

Faculty Senate Meeting

February 19, 2009

Approval of January 2009 minutes

Faculty Senate
Chair's report
February 19, 2009

E-Learning Software Presentations

- The four candidate systems and corresponding presentations are
- 18 Feb. ANGEL - <http://www.angellearning.com/>
- 25 Feb. Blackboard - <http://www.blackboard.com/>
- 26 Feb. Sakai - <http://www.sakaiproject.org/>
presented by rSmart
- 4 Mar. Moodle - <http://www.moodle.org/>
presented by Remote Learner

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Office of the Provost

University Level Faculty Enhancement Opportunity (FEO) Task Force

FEO Materials:

- [FEO applications for Summer and Fall 2009 are due Feb. 26, 2009.](#)
[FEO Application Form for Summer/Fall 2009 \(PDF\)](#)
- FEO reviewers will use this score sheet to evaluate applications:
[FEO Application Score Sheet \(PDF\)](#)
- [2008 FEO Awards Summary Report \(PDF\)](#)
- The FEO Task Force encourages applications for creative and flexible faculty development activities, including, but not limited to educational experiences/conferences, work with consultants/experts, time devoted to intensive writing or creative work, activities in support of a new direction for one's scholarly work. [2008 FEO Project Summaries \(PDF\)](#)
- [2008 Provost's Memo to Faculty \(PDF\)](#)
- [2008 FEO First Year Pilot Principles and Procedures \(PDF\)](#)

Task Force Membership

Name	Department/College	Title	Appointment
Kenneth Anusavice	Department of Dental Biomaterials, College of Dentistry	Distinguished Professor and Associate Dean	HSC VP appointee
Richard Heipp	School of Art and Art History, College of Fine Arts	Professor	Faculty Senate appointee
Jean Larson	Department of Mathematics, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences	Professor	Provost appointee
Kathleen Ann Long	College of Nursing	Professor, Dean and Associate Provost	Provost appointee
Susan Percival	Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition, College of Agricultural and Life Sciences	Professor	IFAS VP appointee
Kim Tanzer	School of Architecture, College of Design, Construction and Planning	Professor	Faculty Senate appointee
Richard Yost	Department of Chemistry, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences	Professor	Faculty Senate appointee



Office of the Provost

Student Experience at Research Universities (SERU)

General Information

The University of Florida Student Experience at Research Universities (SERU) survey is an online survey of all enrolled UF undergraduates. 2009 is the first year it will be administered at the University of Florida. Students will access the survey through the UF [ISIS](#) system.

Background

The SERU survey was developed for the University of California System by the UC Berkeley Center for Studies in Higher Education to broaden understanding of the undergraduate experience on the UC campuses and facilitate improvements on campus. The survey was tailored to research universities and has been administered regularly since 2004 to the UC campuses.

Timeframe for SERU at UF

The SERU survey will be available to UF undergraduates in March of 2009 via the UF [ISIS](#) system. Results of the survey will be published in Fall 2009.

SERU Results

The SERU survey results will be made available at the end of the summer 2009, with a data distribution report available in Fall 2009. Results of the survey will be reviewed by UF Administration and a strategic plan established to address student concerns.

Student Experience at Research Universities (SERU):

A New Resource for Studying UF's
Undergraduates

Marie E. Zeglen, Ph.D.

Assistant Provost for Institutional Planning and Research

SERU: Background

- Survey developed by UC Berkeley Center for Studies in Higher Education for whole U California System
 - Berkeley, Santa Cruz, Davis, Santa Barbara, Irvine, San Diego, Los Angeles, Riverside
- Collaboration between academic scholars and institutional researchers to create new data sources and policy relevant analysis
- Purposes :
 - Broadening understanding of the undergraduate experience
 - Promoting a culture of self improvement
- Tailored to research universities
- Administered regularly since 2004 to UC Campuses

The SERU Research Consortium

- Invitation to AAU institutions to join the SERU Research Consortium in 2008
- A pilot group of AAUs signed up:
 - University of Florida
 - University of Michigan
 - University of Minnesota
 - University of Oregon
 - Rutgers University
 - University of Pittsburgh
- University of Florida will participate and survey its students in 2 of next 3 years – 2008-09 and 2010-11

Benefits of SERU

- Population survey of undergraduates – NOT a sample
- Target response of 50%
- Results specific to academic programs and departments
- Wildcard module
- Data support many uses:
 - Program review
 - College and department goal setting and tracking
 - Program improvement
 - VSA requirement

What will be involved?

