

Faculty Senate



M2021.01.19 Motion to Create Dual-Career Policy Task Force

Originator: Faculty Policies Committee

Whereas,

Meeting the needs of dual-career couples is critical to recruiting and retaining highly qualified faculty in the STEM fields, and currently there are no dual-career assistance programs for partners of faculty job candidates nor dual-career policies addressing dual-career issues in the recruitment process at the University of Memphis,

Be it resolved that,

The Faculty Senate approves of the following action proposed by the Faculty Policies Standing Committee:

The Faculty Policies Standing Committee will create a working group under its responsibility, entitled the Dual-Career Task Force, to develop dual-career policy recommendations for the Senate to review by the April 20, 2021 meeting. The working group is to be comprised of Esra Ozdenerol, Jeni Loftus and six more members recruited from University faculty or administration. Recommendations approved by the Senate will be submitted to Provost for consideration.

Recipients:

Faculty Senate

Tom Nenon, Provost

Helen Johnson, Office of the Provost

Motion ##### 1/26/2021

Vote: # For, # Against, # Abstain