

TO: Faculty Senators

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

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The Faculty Senate is seeking nominations for three (3) Members At-Large to the Faculty Senate Executive Council. Two of the seats will be for the two-year term beginning on July 1, 2023 and ending on June 30, 2025. One seat is to complete the final year of the two-year term of a current at large member who will be retiring. The one-year term will begin on July 1, 2023 and end on June 30, 2024.

Deadline for Nominations - Nominations will be accepted from the floor of the Faculty Senate on **Monday, February 27, 2023**, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. on Teams. Self-nominations are encouraged. Nominations may also be submitted online via <u>webform</u> no later than 4:00 p.m. on **Monday, March 6, 2023**. The election will be held by electronic ballot, distributed via email to all elected Senators in March 2023. The ballot will be open for seven calendar days.

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 bylaws, four (4) members at-large serve as the voice of the elected senators at the Executive Council meetings. Terms are staggered so that half of the members at-large are elected each year, and no more than two of the members at-large may be from the same School or College. The seats up for election are currently held by Tony Julianelle (CEMS), Ignacio Lopez-Vicuna (CAS), and Cathy Paris (CALS). The fourth seat with term continuing through 2024 is held by Louis deRosset (CAS). Senators from all colleges are eligible to run for the open seats.

Duties of the Member At-Large

These Senators 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 (<u>Faculty.Senate@uvm.edu</u>) with any questions regarding the nomination and election process.