- ⦿ Customizing SERU for UF
- ⦿ Preparing our seed data
- ⦿ Developing a response strategy
- ⦿ Launching and following up
- ⦿ Data analyses and reports
- ⦿ Promoting research using SERU

Customizing SERU

- Three basic modules
 - Time, student development, academic engagement, campus climate, satisfaction, evaluation of the educational experience
 - Background and personal characteristics
 - Academic experience
- Two custom modules
 - Consortium agreed on common module on globalization – multi-university team will develop
 - Our Wildcard – ideas on sustainability, arts experiences, student services – need to develop

Launch and Follow Ups

- March survey launch by email
- PR around event
- Seven follow ups – from different people
 - Executive sponsors – President, Provost, VPs
 - Undergraduate Studies leader
 - Student government leaders
- Summer follow up – adds 10%

How are UC Schools using Data?

- Academic program review and improvement
- Assessment – indirect measures of learning
- Faculty Senate review on curriculum
- Identification of factors affecting retention and graduation of students
- Student life and student service improvements
- Research – faculty publications and graduate student dissertations

Research

- As members of the consortium:
 - Research data from all participants available to us
 - Obligation to present at annual research consortium meeting
- Our faculty and graduate students are welcome to do active research using the SERU data
- Must follow IRB rules and maintain confidentiality standards (similar to AAU)
- Be part of a community of scholars from all the participating schools

Next Steps

- Spread the word – involve many areas at UF
 - Provost Team, Deans, Associate Deans, Chairs, Advisers
 - Student Affairs units
 - Student Government
 - Faculty Senate
 - Others – PR, IT, Research
- Develop modules – Globalization and Wildcard
- PR and incentive plan
- Plan and carry out technical/analytic plan
- Plan for uses of the data

Timeline

- February – Module finalization
- March – IRB approval
- March - SERU deployment
- April to July – SERU follow-ups
- August – SERU data links
- Fall 2009 SERU data report distribution

<http://www.aa.ufl.edu/seru/>

Resources and Information:

- [SERU Information Presentation \(PPT\)](#)
- [ISIS](#)
- [Student Affairs](#)
- [Institutional Planning and Research](#)
- [SERU at UC Berkeley](#)



2009 Faculty Senate Budget Blog

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General University Concerns

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University of Florida Information Technology Action Plan



RCM Process

UF | Office of the Vice President and Chief Financial Officer University of Florida

- Office of the VP & CFO
- Staff
- Budget Office
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- Financial Analysis & Planning
- RCM Committee
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- Presentations

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Responsibility Center Management Committee
Meeting Location: HR Building, 903 W. University Avenue, Sr. VP Conference Room 203

February 9, 2009 - 11:30 - 1:00 pm
[Agenda](#) - [Minutes](#)

January 26, 2009 - 11:30 - 1:00 pm (CANCELLED, rescheduled for February 9)

January 5, 2009 - 11:30 - 1:00 pm
[Agenda](#) - [Minutes](#) - [Presentation](#)

December 22, 2008 - 11:30 - 1:00 pm
[Agenda](#) - [Minutes](#)

December 15, 2008 (CANCELLED, rescheduled for December 22)

December 8, 2008 (CANCELLED)

December 1 - 11:30 - 1:00 pm
[Minutes](#) - [Presentation](#)

Elections For Policy Councils

- Nominations are still open, until
- Email will go out for Chair Elect in the week

President's Report

Bernie Machen

Provost's Report

Joe Glover

UF Legislative Agenda

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Florida Legislature

- House and Senate Committees meet in January and February
- Session runs March 3 – May 1
- Budget not passed until end of session

Senate Committees of Interest

- Ways and Means
- Higher Education Appropriations
- Higher Education
- Health and Human Services
Appropriations

House Committees of Interest

- Appropriations Council on Education and Economic Development
 - State Universities and Private Colleges Appropriation Committee
- Education Policy Council
 - State Universities and Private Colleges Policy Committee
- Council on General Government and Health Care
 - Health Care Appropriations

