

Faculty Senate
Report of the Part-time Faculty Committee for January, 2017

The Part-time Faculty Committee met at 3:00 PM on January 9, in the CLC, Room`117A, at Ekstrom Library.

Committee reports were as follows:

- PTF orientation. The PTF orientation was held on January 9. Only one person attended. Her UBM had not notified HR that she had been hired, so she was not on any new-hire list to receive an orientation invitation. She happened to learn about the orientation from a colleague. HR is working to develop a system that would alleviate the reporting lag.
- A&S. The committee is monitoring personnel changes involving GTAs at A&S that may impact PTF.

The committee reviewed data from the SAS platform provided by institutional research. One interesting piece of data compared the percent of PTF at UofL (25%) with the percentage of part-time faculty at benchmark universities. UofL was average.

The committee discussed the possibility of attending some League of Women Voters meetings related to the topic of part-time faculty.

The committee discussed the best ways to highlight and publish part-time faculty achievements.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chair