

Dear Colleagues,

In the fall, Faculty Senate approved my charging a select faculty panel to investigate the impact of enrollment growth on academic quality at FGCU and to make some focused recommendations based on informed deliberation and exploration of faculty perspectives. The audience for this work was particularly envisioned to be those faculty representing faculty voice in key planning, budgeting, and resource allocation processes, including PBC.

The result of that work was unanimously approved by the Senate last week. This document was specifically designed by the faculty panel to provide context and direction to guide the work of faculty facing decisions and providing advice to administration about the allocation of scarce resources. I am sharing it with you all, among others, to help inform and support your work representing faculty

I am pleased to be able to provide this to you. I also am grateful for the panel and its work in support of what you do, and thank you (as always) for your continued efforts in furtherance of FGCU's excellence.

Best,
Doug