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The Board
Introduction

This manual provides general information about Illinois Central College as well as an overview of the role of the Student Trustee. This guide serves to acclimate the student to their elected position.

Philosophy

Founded as a comprehensive community college in 1966 in response to the Illinois Master Plan for Higher Education, Illinois Central College was established to meet the post-secondary needs of the citizens of the District and to supplement the area schools and four-year colleges.

The College was formed on the belief that individuals have worth and dignity in their own right and should be educated to the fullest extent of their abilities and motivation. Education of each citizen creates a better community for all. The College strives to provide quality education appropriate to each individual’s needs within the bounds of fiscal responsibility. Illinois Central College is committed to non-discrimination and equal opportunity regardless of age, race, gender, ethnicity, religion, or physical capability. We believe that by representing the diversity of our district, we enrich the learning experience and create a broader and better understanding of our global community. In support of building and learning environment, we are dedicated to being the leader in recruiting, retaining, and promoting a diverse group of students, faculty, and staff.

The student is the center of all that is done at Illinois Central College. The College strives to provide students the knowledge, skills, and understanding for successful and satisfying careers and for intelligent participation in and preservation of a free and democratic society. This includes the development of a higher sense of values and the desire for continuous education throughout life. To achieve these purposes, the College encourages excellence in teaching and close communication between instructor and student.

The College is also committed to its Core Values: Learning, Integrity, Responsibility, Community, and Excellence.

Adopted: Board of Trustees 1/14/93
Reaffirmed Annually
Amended and Reaffirmed 2/14/14
Reaffirmed 3/20/15

Mission
Through learning, minds change. We believe by changing minds, we can change the world.

Adopted: Board of Trustees 3/27/08

The mission of the College is to (1) enable students to reach their educational potential and (2) serve as a resource for the educational and cultural needs of the community.

To fulfill its philosophy and mission, the College:

1. Promotes student access through both admission policies and reasonable student costs that encourage enrollment of those who can benefit from the instruction and services offered.

2. Enhances the academic and personal development of all students through a full range of support services.

3. Provides a broad general education curriculum for students in all programs as a basis for further study and specialization.

4. Offers the requirements and prerequisites in preparation for successful transfer to a four-year institution to complete a baccalaureate degree.

5. Provides a variety of occupational and technical programs that prepare students for successful employment and that meet the needs of area business and industry.

6. Provides developmental and remedial level studies for students with academic deficiencies.

7. Provides opportunities for students to appreciate and benefit from the diversity of people in a global community.

8. Offers continuing education opportunities for students interested in meeting personal goals of updating employment skills and pursuing cultural and leisure interests.

9. Cooperates with other educational, business, and governmental entities to address educational needs related to the economic health of the residents of the District.

10. Provides special cultural, recreational, and general interest events, which enrich the life of the community.

Adopted: Board of Trustees 1/14/93
Reaffirmed Annually
Last Date of Reaffirmation 3/20/15

Board Members

Term Expires
Paula Davis    Groveland        2023
Michael Everett   Washington        2021
Diane Lamb     Hanna City        2025
Kelly Daniels    Peoria           2023
Carl Cannon     Dunlap           2023
David Mingus    Washington        2021
Gale Thetford    Peoria           2025
Courtney Privia, Student Trustee   Jacksonville  2021

Student Trustees

Joan Besing    1974       Brenden Witte        1996       Isaac Jones         2018
Julia Schmidt  1975       Laura Hagaman      1997       Elaina Sassine      2019
Lynn Travis    1976       Philomena Clement 1998       Kamarni Gaiter      2019
Colleen Eaton  1977       Derek Hilst         1999
Laura Schroeder 1978      Dan Hibbs           2000
Francis Baker  1979       Julia Myers         2001
Bruce Theobald 1980       Leah Leas          2001
Bill Christ    1980       Jeffery Williams   2002
Don Ford       1981       Kevin Parker       2003
Wayne Leuthold 1982       Michael Lang      2004
Tim Gallagher  1982       Wade Dooley        2005
Phil Harris    1983       Roy Beckham        2006
Tim Gallagher  1984       Jaime Casinova     2007
Kit Mernich    1985       Spanky Edwards     2008
Keri Fuller    1986       Jarek Palmer       2008
Nikki Mitts    1987       Thomas Aguilar     2009
Ann Hartman    1988       George Azouri      2010
Laura Sweeney  1989       DeVon Deckert      2011
Tobin Taylor   1990       Trevor Mileur      2012
Bryan Miller   1991       Trevor Mileur      2013
Rebecca Wegner 1993       Rachael DeLost    2015
Jeffery Williams 1994   Hellen Roesor    2016
Jennifer McCabe 1995     Isaac Jones       2017
Student Trustee
Student Trustee History

The Student Trustee position was established in October 1974 through an amendment to the Public Community College Act. Each community college should have one student member under the jurisdiction of the Board. They are elected by a campus-wide referendum for a one-year term beginning April 15 and ending April 14 the following year. The Student Trustee membership privileges include the right to make and second motions and attend closed session.

