

Announcements

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University Bylaw Changes

The Trustees approved these Fall 2018 Faculty Senate Recommendations:

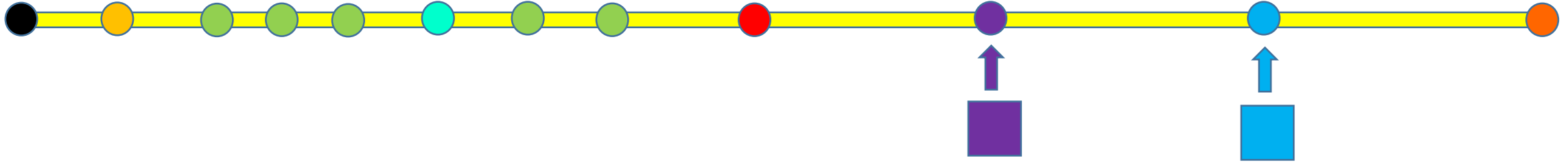
In Article II ...

Two trustees shall be elected from among and by the University Faculty at Ithaca and Geneva for terms of four years each, at least one being elected every second year. **The University Faculty shall determine the electorate.**

In Article XIII...

The University Faculty may grant **to any group of instructional and research staff** the right to vote on any question deemed by the Faculty to be of interest to such group.

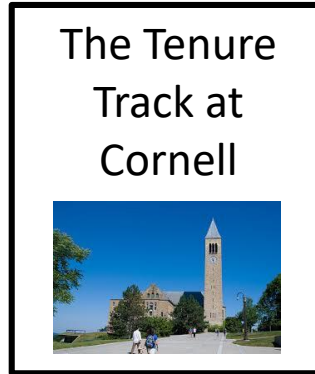
Review of Tenure Track Processes



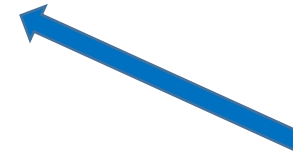
- Recruitment
- Orientation
- Annual Review
- Department Three-Year Review
- Department Review
- College & Ad Hoc Committee Review
- Provost & FACTA Review
- Trustee Approval

The goal is to provide more detail and “best practice” clarity to what is in the Faculty Handbook.

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[More Details](#)



Dean of Faculty

Deputy Provost



AFPSC

Senate

FACTA

Deans

Chairs



Non-Snowday Follow-Up

The [Incident Leadership Team](#) will meet February 25 to discuss possible windchill-related protocols.

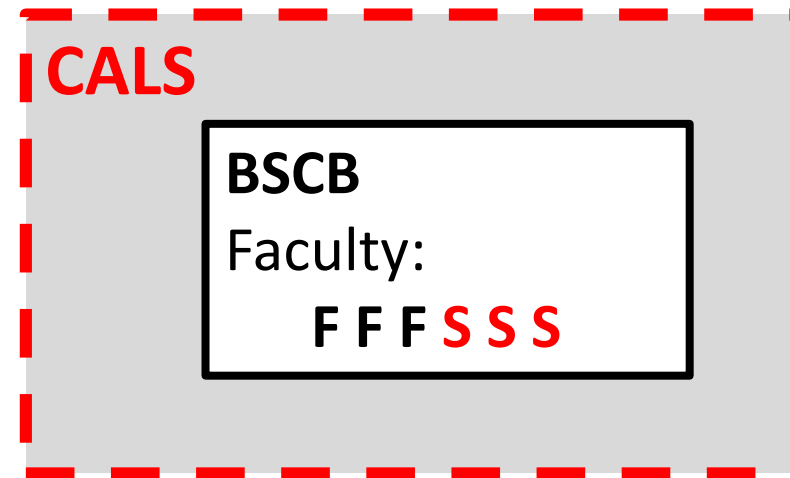
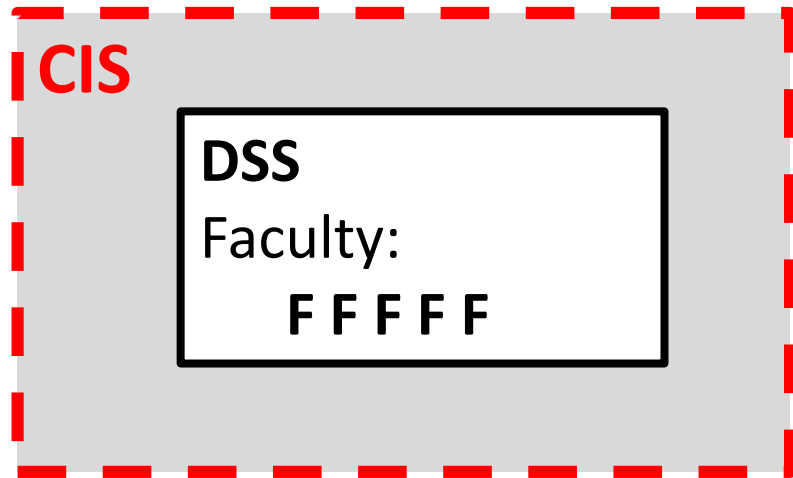
On [this webpage](#) is assembled data from the Northeast Climate Center together with advice from Cornell Health, Student Disability Services, International Student Services Office, and about 75 members of the community.

I will bring this information to the table.

