

Bloomington Faculty Council Meeting

Tuesday, December 1, 2020

Zoom Chat Transcript

- 14:36:41 From Lisa Thomassen : Well, John, Purdue staff and faculty got a \$750 bonus to recognize the extra demands. 'm hopeful that IU can beat Purdue!!
- 14:41:14 From Ann Elsner : I am happy just to have a job. I am not on Budgetary Affairs these days, but this group usually thinks about the lower pay scale folks. Perhaps something could be in the future plans.
- 14:44:22 From Eliza Pavalko : Congratulations to you all!
- 14:44:36 From Angie Raymond : THANK YOU ALL
- 14:44:56 From Marietta Simpson : Congratulations to all of our Presidents!
- 14:45:16 From cherryb : Congratulations!
- 14:47:57 From Kashika Singh : What is the status/ update of the DMAI? Will is be used by departments/ vpfaa for any specific purpose in this special year?
- 14:48:25 From Lisa Thomassen : Yes, thanks to Alan. he really is a great resource we have for policy, and works tirelessly. Where do you find the energy, Alan???
- 14:49:12 From Eliza Pavalko : More guidance on DMAI/annual merit review will be coming soon.
- 14:49:22 From Kashika Singh : Could you please give us an update about the BFC Scholarship? Will it be given in in Spring? If so, who will be selecting the recipients? Are NTTs involved in the selection.
- 14:50:15 From Shanker Krishnan : what are the main changes in this policy?
- 14:54:54 From jrbrauer@iu.edu : Last time, Alan Bender raised concerns about removing the requirement for presenting letter grades (e.g., potentially makes this feedback less rather than more useful and defeats intent/purpose of policy). Why not simply add observations/recommendations *in addition to* a letter grade? That is, what is the logic for making the strong change to "instead of" language?
- 15:05:09 From Dee Degner : Can you put that last website in chat?
- 15:05:19 From Steve Sanders : There is probably a multitude of faculty issues that the BFC could communicate to the presidential search. I question whether it's appropriate for a committee to send its own letter without discussing with the council or at least the exec committee, since it implies
- 15:05:33 From Steve Sanders : consensus by the full council
- 15:05:47 From Angie Raymond : AGREE- with Steve
- 15:06:06 From Angie Raymond : Can you put link in chat- it doesn't pop up easily when googled
- 15:06:54 From Diane Henshel : <https://diversity.iu.edu/anti-racist/resources.html>

15:07:06 From Sylvia Martinez : Thanks, Diane

15:07:37 From Diane Henshel : :)

15:08:39 From J Duncan (he/him) : Congratulations on the DEI Awards! Well done!

15:09:00 From Angie Raymond : Well done!

15:09:11 From Diane Henshel : It is great to get the award through!

15:09:26 From Margaret Lion : Well done!

15:16:08 From Mim : thank you, frank and Sylvia!

15:16:36 From Sameer Patil : happy holidays

15:16:38 From Diane Henshel : Have a good break!

15:16:44 From Allen Davis : Happy Holidays!