

UFC Vice-Chair Report
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I have two items to report:

- 1) Faculty governance workshop – Jackie and I are discussing the possibility of holding a one-day faculty governance workshop during ‘dead week.’ The workshop would include an orientation for faculty new to university committee and UFC service, as well as discussion of issues of concern for the coming year.
- 2) Faculty governance survey - Thank you to the fifty faculty who completed the UFC Survey on Faculty Governance. Surveying faculty about faculty governance in the middle of an active Gen Ed discussion was not ideal, but the results should prove useful as we make plans for the coming year. Attached is a report from the survey that includes information about the survey respondents and their ratings on the first set of questions. We have written comments from the survey that we are reviewing and anticipate having those to share at the next UFC meeting. The full results will help inform plans for a governance workshop, as well as in setting our agenda for next year. I also anticipate reviewing this survey for use again next year.

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UFC Survey on Faculty Governance - Spring 2019

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Q2 - Your department

Your department

CPSC

MDLL

Mathematics

College of Business

CPSC

Biology

sociology and anthropology

COE

Music

CPR

Music

Theatre & Dance

Geography

chemistry

Geography

History

Athletics

SOAN

Historic Preservation

PSYC

Your department

Biology

Athletics

Education

AHPE

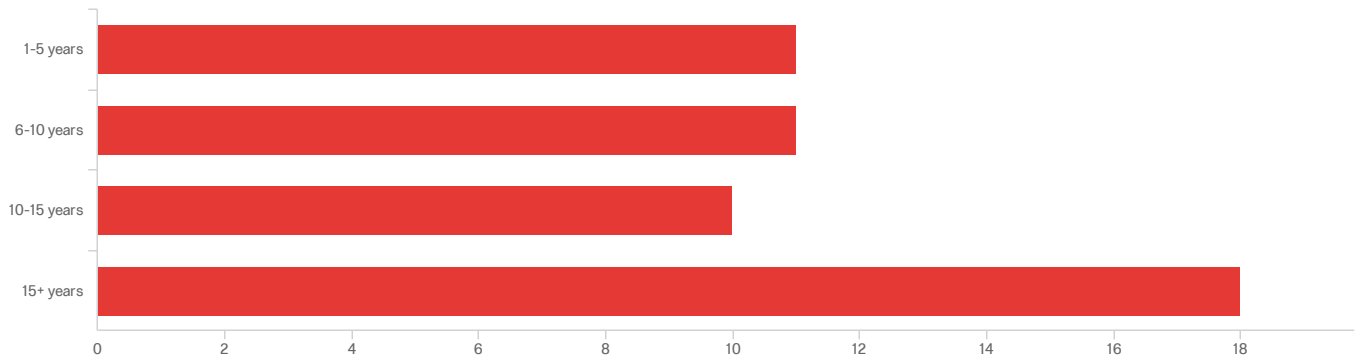
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Geography

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COB

Q3 - How long have you been at UMW:



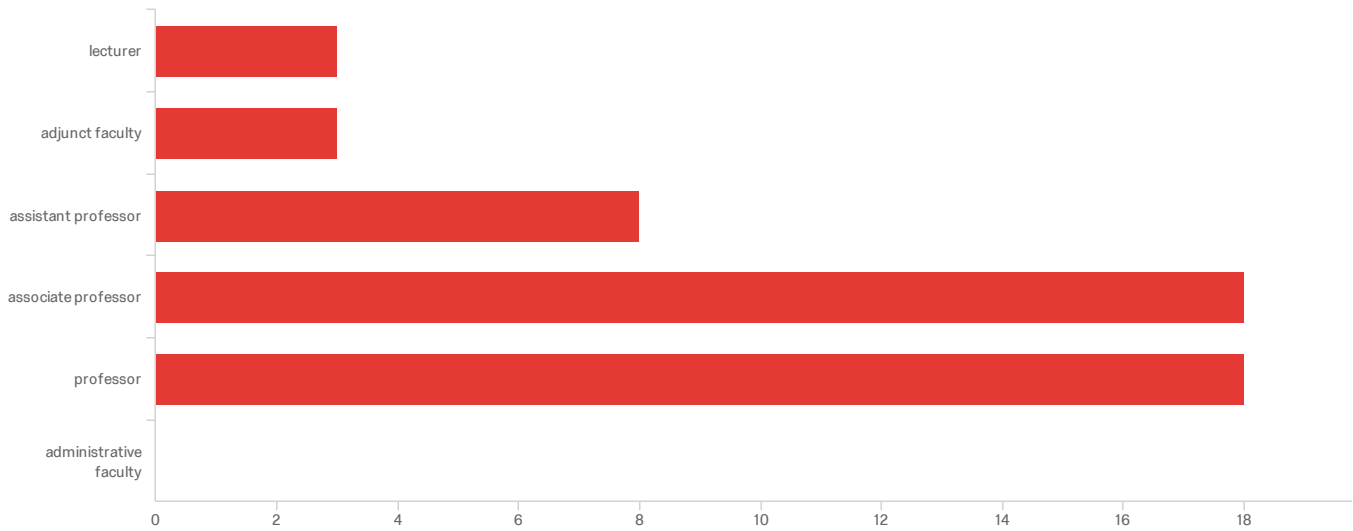
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1	How long have you been at UMW:	1.00	4.00	2.70	1.17	1.37	50

