



**Faculty Senate Professional Affairs Committee
2023-2024 End-of-Year Report
April 8, 2024**

Members: Tim Schmidt (Chair), Michael Aide (Vice Chair), Abe Book, Pamela Gershuny, Leah McAlister, and Kelly McEnerney

Meetings: The committee met 7 times over the course of the academic year, with additional work conducted via email.

Accomplishments:

- Introduced or reintroduced thirteen bills that were approved by the Senate:
 - Bill 22-A-4 – Revising Graduate Faculty Status Procedures
 - Bill 23-A-7 – Faculty Merit Pay Policy
 - Bill 23-A-8 – Department Chair Policy
 - Bill 23-A-9 – Department Chair Procedure
 - Bill 24-A-1 – Revising Tenure and Promotion Dossier Procedures
 - Bill 24-A-2 – Removing Summary Form Information from the Promotion and Tenure Section Policy
 - Bill 24-A-3 – Emeritus/Emerita Recommendation
 - Bill 24-A-9 – Revising Conflict of Interest Policy
 - Bill 24-A-22 – Revising Policy and Procedure for “Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act/Buckley Amendment”
 - Bill 24-A-25 – Revising Jane Stephens Honors Program Policy and Procedures
 - Bill 24-A-23 – Emeritus Recommendation
 - Bill 24-A-29 – Emerita Recommendation
 - Bill 24-A-30 – Emerita Recommendation

Suggested Future Work:

- Reviewing Handbook sections on Promotion and Tenure (beyond the Dossier section past this year) and RNTT Merit and update as needed.