

Notes from FS Exec Committee on Faculty Status for GRDI professionals (October, 2013)

- Need clarification on HEPC Series Nine concerning appointment status.
- Service on Faculty Senate and FS Committees – GRDI faculty should serve as reps from the College in which they reside (with the exclusion of P&T, Retention and Fac Pers). *Note of explanation of the text in parens. Given that GRDI personnel (at least as I understand) will not stand for normal retention/tenure/promotion, they should not serve on FS committees dealing with these issues.*
- Evaluation criteria for promotion and any form of investiture should include evaluation from Department Chairs and College Deans in the same manner as other faculty.
- Department's should be lead in hiring faculty who will be in their department (applies to future hires). Determination of research focus should be determined by GRDI needs.
- GRDI Faculty should have some sort of teaching appointment, will advise students, and will participate fully in departmental and college governance.
- Present and future GRDI hires should not replace faculty lines on the University side.