

## PTR Com Report to Faculty Senate 10 3 2015

The ad-hoc committee to review the implementation of post-tenure review presents this interim report on its activities to the Faculty Senate:

The committee met with Mary Lee Hummert, Vice Provost for Faculty Development, to hear about the implementation of post-tenure review from the perspective of the Provost's office. We asked her whether the Provost's office would be able to provide information to the committee, most particularly lists of faculty who underwent post-tenure review in 2014-2015, and department chairs in that year. She indicated to the committee that the Provost's office would be able to provide that assistance.

The committee is now in the final stage of formulating surveys concerning post-tenure review to be circulated to three groups: A) Faculty who underwent post-tenure review; B) Faculty who will undergo post-tenure review in the future; and C) Department chairs who oversaw post-tenure review. Respondents will be offered the opportunity to contact members of the committee if they prefer to share their experiences that way.

The committee requests advice on how best to circulate the surveys. We want to be sure that recipients are able to respond without revealing their identities. Mary Lee Hummert told us that the Office of Institutional Research and Planning could circulate the surveys. We wonder whether the Faculty Senate has its own means to do so.

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