Part-Time Faculty Committee

Tuesday, July 28, 2020
12:00 – 1:00 pm

Notes

Attendees: Sally Saenger, Terry Patten Armbrust, Laurel Hartley, David Milroy, Raymond Brennan, Deirdre Frontczak
Absent: Gayann White, Nicole Miller, Julie Caspersen Schultz, Dana DeMercurio
Staff: Ashley Hamilton, Evan Hawkins, Lidia Stoian

1. Welcome
Sally opened the meeting and welcomed everyone. Meeting started with an ice breaker:

- From your lens as a part-time faculty, what has been the hardest part of the transition to online teaching?

Members shared feeling overwhelmed with the amount of online training needed and available; email overload; engaging students in discussions; converting lecture to online, etc.

2. PTF Symposium

- Make the symposium lighter by maybe using a fun ice breaker.
- The symposium would be virtual this year.
- We need a good theme.
- Possible keynote presentation/speaker as one part.
- Panel with breakout rooms with panelists as the second part.
- Use small groups (breakout rooms) with different topics or slides rather than one session
- Topics: parity, compensation, retirement (some are considering retiring early),
- Potential dates: November 6 afternoon and November 7 morning, 2 hours sessions each day

3. Next Meeting Tuesday, August 11 at 12:00 pm