

## We are *YOUR* CALS Faculty Council: December 2017 Update

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Dear Colleagues, your Faculty Council (FC) representatives met on 12.05.2017.

- Teaching equity continued to be discussed actively. The FC has reached out to the Office of Institutional Equity, which is open to all UA members: <http://equity.arizona.edu/information/employees>. Please also bring any concerns or comments regarding equity to your FC representative.
- Variations in Unit dissemination of budget information was noted: FC has collated publicly-available budget reports; please request this from your representative.
- There was very active debate and discussion regarding the CALS Climate Survey – the FC Chair will meet with Heather Roberts-Wren and Dean Burgess to discuss Survey results, missing information and analyses, and action plans for the future. Here is the collated “Deep Dive” document that was uploaded to the CALS website: <https://cals.arizona.edu/sites/cals.arizona.edu/files/u280/Deep%20Dive.pdf>. Stay tuned for updates, and please share your comments regarding this issue with the FC.

As always, please contact your Unit representative(s) or me if you have questions or comments.



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HOLIDAY, AND A WONDERFUL 2018!**



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