

## Faculty Senate Talking Points, October 15, 2024, Meeting #10

- Faculty Senate approved the **Resolution to continue the Publication of the University of Idaho Class Schedule** (<https://www.webpages.uidaho.edu/schedule/>). The Resolution is included with these talking points.
- Director of Human Resources Brandi Terwilliger talked about **FLSA, a new federal law** that will raise the UI exempt threshold. Please see the minutes of meeting #10 for more information.
- **CEC:** Continuing the ongoing conversation, Provost Lawrence gave a presentation summarizing CEC guidelines for FY25 and salary challenges. He addressed questions forwarded to him after last week's meeting.

### Important dates and events:

- **Next faculty gathering:** October 17, 4:30pm – 6:30pm, at the IRIC Atrium. Hosted by CNR.  
<https://www.uidaho.edu/provost/faculty-gathering>
- **POP Talks:** October 17, 4-5pm, International Ballroom  
<https://www.uidaho.edu/events?trumbaEmbed=view%3Devent%26eventid%3D177955587>
- **Talks with Torrey** resume on Monday, Oct. 21, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.  
<https://www.uidaho.edu/provost/talks-with-torrey>

The Talking Points are approved by Faculty Senate Leadership as an informal communication tool to engage constituents and get quick feedback on issues discussed at the Faculty Senate weekly meetings. All Faculty Senate agendas (including attachments and supporting documents) and meeting minutes are made available on the Senate webpage:

<https://www.uidaho.edu/governance/faculty-senate/meetings>

Please send your questions, concerns, and feedback to the Faculty Senate Chair ([khaltinner@uidaho.edu](mailto:khaltinner@uidaho.edu)).

**Remember to share these talking points with faculty and staff in your colleges**

Resolution FS2425-1

**Resolution to Continue the Publication of the University of Idaho Class Schedule**

(<https://www.webpages.uidaho.edu/schedule/>)

Whereas it is the responsibility of the Faculty Senate to “recommend[] general policies and procedures concerning the welfare of faculty members, including, but not limited to...working conditions...” [FSH 1520.]

Whereas the Office of the Registrar has communicated to faculty and staff that it intends to cease the publication of the online Class Schedule and provide information contained in the Class Schedule through the Banner Class Search tool.

Whereas the *University of Idaho General Catalog* stipulates that course information will be “listed in the class schedule.”

Whereas the *University of Idaho General Catalog* stipulates that course and lab fees will be “noted in the Comment section for each course in the online Course Schedule.”

Whereas the *University of Idaho General Catalog* stipulates that cooperative programs will “be listed in the Class Schedule.”

Whereas the *University of Idaho General Catalog* (Policy O-7) stipulates that “Departments are required to submit the names of instructors for all course sections for publication in the class schedule.”

Whereas the *University of Idaho General Catalog* (Policy O-9) stipulates that “it is the responsibility of the registrar to see that listings in the class schedule conform to the respective course descriptions.”

Whereas the Class Schedule is a critical, high value online publication that is extensively used by faculty, staff, and students for advising and registration purposes and general course and schedule management due to the utility it provides users in the format of its presentation of information relative to the Class Search tool.

Whereas Faculty Senate believes that ceasing publication of the Class Schedule will detrimentally impact the working conditions of faculty and staff as well as making registration and course management more difficult for students.

Resolved, Faculty Senate strongly recommends that the Office of the Registrar continue to publish the online Class Schedule until such time as a new system is operational that provides substantially the same functionality as the Class Schedule so as to allow for the continued efficient and effective advising and registration of students and to avoid detrimentally impacting the working conditions of faculty and staff.

Adopted by vote of Faculty Senate on October 15, 2024.