

## Faculty Senate Talking Points, January 21, 2025, Meeting #19

- **Reminder.** Please make sure to obtain from your college/unit a list of both faculty and staff, and forward the talking points to both groups. Thanks!
- Faculty Senate held a brainstorming session to identify factors that impact **employee morale** positively or negatively.
- Website transition. The University of Idaho is transforming its web site and web presence. Jodi Walker, Chad Neilson and Dan Ewart visited Faculty Senate to present the project. See also the Spring 2025 Newsletter for Instructors included in the binder for this meeting.

## Important announcements and deadlines

- **Reminder of the strategic planning survey.** The survey closes at 5 p.m. Pacific time Friday, Jan. 24. See email of January 22 from President Scott and Provost Lawrence.
- Idaho State Legislature. President Green's presentation to JFAC is next Monday, January 27, at 7:45pm. See <a href="https://legislature.idaho.gov/sessioninfo/2025/joint/jfac/">https://legislature.idaho.gov/sessioninfo/2025/joint/jfac/</a>
- Faculty gathering in January. January 23, 4:30 6:30 in the IRIC Atrium, hosted by <u>https://www.uidaho.edu/provost/faculty-gathering.</u> RSVP: <u>https://forms.office.com/r/9PR6GkFMGz</u>

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 (<u>khaltinner@uidaho.edu</u>).

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