

Unified Faculty Scholarship Model Resolution

Affirming the seven strategic goals positioned to serve our University's Vision and Mission,

Bearing in mind the need of transformation set forth by these goals,

Cognizant of the importance of faculty role in achieving these goals,

Recognizing the increased scope of the faculty's scholarly activities

Aware of the rigidity of the current definitions of scholarly activities, and

Having studied the UniScope scholarship model that provides transparency, consistency, and universality across colleges,

Now therefore, the Faculty Senate:

1. Endorses the UniScope Scholarship Model as a framework for scholarly activities;

2. Affirms that this requires "a culture change rather than a paper process"

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Scholarship

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DISCOVERY OF KNOWLEDGE

- course innovation
- course improvement
- conceptual insights from course preparation or discussion
- faculty insights from supervision of theses and dissertations

INTEGRATION OF KNOWLEDGE

- cross disciplinary teaching
- multi-disciplinary teaching
- integrative courses
- capstone courses

APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE

- course innovation
- course improvement
- conceptual insights from course preparation or discussion
- faculty insights from supervision of theses and dissertations

EDUCATION OF KNOWLEDGE

- course innovation
- course improvement
- conceptual insights from course preparation or discussion
- faculty insights from supervision of theses and dissertations

Scholarship

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- basic research
- original works
- evaluation research

- multi-disciplinary and integrating research
- cross disciplinary teams
- integration of creative works from several fields

- applied research
- policy research
- performances of original works
- demonstrations
- technical assistance

- student laboratories
- theses and dissertation research (the objective is educating students about research and methods)

Scholarship

- participation in task forces, think tanks, and other problem solving activities
- creative, theoretical, or conceptual insights as a result of disciplines service to society

- academic governance
- assistance to corporations, government, and communities that involves integration across disciplines

- leadership in professional societies
- peer review activities
- editorship of journals and professional publications
- academic administration
- assistance in ones' field to groups, corporations, organizations, government, and communities

- student advising and career counseling, advising student activities and organizations
- mentoring students
- Internships
- service learning
- expert testimony and consultation