

UNC FACULTY GOVERNANCE *Newsletter*



January 9, 2018



Faculty Council to meet January 12

Faculty Council is scheduled to meet this Friday, January 12, 2017, at 3:00 p.m. in Kerr Hall, room 1001, in the Eshelman School of Pharmacy. A tentative agenda is available [here](#). Faculty Council members are encouraged to arrive at 2:30 p.m. for refreshments in the lobby. Please sign in on the iPad kiosk and take a seat toward the front of the ...

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Now accepting nominations for 2019 Honorary Degrees

Dear colleagues, The Office of Faculty Governance, on behalf of the Committee on Honorary Degrees and Special Awards, is now accepting candidates for UNC honorary degrees to be awarded at the 2019 May Commencement ceremony. A maximum of five of these prestigious awards will be given to recognize individuals who have rendered outstanding service to humanity in the world arena, in ...

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Office of Faculty Governance launches new Faculty Handbook

The Office of Faculty Governance has recently launched the second version of the online Faculty Handbook. This latest version was redesigned to match the look of the new Faculty Governance website, to improve search functionality and to improve readability. Despite the availability of policies online, faculty have expressed the need for a handbook that digests relevant documents and resources in an ...

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New Year's greetings from the Chair of the Faculty

As we welcome 2018, I want to wish everyone a peaceful and productive new year. I also want to reflect on recent activities of faculty governance and thank the many faculty who volunteer their time through this venue to make UNC-CH a better place. The past six months have been exceptionally busy for the ...

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Summary of actions for December 2017

The General Faculty and Faculty Council met on December 8, 2017, from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in Kerr 1001. A summary of actions follows: The General Faculty and the Faculty Council unanimously passed Resolution 2017-14. On Protecting Free Speech, which requests that the Board of Governors not "impose broader limitations on expression or expressive conduct than those defined by North Carolina ...



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Announcements and events

2018 MLK, Jr. Week Schedule of Events

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2018 MLK WEEK SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

AWFP and the Carolina Women's Center present "Closing the Gap: How to Negotiate a Better Salary"

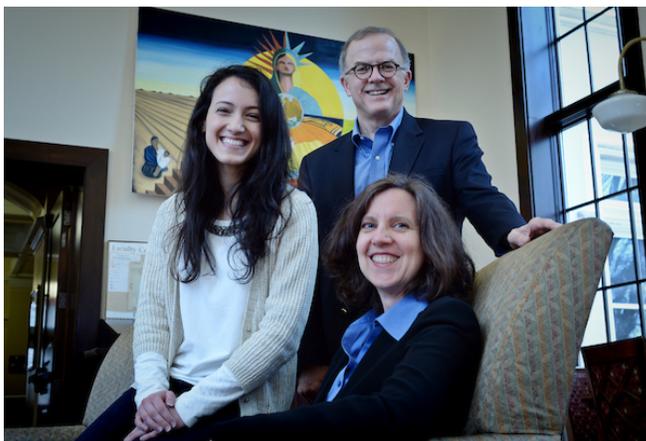
The Association for Women Faculty and Professionals and the Carolina Women's Center are co-sponsoring the workshop "Closing the Gap: How to Negotiate a Better Salary." This workshop presents proven strategies through which women can effectively negotiate a better salary. The workshop will be delivered by Dr. Noah Eisenkraft, an Assistant Professor of Organizational Behavior at UNC-CH. The workshop will be held on January 23 from 12:00-1:45pm in the Sonja Haynes Stone Center's Hitchcock Multipurpose Room. Lunch will be provided. Click [here](#) to register. For more information contact Clare Counihan at clarecounihan@unc.edu.

Call for Nominations: 2018 University Awards for the Advancement of Women

On behalf of the Offices of the Chancellor and the Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost, the Carolina Women's Center is pleased to call for nominations for the 2018 University Awards for the Advancement of Women. These awards recognize contributions by people of all genders to the advancement of women at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Each year, the award recognizes a faculty member, a staff member, a graduate or professional student or postdoctoral fellow, and an undergraduate. The faculty and staff recipients each receive \$5000. Each student recipient receives \$2500. Awardees are honored in a ceremony during the Carolina Women's Center's annual Gender Week Celebration in the spring. Please see the website for requirements and to submit a nomination.

Deadline: Friday, January 26th, at 5pm. See <http://womenscenter.unc.edu/about-us/awards/> for more details. Contact clarecounihan@unc.edu with questions.



Public service awards call for nominations

The Carolina Center for Public Service oversees the annual selection of three campus-wide awards honoring individual students, faculty, staff and University units for exemplary public service and engaged scholarship.

Five Robert E. Bryan Public Service Awards will be given for a specific effort (rather than an overall record)

exemplifying outstanding engagement and service to the state of North Carolina. Bryan Awards will be given to recognize an outstanding undergraduate student, graduate student, faculty member, staff member and officially recognized student organization. The nomination deadline is February 7. For more information, visit [Robert E. Bryan Awards](#).

The Office of the Provost Engaged Scholarship Award recognizes faculty members or university units for exemplary engaged scholarship in service to the state of North Carolina. The service should serve as an example of excellence, including responsiveness to community concerns and strong community

partnerships. Three provost awards will be given, one each for engaged teaching, engaged research and engaged partnership. The nomination deadline is February 7. For more information, visit [Office of the Provost Award](#).

The Ned Brooks Award recognizes a staff or faculty member of the University community who throughout his/her career has, in a collaborative and sustained manner, made a difference in the larger community. The nomination deadline is February 7. For more information, visit [Ned Brooks Award](#).

All applications can be submitted through the [Carolina Center for Public Service Application and Nomination Portal](#). Please contact ccps@unc.edu with any questions.

Keohane Distinguished Visiting Professorship nominations due 1/31

Faculty and administrators at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Duke University are encouraged to nominate exemplary scholars, artists and practitioners for the Nannerl Keohane Distinguished Visiting Professorship for the 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 academic years. The goals of the Professorship are to promote inter-institutional collaboration, contribute to the teaching missions of both universities, and share the work of the Visiting Professor widely through public lectures or performances. Recipients are entitled to \$60,000 per semester plus fringe benefits and additional funding for associated costs, not exceeding \$20,000. Nominations are due January 31 and should be sent electronically to susan.booth@duke.edu. Please click [here](#) for more information on topic proposals; the structure, activities and funding of the Professorship; and the nominating process. Contact Carol Tresolini at carol_tresolini@unc.edu with any questions.

Calendar

Please note that meetings are subject to schedule changes on short notice. See all meetings and events at: <https://facultygov.unc.edu/meetings/>.



- January 8-February 19: Honorary Degrees Call for Nominations
- January 8: Faculty Executive Committee
- January 11: Faculty Grievance Committee; Chancellor's Advisory Committee
- January 12: Faculty Council
- January 16: University Committee on Copyright
- January 17: Faculty Assembly Delegation; Committee on Special Talent
- January 18: Educational Policy Committee; Committee on University Government
- January 22: Faculty Information Technology Advisory Committee; Faculty Executive Committee
- January 23: Advisory Committee on Undergraduate Admissions; Faculty Athletics Committee
- January 24: Committee on Special Talent
- January 29: Faculty Welfare Committee; Committee on Special Talent
- January 30: Nominating Committee
- February 2: Faculty Agenda Committee
- February 5: Faculty Executive Committee
- February 6: Chancellor's Advisory Committee
- February 9: Faculty Council