College of Liberal Arts & Sciences
Faculty Elections – Spring 2015

Committee Descriptions and Open Seats

College Academic Council (CAC) 3-year term
Meets: 2nd Tuesday of the month, September-May, from 4:00-5:00 PM
Acts on behalf of the College Assembly on issues concerning curriculum, petitions, and other educational policies (both undergraduate and graduate)

Vacancies: 1 – Natural Sciences & Mathematics
1 – School of the Arts
1 – Social & Behavioral Sciences

College Committee on Appointments, Promotion, & Tenure (CCAPT) 3-year term
Meets: 1-hr mtg on Sept. 19 (time TBD); Saturday, November 21 from 8:00 AM-5:00 PM; Thursday, December 10, from 5:00-8:00 PM; one 3-hour meeting in early March, 2016
Considers appointments, promotion and tenure and Progress Toward Tenure Review; makes recommendations to the University Committee on Promotions and Tenure; NOTE: non-tenured faculty are not eligible to serve on the CCAST

Vacancies: 1 – Humanities
2 – Natural Sciences & Mathematics
1 – School of the Arts
1 – Social & Behavioral Sciences

NOTE: Only tenured faculty are eligible for election to the CCAST; no faculty member who is up for P&T or PITT may serve on the CCAST during their period of review

Committee on Evaluation of Chairs & Directors (CECD) 2-year term
Meets: one 1-hr meeting in late-September; one 2-hr meeting in early December (typically on Stop Day)
Reviews, evaluates, and advises the Dean regarding the performance of unit Chairs and Directors who wish to be reappointed

Vacancies: 1 – Humanities
1 – Natural Sciences & Mathematics
1 – School of the Arts
1 – Social & Behavioral Sciences

Committee on Graduate Studies (CGS) 3-year term
Meets: 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month, late August-May, from 11:00 AM-12:30 PM; subcommittees meet on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays, also from 11:00-12:30
Reviews and makes recommendations to the CAC on issues of graduate educational policy (degree requirements, degree programs, student petitions, etc.)

Vacancies: 1 – Natural Sciences & Mathematics
1 – School of the Arts

Committee on Sabbatical Leaves (CSL) 3-year term
Meets: one 1-hr meeting in mid-September; one 3-hr meeting the 2nd or 3rd week in October
Considers applications and makes recommendations to the University Committee on Sabbatical Leaves

Vacancies: 1 – Humanities
1 – Natural Sciences & Mathematics

NOTE: no faculty member who will be submitting an application for Sabbatical Leave may serve on the CSL during the semester of application

Committee on Undergraduate Studies & Advising (CUSA) 3-year term
Meets: 2nd & 4th Tuesdays of the month, from late August-May, from 11:00 AM-12:30 PM; subcommittees meet on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays
Reviews and makes recommendations to the CAC on issues of undergraduate educational policy (degrees, majors, advising, etc.)

Vacancies: 1 – Humanities
3 – Natural Sciences & Mathematics
1 – Social & Behavioral Sciences

University Core Curriculum Committee (UCCC) 3-year term
Meets: twice per month, September-May for 90 minutes (dates determined each semester)
Develops and monitors the KU core curriculum, certifies nominated courses, monitors learning outcomes; includes one CLAS representative from each division

Vacancies: 1 – Humanities
2 – International & Interdisciplinary Studies
1 – Natural Science & Mathematics

2/20/15