#	Field	Choice Count
1	1-5 years	22.00% 11
2	6-10 years	22.00% 11
3	10-15 years	20.00% 10
4	15+ years	36.00% 18

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Q4 - I am a(n):



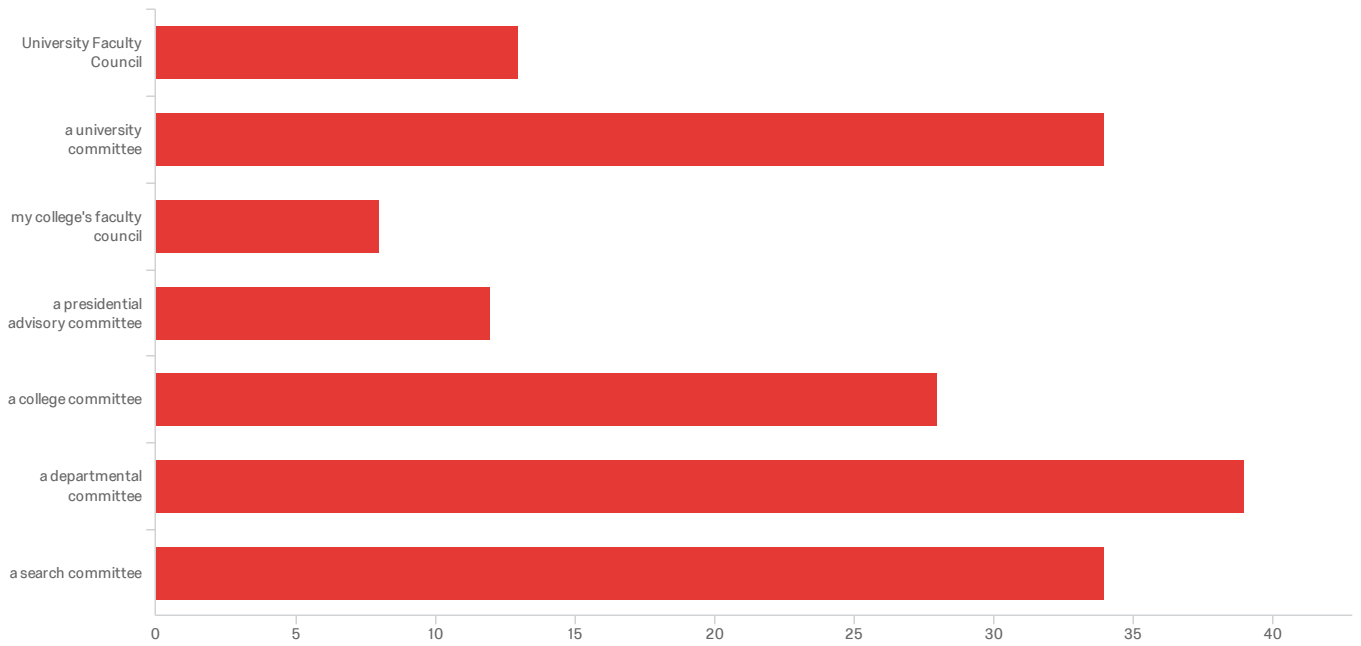
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1	I am a(n):	1.00	5.00	3.90	1.14	1.29	50

