College of Arts, Humanities, | Christina Amonson | Present |
|  | Sandrine Catris | Present |
|  | Candace Griffith | Present |
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|  | Jun Zhao | Present |
| School of Computer \& Cyber Sciences | Paul Attie | Present |
|  | Ron Martin | Absent |
|  | James Smith | Present |
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| University Libraries | Josette Kubicki | Present |
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| Senator At Large | Jean Silva (CAHS) | Present |
|  | Penny Alderman (Pamplin) | Present |

Appendix II: Faculty Activity Reporting Project

## Faculty Activity Reporting Review

## Purpose

To complete a comprehensive evaluation for Faculty Activities Reporting (FAR) (including an inventory and assessment of stakeholder needs) and recommend solutions on how to enhance the process, address gaps, solve problems, and manage issues via practices, tools, and resources.

## Objectives

- Inventory Key Stakeholders
- Inventory current processes and tools
- Document reporting needs
- Inventory best practices, gaps and solutions
- Recommend and document solutions
- Develop and implement a communications plan
- Develop and implement a change management plan


## Questions to answer

- Is the current process/platform the best for AU's needs?
- Have all stakeholder needs been properly identified and assessed for this process?

What changes, if any, are necessary to improve Faculty Activity Reporting?

- Which tool(s) can best serve these needs?
- Which unit should manage this process and tool(s)?

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Faculty Activity Reporting Project Timeline


| LEGEND |
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| Stakeholder Engagement Team |
| Operations Analysis Team |
| Both Tearrs |

2a. Brainstorm and develop reporting
needs list (including priority list for what
Both Tearrs
2b. Determine howinformationis/should
$>$ be shared (Who needs access?).
2. Identify the needs of faculty activities $>$ reporting.

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2c. Based upon the information identified
$\rightarrow$ and compiled under $\# 1$, recommend and
document solutions.

## 3. Develop and implement

Communications Plan.
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4. Develop and implement
a Change Management Plan.
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## Faculty Activity Reporting Next Steps

## Survey to better understand FAR

- How is faculty activity reporting data used?
- What tools or data sources are used to report or collect FAR data?
-What FAR data should be collected?
***Please encourage participation***


## Faculty Activity Reporting Next Steps

Inventory to identify faculty activities tools and processes

- Tools like PACT, PURE, College tools
- Processes like Faculty Development activities, Faculty Evaluation, etc.
- Best practices