DSS and BSCB Realignment

DSS = Department of Statistical Science

BSCB = Department of Biological Statistics and Computational Biology



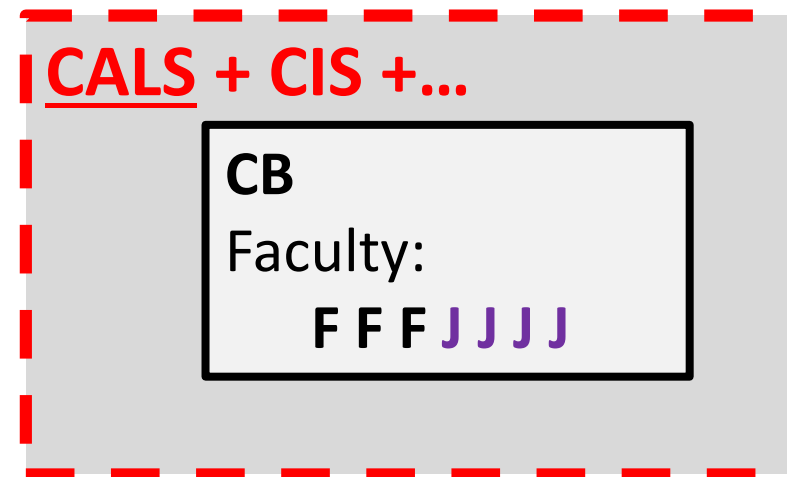
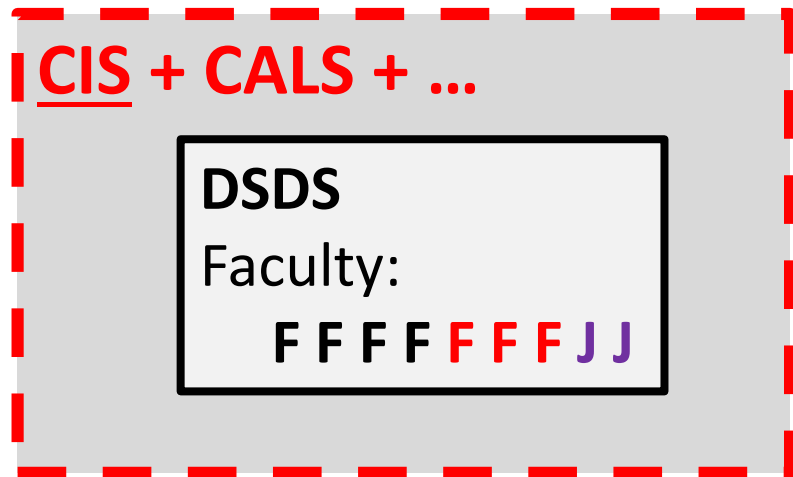
Current

Plan: Move the statistics faculty **S from BSCB to DSS and rename both units.**

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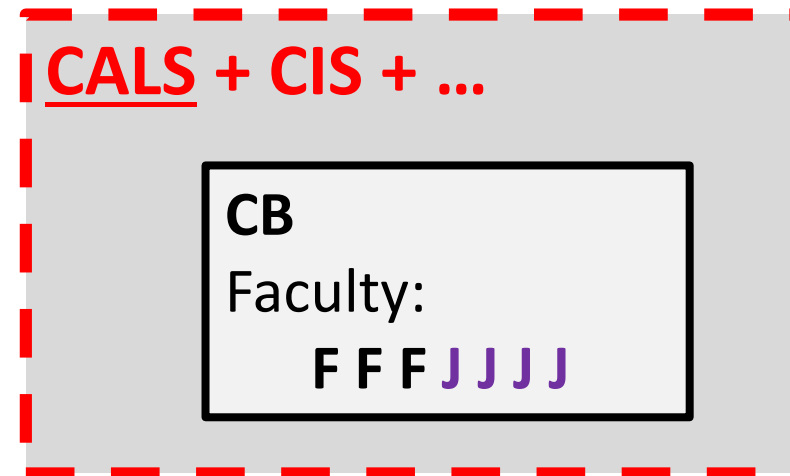
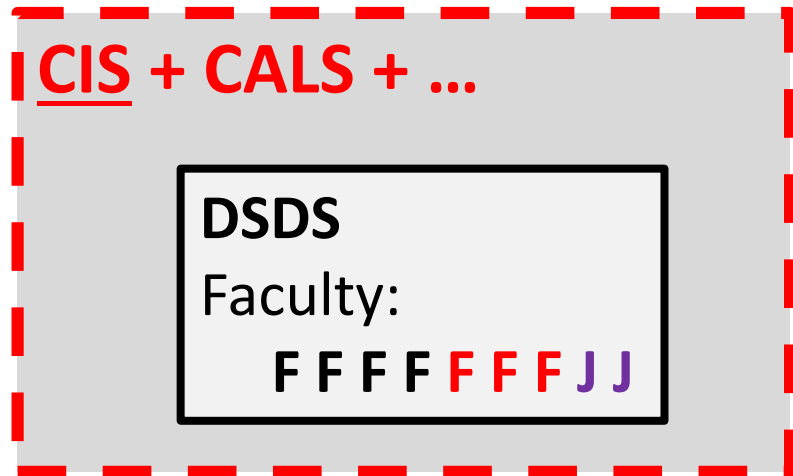
Proposed

Proceed to build strength using joint appointments **J** from around the university using the “shared department model”, e.g., EEB, EAS, Nutritional Sci, MBG, NeuroB.

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Approved by all the affected deans, departments and faculty. Also approved by Senate's Committee on Academic Programs and Policies (even though there are no new programs.) **Open for comments.**