#	Field	Choice Count
1	lecturer	6.00% 3
2	adjunct faculty	6.00% 3
3	assistant professor	16.00% 8
4	associate professor	36.00% 18
5	professor	36.00% 18
6	administrative faculty	0.00% 0

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Q5 - In the last five years I have served on (mark multiple if appropriate):

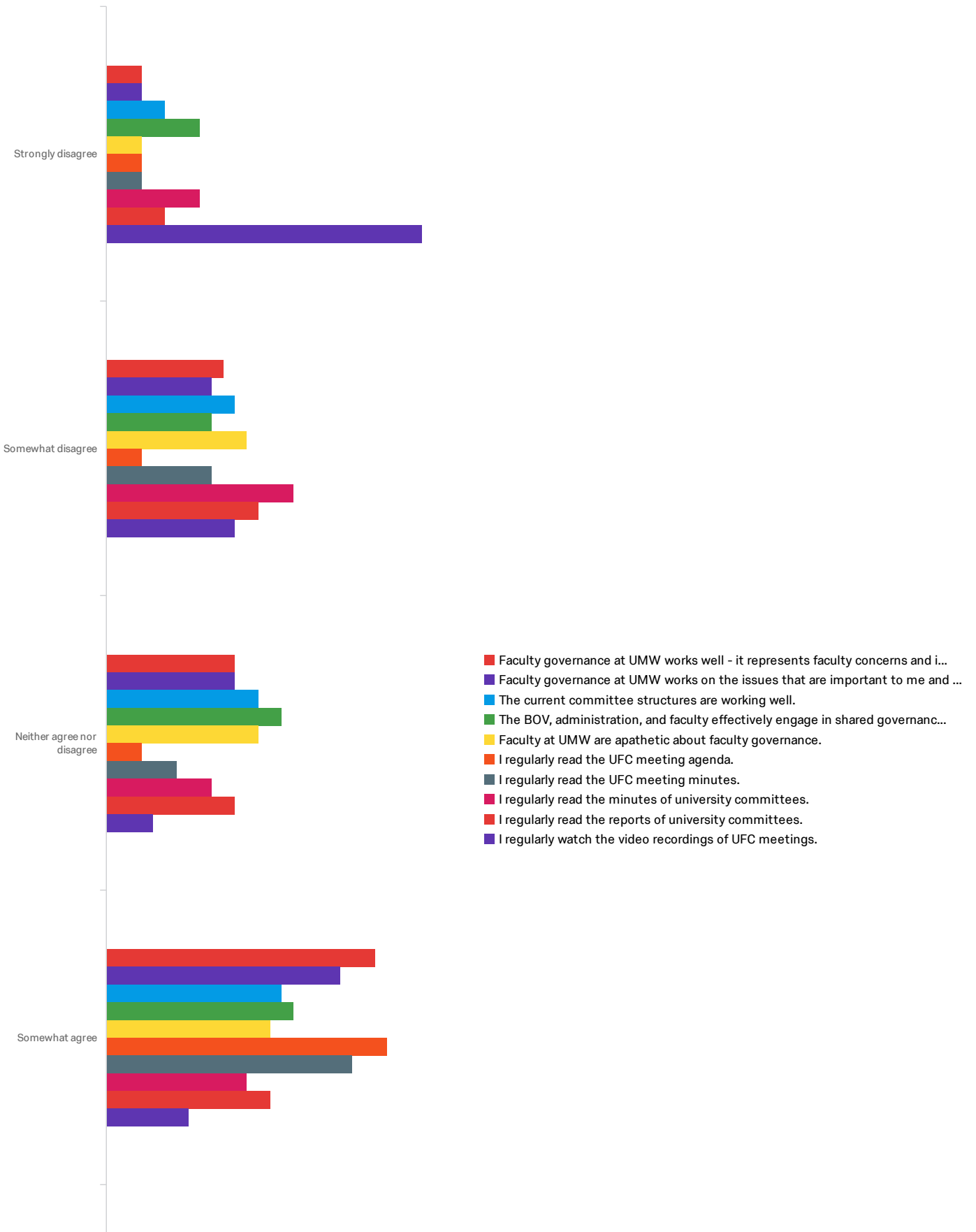


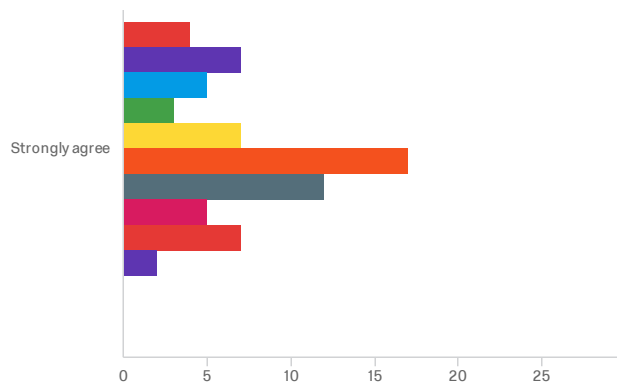
#	Field	Choice Count
1	University Faculty Council	7.74% 13
2	a university committee	20.24% 34
3	my college's faculty council	4.76% 8
4	a presidential advisory committee	7.14% 12
5	a college committee	16.67% 28
6	a departmental committee	23.21% 39
7	a search committee	20.24% 34

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Q6 - How strongly do you agree with the following:





#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Faculty governance at UMW works well - it represents faculty concerns and interests.	1.00	5.00	3.29	1.05	1.11	51
2	Faculty governance at UMW works on the issues that are important to me and my colleagues.	1.00	5.00	3.38	1.11	1.24	50
3	The current committee structures are working well.	1.00	5.00	3.08	1.16	1.34	49
4	The BOV, administration, and faculty effectively engage in shared governance for the university.	1.00	5.00	2.94	1.16	1.35	51
5	Faculty at UMW are apathetic about faculty governance.	1.00	5.00	3.20	1.14	1.31	49
6	I regularly read the UFC meeting agenda.	1.00	5.00	3.98	1.09	1.18	50
7	I regularly read the UFC meeting minutes.	1.00	5.00	3.59	1.19	1.42	51
