

Resolution for the Faculty Senate to Study the Issue of Promotional Lines and Titles for Non-Tenure Track Faculty

WHEREAS the current collective bargaining agreement reached by the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University requests the Faculty Senate study the appropriateness of defined promotional lines and titles for members of the Non-Tenure Track Faculty; and

WHEREAS, if such study determines that these lines are in the best interest of the University, determine both appropriate titles as well as criteria for appointment to each step; and

WHEREAS this study is not clearly within the purview of any current standing committee of the Senate;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate hereby authorizes the formation of an ad hoc committee to study and report on this matter. The Committee on Committees will recommend members from within the continuing Faculty Senators for the approval of the whole Senate.

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[Side Letter for Promotional Lines attached]

SIDE LETTER FOR PROMOTIONAL LINES:

The parties agree that they will request that the SIUC Faculty Senate study the issue of promotional lines for the Non-Tenure Track Faculty. If the SIUC Faculty Senate determines that promotional lines are in the best interest of the University, the parties will request that the SIUC Faculty Senate develop a recommendation that addresses the standards, criteria, procedures, and titles for each promotional line. These matters will not revert back to the bargaining process, if a policy is approved by the Chancellor on or before March 15 of the final year of the agreement. The issue of compensation related to each promotional line will be subject to the bargaining process if such a policy is developed and approved.

Board of Trustees

SIUC Non-Tenure Track Faculty Association

Southern Illinois University

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Date President

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