Senate Resolution Regarding Merit 2014-2015
Approved October 22, 2013
Paul W. Werth, Chair

The following proposal prepared by the Executive Committee was approved unanimously by the Faculty Senate at its October 22, 2013, meeting.

(1) UNLV bylaws shall continue to govern the process of allocating merit increases.

(2) Merit awards for 2014 shall take into account all activities and achievements over the calendar years 2008-2013, a total of six years.

(3) As in the past, departments and colleges shall establish their own specific procedures for assessing satisfactory and meritorious activity, as well as the rankings of faculty for the purposes of allocating merit funds—all consistent with UNLV’s and their own bylaws, as well as the procedures identified here.

(4) Allocations of merit money shall continue with the same seven tiers of dollar amounts that existed before the last distribution of merit for 2007 (from $0 to $4500), though units may deploy those tiers in ways consistent with their own traditions and needs.

(5) Both those who are applying for promotion in the fall of 2013 and those who have been promoted at any point since 2008 shall be eligible for merit in 2014, regardless of past practices and procedures.

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