

West Virginia University at Parkersburg
Faculty Senate

Wednesday, April 8, 2026
Agenda

Members

Nursing & Health Sciences

Jami Casenelli

Heather Delaney

Workforce, Technology, & Computer

Information Sciences (WTCIS)

Doug Rhodes

Craig Giffin

Professional Studies

Greg Hill

Mary Beth Hunt

Arts & Sciences

Lauri Reidmiller (Vice Chair)

Holly Martin (Chair)

Lee Brown

Advisory Council of Faculty Representative (ACF)

Joel Farkas (Secretary)

Board of Governors Representative (BOG)

Andrew Walker

Staff Council Representative

Brent Dotson

West Virginia University at Parkersburg Faculty Senate
Meeting of Wednesday, April 8, 2026
Room 1326
3:00 pm

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of minutes
 - Faculty Senate meetings – Monday, March 11, 2026
 - Action Item: Vote to approve minutes
4. Updates
 - ACF Representative – Joel Farkas
 - BOG Representative – Andrew Walker
 - Staff Council Representative – Brent Dotson; Faculty Senate Representative to Staff Council Doug Rhodes
5. Old Business
 - a. Nursing campus lab hours - update
 - b. Faculty Senate elections in April 2026 – *check on progress*
 - i. Elections should take place between April 1-15.
 - ii. Meeting will take place between April 16 and April 30 for the newly elected senate to vote on a new Faculty Senate Chairperson.
 - c. Tenure
6. New Items
 - a. President Jackson to visit Senate
 - b. Administration’s proposed revision to the Faculty Resolution Process (Faculty Annual Evaluation Process) – See attachment below – Document 1
 - c. WVUP Answer Book Policy – IV-13.B – Division Dean Position Description/Terms of Employment
 - i. Annual Performance Review of Deans – pg. 4 – last paragraph
 - d. Honorary Degrees
7. Comments/Announcements from senators and/or attendees
 - Other issues to discuss or to add to future agendas
8. Next Meeting
 - Wednesday, May 13, 2026 – 3:00 pm – Room 1326
9. Adjournment

Submitted: Holly Martin 04/07/2026

Document 1

Received Thursday, March 26 by email from Dr. Jackson

Future Evaluation Cycles

Beginning with the next evaluation cycle, Faculty Evaluation Advisory Panels will serve as pre-submission advisory resources for faculty. At the request of a faculty member, the panel may review the faculty member's self-reflection prior to submission to the dean and may provide non-binding observations to assist the faculty member in aligning their materials with the evaluation rubric.

Members of the Faculty Evaluation Advisory Panels will be identified within each division and will typically include two faculty members. Selection will occur during a division meeting at the beginning of the fall semester.

The Faculty Evaluation Advisory Panels serve in an advisory capacity only. The panels do not assign ratings or participate in the formal evaluation process. Any observations from the panel are provided only to the faculty member requesting the review.

The panels may provide non-binding observations, such as:

- Whether the materials reviewed appear consistent with the evaluation rubric; and
- Whether there are areas, based on the rubric and the faculty self-reflection, where additional clarification might assist the administrative review.

Consistent with WVU Parkersburg policy, responsibility for faculty evaluation will remain with the Dean, the Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, and the President.