
FACULTY SENATE

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY

FACULTY SENATE BILL 18-A-4

Approved by the Faculty Senate
March 7, 2018

BRIEF SUMMARY: This bill revises the existing policy portion of the *Faculty Handbook* section on *Student Evaluation of Instruction* (Chapter 3, Section C10)

ACTION OF BILL REVISING THE POLICY SECTION OF “STUDENT EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTION”

BE IT RESOLVED THAT: Subject to the passage and approval of this bill and its companion procedures bill, the policy portion of the Student Evaluation of Instruction section of the faculty handbook (Chapter 3, Section C10) will be replaced by this bill.

Student Evaluation of Instruction

1 **Policy** *Faculty Senate Bill 18-A-4 begins here*

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3 Student evaluation of instruction at Southeast Missouri State University shall be
4 conducted for three distinct purposes:

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6 1. to enable individual faculty members to continually improve the quality of their
7 classroom instruction,
8 2. to provide individual faculty members with a measure of perceived effectiveness of
9 instruction,
10 3. to enable students to provide input concerning the quality and content of
11 classroom instruction,
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13 **Student Evaluation for Improvement of Classroom Instruction and Content**

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15 In recognition of the strong teaching mission of Southeast Missouri State University,
16 formal faculty evaluation processes and incentives shall be implemented and maintained to
17 encourage continuing improvement in instruction and a commitment to quality instruction by
18 all faculty.
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20 Procedures and processes should not only include rigorous peer review and self-
21 evaluation of instructional effectiveness but also systematic, credible student evaluation of
22 instruction.
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24 All faculty shall be evaluated by systematic, anonymous student evaluations in all
25 sections of each course taught. Those faculty teaching the same students in an integrated
26 framework of interconnected courses, such as the College of Education's Block program,
27 may have the option to administer just one evaluation per set of courses.

28 *Approved by the Faculty Senate Bill 12-A-8, Reviewed by President December 7, 2012, Approved by Board of Regents*
29 *December 14, 2012*

30 *Approved by Faculty Senate Bill 18-A-4, Reviewed by President [DATE], Approved by Board of Regents [DATE]*

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