

"Our office is committed to elevating Texas A&M University faculty and their impact on our students, society and the world."

In its first year of existence, Faculty Affairs accomplished its primary goal of elevating the faculty through targeted actions within the following critical areas:

- Faculty Development and External Awards & Recognition The emphasis of faculty development and award recognition has been an essential area of concentration, highlighted by a central support system for prospective external awardees. There were:
 - approximately 1,972 registrants for Summer/Fall 2022 faculty and leadership development workshops, orientations, learning communities and conferences
 - 41 external award recipients supported through recognition including congratulatory letters and/or events
 - 213 registrants for external award workshops
- Promotion and Tenure The promotion and tenure evaluation process was enhanced to reduce redundancies and provide quality time for candidate evaluation. In relation, the university-wide implementation of Faculty180:
 - reduces the time associated with the annual evaluation reporting process
 - o permits users to create CVs and biosketches for evaluation and grant request processes
- Shared Governance Faculty gained access to collaboratively revise university-level proposals via the intranet located on the Faculty Affairs website. The involvement of Faculty Senate representatives across the university and faculty task force groups further emphasized shared governance.
- Communications Faculty Affairs strategically consolidated messaging to faculty and department leadership
 into multi-topic bulletins known as the Faculty Affairs Spotlight. This significantly impacted email
 communications by:
 - o reducing the number of emails sent
 - o increasing the average open rate
- **Data Management** The newly implemented "TAMU by the Numbers" gives an overview of university metrics to allow for data-informed decision-making. This resource draws data from five independent data systems and is accessible to all faculty and staff via the Faculty Affairs website.

The Office of the Vice President for Faculty Affairs is now located in the following two buildings:

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