Faculty Development Committee
Minutes
November 3, 2015
3:45 pm

Present:

- Ela Lepkowska-White (Faculty Representative)
- Greg Pfitzer (Chair)
- Rachel Roe-Dale (Faculty Representative)
- Shirley Smith (Faculty Representative)
- Crystal Dea Moore (Associate Dean of the Faculty)
- Bill Tomlinson (Director, Sponsored Research)

1. Minutes: The minutes from 10/27/15 were approved as submitted.

2. Faculty Distinguished Service Award—The FDC began its discussion of the Faculty Service Award. Members will continue to review materials on Blackboard for the 11/10 meeting.

3. Budget—The FDC discussed its budget regarding sabbatical enhancements and also discussed how to encourage more faculty to apply for the enhancement. The Dean's office provided some numbers to help FDC consider the volume of requests. The data of eligible faculty is listed below.

For 2017-18: 33 Total—19 tenured faculty, 12 pre-tenure, 2 non-tenure
2016-17: 33 Total; 4 (of 7) requested and 4 approved for enhancement
2015-16: 46 Total; 10 requested and 10 approved for enhancement
2014-15: 35 Total; 10 requested and 9 approved for enhancement
2013-14: 28 Total; 7 requested and 7 approved (5 funded/2 delayed) for enhancement

Respectfully submitted,

Rachel R. Roe-Dale