8	I regularly read the minutes of university committees.	1.00	5.00	2.80	1.25	1.56	50
9	I regularly read the reports of university committees.	1.00	5.00	3.10	1.22	1.49	50
10	I regularly watch the video recordings of UFC meetings.	1.00	5.00	1.94	1.23	1.51	51

#	Field	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree	Total
1	Faculty governance at UMW works well - it represents faculty concerns and interests.	5.88% 3	19.61% 10	21.57% 11	45.10% 23	7.84% 4	51
2	Faculty governance at UMW works on the issues that are important to me and my colleagues.	6.00% 3	18.00% 9	22.00% 11	40.00% 20	14.00% 7	50
3	The current committee structures are working well.	10.20% 5	22.45% 11	26.53% 13	30.61% 15	10.20% 5	49

#	Field	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree	Total
4	The BOV, administration, and faculty effectively engage in shared governance for the university.	15.69% 8	17.65% 9	29.41% 15	31.37% 16	5.88% 3	51
5	Faculty at UMW are apathetic about faculty governance.	6.12% 3	24.49% 12	26.53% 13	28.57% 14	14.29% 7	49
6	I regularly read the UFC meeting agenda.	6.00% 3	6.00% 3	6.00% 3	48.00% 24	34.00% 17	50
7	I regularly read the UFC meeting minutes.	5.88% 3	17.65% 9	11.76% 6	41.18% 21	23.53% 12	51
8	I regularly read the minutes of university committees.	16.00% 8	32.00% 16	18.00% 9	24.00% 12	10.00% 5	50
9	I regularly read the reports of university committees.	10.00% 5	26.00% 13	22.00% 11	28.00% 14	14.00% 7	50
10	I regularly watch the video recordings of UFC meetings.	52.94% 27	21.57% 11	7.84% 4	13.73% 7	3.92% 2	51

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