

Report from the Faculty Senate Research Subcommittee on Research

Faculty Senate Meeting on February 1, 2019

The Research Subcommittee has met 4 times:

- November 5, 2018
- December 19, 2018
- January 10, 2019
- January 17 2019

At the 1/17/19 meeting we finalized a 2-page summary of the following documents that had been produced by various Task Force or other planning groups at Lehigh:

- Report of the Faculty Task Force on Research (2016)
- Report and Recommendations of the Task Force on Graduate Education (2016)
- GRC Recommendations for Building Excellence in Research and Graduate Education (2017)
- GRC Memo on Research and Graduate Education (2017)
- RCEAS Envisioning Process for Greater Faculty Productivity and Scholarly Impact (2017)

The 2-page summary (*Summary of Recent Research Task Forces*) is provided as a document for the Faculty Senators to review.

The Research Subcommittee met with the Graduate and Research Committee (GRC) on January 22, 2019. The goals of this meeting were as follows:

- to present GRC with the summary document
- to explore how the GRC and Faculty Senate Research Subcommittee (and the Senate as a whole) could best collaborate in order to advance research at Lehigh

The Research Subcommittee includes

- Susan Woodhouse
- James Gilchrist
- Joshua Pepper (Fall 2018 only)

As of Spring 2019, Joshua Pepper rotated off of the Senate.

We are now searching for another Senator who is interested in working on research-related issues.