Legislative Agenda

- FY 08-09 Budget
- FY 09-10 Budget
- Stimulus Appropriations
- College of Medicine Funding
- Tuition Increase
- PECO Funds
- Major Gifts
- Others, TBD

College of Medicine Funding

- State cut funding 5 years ago
 - State funds covered 79 percent of student cost in 2002; 26 percent in 2008
- Faculty Practice Plan subsidizes education
- State funds new medical schools
- UF seeks parity funding

Tuition Increase

- Bill would allow universities to increase tuition up to 15 percent per year
- Requires 30 % for need based aid
- Bill would eliminate existing cap and tie it to national average
- Passed first committee in Senate on Wednesday
- Students support UF efforts

PECO

- Tax revenues fund facilities projects
- Received \$85 million in 07, \$65 million in 08
- UF requesting funds for:
 - Infrastructure
 - Building Construction
 - Norman Hall Renovation

Matching Gifts

- State matches donations for endowments and building construction
- Received \$40 million in FY07, \$160,000 in FY08
- Don't expect funding, but want program to continue until money is available

Tallahassee Office

- Three UF employees
- Contract lobbyists as needed
- Coordinate faculty expertise with legislators' needs
- Office available for assistance
- UF interns in legislative and Governor's offices

Federal Government Relations

- UF's primary focus is on earmarks for research
 - \$23 million in FY 08
 - \$7.2 million to date in FY 09
 - Proposing 20 projects for FY10

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

■ Increases funding for agencies

- NIH: \$10 billion
- NSF: \$3 billion
- DOE: \$2 billion
- NOAA: \$280 million
- NASA: \$550



UF

University of Florida Police Department

Chief Linda J. Stump



UFPD
Protecting Gators

UF UNIVERSITY of
FLORIDA



UFPD Use of Force Review for 2007 and 2008

This Presentation Will Provide

- A brief overview of Police Department operations and use of force training.
- Important changes affecting use of force as a result of committee recommendations.
- An overview of use of force incidents for 2007 and 2008.
- A comparison of use of force statistics with local law enforcement agencies.

UFPD

Major Divisions: Criminal Investigations Division
Community Services Division
Training Division
Patrol Division

25 CIT trained officers (Crisis Intervention Team)

12 CIRT trained officers (Critical Incident Response Team)

<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	
47,243	43,538	Calls for service
2,897	2,903	Reports generated
889	769	Arrests
78,133	82,561	SNAP Escorts
675 Training)	514	RAD (Rape Aggression Defense

Mandated Use of Force Training for ALL UFPD Officers

- Police Academy Training  140 hours
- UFPD Training for New Hires  20 hours
- UFPD Annual In-Service Training  23 hours

Important Changes Affecting UFPD Use of Force

- Improved Pre-Event Planning
- Review/Enhancement of Protocol for Event Management
- Changes in UFPD Use of Force Policy

Pre-Event Planning

Established formal training for:

- UFPD employees
- Event staff
- Sponsoring organizations staff
- Dean's office staff

Emphasis on planning meetings:

- All groups involved must meet prior to events

On-site roll call training:

- Staff assignments
- Building logistics
- Direct communication with facility staff

Review/Enhancement of Protocol for Event Management

UFPD



- Arrest for disruption
- Escort out
- Remind Event leader of opportunities to end event
- Request leave
- Give warning
- Request compliance with event rules

UF Administration

(Office of the Dean of Students,
Moderator)



- Request Law Enforcement intervention
- End presentation
- Give warning
- Request compliance

Ushers/Supervisors

(students, event staff)



- Request compliance with established rules
- Remind/warn of rules

options

Changes in UFPD Use of Force Policy

- Use of force now based on the “totality of the facts and circumstances known to the officer at the time of use.”
- Taser use at UFPD now more restrictive than state guidelines.
- Taser use only authorized when “officer reasonably believes it will be as or more effective than other tools.”
- Taser use against a fleeing subject now more restrictive.

