

Dear Colleagues,

The TCU Faculty Senate is now accepting nominations, including self-nominations, for the Faculty Senate. Being a Senator is a great way to serve the university, to stay informed about what's going on around TCU, and to meet colleagues in other departments! It’s also a great way to learn how the university works and to contribute to improving both the faculty work experience and TCU overall.

There are seats to be filled in all colleges except the Honors College and the School of Medicine. To be eligible, nominees must be full-time faculty members with the academic rank of Instructor or higher and whose duties include more than half-time teaching and/or research. Nominations are often self-nominations, so please do not hesitate to self-nominate if you are interested in becoming a member of the Faculty Senate. Due to the size of the School of Interdisciplinary Studies (SIS), it may be represented by a Senator who is not a member of the School if the faculty of the School so choose; if you are nominating someone to run in this capacity, please indicate so.

Faculty Senate terms are for three years and involve meetings on the first and second Thursdays of each month 3:30-5:00 PM. More information, including a list of current Senators, can be found at the Senate web site at <https://fsn.tcu.edu/> . Please feel free to speak to your current Senators about their Senate experiences.

To nominate yourself or others, **please reply to this email by 5:00 pm on March 6**. Elections will be held after Spring Break.

The number of open seats by college is as follows:

AddRan - 9

Communication - 2

Education - 1

Fine Arts - 5

Harris - 4

Neeley - 5

Sci. & Eng. - 8

SIS - 1

If you have any questions, please feel free ask.

Thank you for your time and please seriously entertain the opportunity to represent your fellow faculty members in shared governance at TCU.

Sincerely,

Greg Friedman

Faculty Senate Administrative Secretary