



April 20, 2017

Dear Members of the General Faculty,

We are pleased to report the results of the 2017 Faculty Elections.

Leslie Parise, professor and chair of biochemistry and biophysics, has been elected to a three-year term as chair of the faculty beginning on July 1, 2017, and ending on June 30, 2020. As chair of the faculty, Professor Parise will serve as chair pro tempore of the Faculty Council and the General Faculty, and will represent the faculty in all academic matters as requested by the chancellor. [Click here](#) to read more about Professor Parise.



This year, 1852 out of 3643 eligible faculty cast ballots for a total turnout rate of 50.8%—our second highest voter turnout on record. We couldn't have reached this impressive participation rate without your help—so thank you again!

Elections results for all committees and Faculty Council seats are available here at:
<https://facultygov.unc.edu/elections/2017-elections-results/>

Please note that those listed as **elected** will take office July 1, 2017, for a three-year term ending June 30, 2020, unless otherwise noted in the term expiration column. Those who are listed as **alternates** were not elected, but may be called upon to serve in the future should a vacancy arise.

If you have any questions about the elections, please feel free to call the Office of Faculty Governance at 919-962-2146 or to contact us by email.

Sincerely,

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