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MEMORANDUM

TO: Full-Time Faculty, Levin College of Law

FROM: Merritt McAlister, Interim Dean

RE: Faculty Meeting Agenda

Our fifth Faculty Meeting of the 2025-2026 academic year will take place in the Faculty Lounge on Friday, December 5, 2025. Lunch will be served starting at 11:30 am, and the meeting will begin at 12:00 pm.

The agenda is as follows:

1. Action Item: Approve faculty meeting minutes for November 12, 2025, attached (Dean McAlister)
2. Action Item: Emeritus Status for Professor Cohen (Dean McAlister)
3. Action Item: Emeritus Status for Professor Calfee (Dean McAlister)
4. Action Item: Presentation of candidates from the Non-Tenure Track Appointments and Promotion Committee (O'Connell, chair)
5. Action Item: Presentation of candidates for promotion and tenure from the Promotion and Tenure Committee (Wolf, chair)

Please note that candidate voting will take place Monday, December 8, from 8 am – 5 pm.

If you are unable to attend, please contact Peter Molk, who will discuss available options. Otherwise, I look forward to seeing you.

UF Levin College of Law Faculty Meeting Minutes
November 12, 2025 - 12:00 noon

PRESENT: Stacy Biggart, Yariv Brauner, Annie Brett, Nicholas Christopolis, Judy Clausen, Lisa De Sanctis, Donna Eng, Donna Erez-Navot, Alex Erwin, Ben Fernandez, Thomas Haley, William Hamilton, David Hasen, Thomas Hawkins, Berta Hernandez-Truyol, Benjamin Johnson, Lea Johnston, Elizabeth-Ann Katz, Matthew Kim, Heather Kolinsky, Gary Lawson, Lyrrisa Lidsky, Sabrina Lopez, Lynn LoPucki, Charlene Luke, Jonathan Marshfield, Merritt McAlister, Timothy McLendon, Peter Molk, Thinh\ Nguyen, Lars Noah, Jane O'Connell, Robert Rhee, Paige Snelgro, Joan Stearns Johnsen, Stacey Steinberg, Lee-ford Tritt, Derek Wheeler, Michael Wolf, Sarah Wolking, Danaya Wright, Andy Yuan, Wentong Zheng

PRESENT ON ZOOM: Rachel Arnov-Richman, Julian Cook, Cory Evans, Mark Fenster, Jiaying Jiang, Amy Stein, John Stinneford

NOT PRESENT: Derek Bambauer, Karen Burke, Juan Caballero, Dennis Calfee, Charles Collier, Barbara Evans, Christopher Hampson, Kristen Hardy, Mindy Herzfeld, Zachary Kaufman, Tracey Maclin, Grayson McCouch, Silvia Menendez, Steven Willis

Meeting called to order at 12:01 pm

1. Action Item: Approve faculty meeting minutes for October 14, 2025, attached (Dean McAlister)

Dean McAlister presented minutes for October 14, 2025

Outcome: Minutes approved

2. Information Item: Campaign for Charities update (Matthew D'Auria, Lindsay Hanson, Layne Prebor)

Lindsay Hanson and Matthew D'Auria presented progress on Campaign for Charities and announced the bake sale today in the courtyard.

Outcome: Information only

3. Information Item: Academic Standards Committee-Update on AI surveys (Wolking, Chair)

Professor Wolking discussed the AI survey being released tomorrow and encouraged participation.

Outcome: Information only

4. Information Item: Brown Bag Update (Dean McAlister)

Dean McAlister announced a Brown Bag on Friday, Nov 14. Representatives from the Disability Resource Center (DRC) will make a presentation on universal design and discuss related policies.

Dean Lopez announced a Brown Bag to be held on Thursday, Nov 20 to discuss NextGen bar exam.

Outcome: Information only

5. Action Item: TT Appointments (Marshfield, Chair)

Professor Marshfield presented Jane Bambauer for appointment as full professor with tenure and Brian Lepshutz, Monica Haymond and Jonathan Green for entry-level, assistant professor appointments.

Outcome: candidate voting will take place electronically after the meeting until 5 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 1:01 pm.