

TO: Faculty Senators

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RE: Call for Nominations: Member At-Large to the Faculty Senate Executive Council

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The Faculty Senate is seeking nominations for one Member At-Large to the Faculty Senate Executive Council to complete the final 6-months of the 2-year term being vacated by Evan Eyler as he takes on the responsibilities of Faculty Senate Vice President. The at-large member term will begin immediately and end on June 30, 2021.

Deadline for Nominations - Nominations will be accepted from the floor of the Faculty Senate on Monday, February 1, 2021, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. on Microsoft Teams. Self-nominations are encouraged. Nominations may also be submitted online via webform https://www.uvm.edu/faculty_senate/forms/faculty-senate-nomination-form-large-members no later than 6:00 p.m. on Monday, February 1, 2021. The election will be held by electronic ballot, distributed via email to all elected Senators during the first week of February. The ballot will be open for one-week.

MEMBERS AT-LARGE TO THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Eligibility to Serve

Elected Faculty Senators are eligible to serve as member at-large to the Senate Executive Council. A list of current elected Senators is available on the Faculty Senate website. In keeping with the Faculty Senate Constitution and Bylaws, no more than two of the members at-large may be from the same School or College. Our current members at-large are: Brian Beckage (CALS), Kyle Ikeda (CAS), and Thomas Borchert (CAS). Because there are two members at large from CAS, Senators representing the College of Arts and Sciences are not eligible to fill this vacant seat.

Duties of the Member At-Large

Members At-Large serve as the voice of elected Senators at the Executive Council meetings. Therefore, they are required to attend Faculty Senate Executive Council meetings, in addition to the Faculty Senate meetings. Both Senate and Executive Council meetings are held monthly on Mondays from 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. The duties of the Members At-Large to the Executive Council are outlined in the Faculty Senate Constitution and Bylaws. The full document is available on the Faculty Senate website (www.uvm.edu/faculty_senate).

Please contact the Faculty Senate office with any questions regarding the nomination and election process.