

University Committee Year-End Communication			
Committee Name	Faculty Development Committee		
Academic Year	18-19	Number of Meetings	2
Committee Members (available at <a href="http://www.umd.edu/committees/">http://www.umd.edu/committees/</a> ) ↓			
Betsy Bach, Communication Studies (2020) Erin Baucom, Mansfield Library (2020) Heidi Eggert, Theatre and Dance (2021) Amy Glaspey, Communicative Sciences and Disorders (2021) Veronica Johnson, Counselor Education (2019) Paul Lukacs, Ecosystem and Conservation (2019) Prageeta Sharma, English (2020) Tobin Shearer, History (2019) - Chair			
Please describe your experience on the committee (What information would you share with a faculty member who is considering service on this committee?)			
<p>Work feels substantive but not overwhelming. Great group of people to work with.</p> <p>Committees Charge:            The Faculty Development Committee is responsible for the allocation of the Faculty Development Funds. These funds are allocated for the mini-sabbatical, faculty development, and visiting scholar programs. Applications for the three programs have a mid to late semester deadline. Committee members review each application and rate them. Typically the committee meets once each semester to allocate the funds.</p>			
Topics Addressed (agenda items)↓			
Each semester we evaluate, rank, and appropriate Faculty Development Funds as provided by the Provost's office.			
Actions Taken (resolutions, proposals, recommendations)↓			
We distributed funds at the end of the Fall 2018 Semester; we will do so again in the last week of the semester in Spring 2019.			
Unresolved Issues ↓			
None.			