UFPD Taser Incidents Synopsis

METHOD	TOTAL		DATE OF 2008 TASER INCIDENT				TOTAL	TOTAL	
	2001 - 2006	2007	1/20/2008	2/15/2008	4/13/2008	6/13/2008	2008	2001 - 2008	%

UF Students									
Drive Stun	1	4					0	5	62.50%
Darts Fired	2	0		X			1	3	37.50%
FACTORS DOCUMENTED FOR TASER INCIDENT									
Active Resistance	1	4		X			1	6	75.00%
Fighting	0	2		X			1	3	37.50%
Suicidal	2	0					0	2	25.00%
Drugs	0	0					0	0	0.00%
Alcohol	0	3					0	3	37.50%
Weapon	2	1					0	3	37.50%
Exited Delerium	0	0					0	0	0.00%
Injuries	0	0					0	0	0.00%

Non-Students									
Drive Stun	8	1	X		X		2	11	61.11%
Darts Fired	3	3				X	1	7	38.89%
FACTORS DOCUMENTED FOR TASER INCIDENT									
Active Resistance	8	4	X		X	X	3	15	83.33%
Fighting	6	1	X			threat	2	9	50.00%
Suicidal	0	0					0	0	0.00%
Drugs	2	1			X	X	2	5	27.78%
Alcohol	7	0					0	7	38.89%
Weapon	0	0				threat	1	1	5.56%
Exited Delerium	1	0					0	1	5.56%
Injuries	0	0					0	0	0.00%

Comparison of Use of Force Statistics Between Local Law Enforcement Agencies

	2007			2008		
	UFPD	GPD	ACSO	UFPD	GPD	ACSO
CALLS FOR SERVICE	47,243	124,211	121,054	43,538	125,931	105,262
<i>Factor over UFPD</i>		2.6	2.6		2.9	2.4
USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS	8	77	68	5	Not Available	Not Available
<i>Factor over UFPD</i>		9.6	8.5			
Firearm	0	1	1	0		
Taser	8	* 0	45	4		
Baton	0	3	1	0		
OC Spray	0	13	3	0		
Hard Empty Hand	1	40	9	1		
K-9	0	20	9	0		

* GPD did not deploy Tasers until early 2008

For compatibility purposes these figures do not include the drawing of a firearm, use of Hobble restraints, or any use of force against an animal.

GPD and ACSO use of force statistics extrapolated from respective agency 2007 annual use of force reports.

UFPD Use of Force Review

Every use of force incident is thoroughly reviewed

to determine if it was:

- In compliance with state law.
- In compliance with UFPD directives.
- Reasonable and necessary.

In 2007 and 2008, these reviews found all UFPD incidents involving the use of force to be in compliance with these requirements.

QUESTIONS?

Information Item: Constitution Committee Regulations Report

Cathy Martyniak, Constitution
Committee Chair

Information Item: Creation of a School
of Physician Assistant Studies, College of
Medicine

Wayne Bottom, Associate
Dean for Physician Assistant
Studies

Information Item: University Curriculum Committee Proposals, Andy McCollough UCC Chair

Department of Biology, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

New department of Environmental and Global Health, College of Public
Health and Health Professions

New department of Oral and Maxillofacial Diagnostic Sciences , College of
Dentistry

Action Item: University Curriculum Committee Proposed Name Changes

Andy McCollough, UCC Chair

The department of Romance Languages and Literatures underwent the following changes: Faculty in Spanish and Portuguese became the nucleus of a new department, which is now proposing the name, **Department of Spanish and Portuguese Studies**. Faculty in French, Italian and Haitian Creole became part of a second department, which is now proposing the name, **Department of Languages, Literatures and Cultures**.

Faculty in the Department of African and Asian Languages and Literatures and the Department of Germanic and Slavic Studies also became part of the new department which is now proposing the name, **Department of Languages, Literatures and Cultures**.

The Department of Sociology and the Department of Criminology, Law and Society were merged into one unit. The proposed name for the new department is the **Department of Sociology and Criminology & Law**.

Action Item: Department Name Change

Larry Lopez, Associate Chair of Pharmacy Practice

From the Department of Pharmacy Practice to
Pharmacotherapy and Translational Research

Action Item: Constitution Committee
Proposed Bylaw Changes

Cathy Martyniak, Constitution committee
chair

Action Item: Academic Policy Council
Recommendations Concerning
Department and College Change
Procedures

Danaya Wright, APC chair

Action Item: Resolution Regarding the
Gainesville Charter Amendment

Wolfgang Sigmund, Chair
Presidential LGBT Concerns
Committee

Open Floor Discussion