

Faculty Senate President's Report February 11, 2020

1. Interest in Pedagogy Series presentation on Best Practices/Transparency in Grading

– Faculty Senate Executive Committee is working with Bev West to organize a presentation as part of the Pedagogy Series on how to effectively communicate with students throughout the term about grades.

Interested? Email fspresident@mail.wou.edu

2. Applications open for Faculty At-large position on the WOU Board of Trustees

- The BOT has 15 members, including 11 at-large seats, one of which is designated for faculty – our current representative is Dr. Gavin Keulks
- Terms are two years, with the option to serve two terms
- Individuals may self-nominate by submitting a statement of interest and a resume
- Names are collected through faculty senate by sending to fspresident@mail.wou.edu, however to be as inclusive as possible, individuals may also submit materials directly to Ryan Hagemann, BOT secretary at hagemannr@wou.edu or to Admin 302
- **Deadline is Thursday February 27th 2020**
- President Fuller and Board Chair Representative Betty Komp will interview candidates and forward recommendations to the Oregon Governor, who makes the final decision which is then confirmed by the Oregon State Senate
- For additional information, the Board Statement on Board Vacancies is found here https://wou.edu/board/files/2014/10/WOU_Board_Statement_on_BoardVacancies.pdf

The Board of Trustees webpage is here <https://wou.edu/board/>

If you want to see the process in action, the next board meeting is Wednesday February 19th 12 noon – 6 pm in the WUC Columbia Room.