



Faculty Senate Talking Points, March 4, 2025, Meeting #25

- Information on employee's **CEC** (Change in Employee Compensation) is not yet available from the Legislature. The Provost will communicate updates as they become available.
- Faculty Affairs Committee approved the creation of a **Faculty Compensation Committee**. The Committee on Committees will be tasked with working out the structure and charge of the new committee to be presented to Faculty Senate.
- Faculty Senate Leadership is seeking a volunteer senate member to sit on the **Benefits Advisory Committee**. If interested, please email Kristin at khaltinner@uidaho.edu.
- Changes to **FSH 3780 – Dependent Educational Tuition and Fee Reduction** were approved by Faculty Senate. These changes include a 25% discount on tuition for a second eligible dependent. The first eligible dependent will continue to receive the 50% reduction.
- Dean of COGS Jerry McMurtry and Provost Lawrence spoke about potential impacts of **federal grant modifications** on UI. At this point, no changes are being implemented by the university.

Dates and Events:

- The next Faculty Gathering, hosted by the College of Education, Health and Human Science, will be held on Tuesday, March 18, 2025, 4:30 – 6:30 PM PT in the EHHS Building. Please complete the [RSVP form](#) if you plan to attend.

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).

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