In November 1994, the ICC Student Trustee was granted an advisory, non-binding vote on all voting issues by the Board of Trustees.

Illinois Central College truly values the perspective of the student body. The Student Trustee has been invaluable to the Board as a reflection of the students’ position on institutional issues.

Election Process and Seating

Every spring semester, the student body elects a student trustee for the coming year in a campus election. In order to become a student trustee, you must (1) meet the eligibility requirements, (2) file a completed student trustee election packet, and (3) receive enough votes from the student body in the general election.

The eligibility requirements include: being enrolled in at least six credit hours at ICC during each semester (fall and spring); maintaining eight office hours monthly; working with the Manager of Student Life on a monthly report showcasing activities in Student Life; submitting a monthly report; establishing a good working relationship with the SGA Advisor and SGA members; following Student Conduct Code; in good standing (academic and judicial) at ICC; attending SGA meetings every first and third Wednesday or Thursday at 3 p.m.; attending the Board of Trustees meetings at 5 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month (the date is subject to change and a typical board meetings last 2-3 hours), Board Retreats (held twice a year) as well as other board-related events, as requested.

Students interested in running for student trustee must complete and submit to Student Life, Room 303A, the attached Declaration of Candidacy, Candidate Profile Sheet, and Nominating Petition by the deadline noted (early submissions are encouraged).

Names of eligible candidates will be placed on the ballot in alphabetical order. Candidates should schedule a time for a picture to be taken. The pictures will be displayed on the election website along with excerpts from the candidate profile.
sheets. Proofreading your Candidate Profile sheet is strongly recommended.

The student trustee is elected by a campus-wide election. All voting will occur online via the ICC website. Online voting will be accessible beginning at 8:00 a.m. on the first election day, through 11:59 p.m. on the final election day. A stationary polling place will be in the Atrium on the East Peoria Campus from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on election dates. Eligible voters may also vote online at any computer with internet access. All bona fide registered students at Illinois Central College, full time or part time, shall be eligible to vote in the campus-wide election for student trustee.

Campaigning may begin after the designated campaign start date, but not before the full election materials are submitted and approved by Student Life. Each candidate may request from Student Life up to 50 flyers (8.5” x 11”). Candidates must submit originals to Student Life at studentlife@icc.edu for approval no later than two weeks before elections. Candidates may also supply for themselves flyers, hats, handbills, balloons, or other visual means to campaign. All campaign materials must be approved by Student Life prior to use. All candidates will be notified of all approved campaign materials via their ICC student email addresses. All campaigning, including that on social media, should be in accordance with ICC’s Student Code of Conduct. Candidates may be held accountable for any violation of the Student Code of Conduct, including, but not limited to, disqualification.

Candidates may campaign on the days of election in preassigned areas only. Preassigned campaign areas may not be used or solicited as polling places. Candidates are responsible for making sure that students do not vote while at their pre-assigned campaign station. Verbal solicitation of votes or campaigning materials of any kind are prohibited at polling places and shall not be directed at students who are in the process of voting. A polling place is defined as anywhere where a student may cast a vote.

Failure to comply with these election rules will result in the candidate being held accountable for their actions, including, but not limited to, disqualification for the duration of this election cycle. Candidates are responsible for the actions of those campaigning on their behalf. If a candidate(s) believes another candidate(s) has committed a violation, an Election Complaint Form must be filed with Student Life the day of the alleged violation and no later than the conclusion of voting.
Representing the Students

The Board of Trustees is the foremost policy-making body at Illinois Central College. All issues concerning the general operations and academic activities of the college fall under the board’s umbrella of authority. These issues range from changes in tuition to compensation practices for employees, from approval of academic programs to property development on campus. Because its decisions impact so many people, the Board of Trustees has a very influential role. The Board of Trustees has the responsibility to preserve the positive qualities of the college with an eye on the future implications of its decisions.

The Board of Trustees is a group made up of distinguished citizens from across central Illinois and a student trustee. A trustee represents diverse interests yet works together with the board to accomplish common goals for the college. Much care, research, and cooperation are necessary in order to create sound policies for the entire campus community.

The student trustee brings a unique, student perspective to the Board, but he/she is also expected to represent the College as a whole – not just a vantage point. The role of the student trustee is a dynamic position that calls for self-motivation and a desire to serve. Similar to any student office, or professional position, the student trustee has the choice to make the most of the opportunities associated with this position.

The student trustee position is one of the most exciting and career-enhancing opportunities available at Illinois Central College. As the student serves the college, he/she is exposed to a variety of complex issues. Dealing with such issues on a regular basis allows the student to gain valuable “real world” experiences that may give him/her an advantage when competing for scholarships and employment opportunities. The student trustee interacts with central Illinois community leaders from a variety of fields.
Code of Conduct

The ICC community has established as its core values Learning, Community, Integrity, Responsibility, and Excellence. As a member of the ICC community, the Student Trustee is responsible for upholding and living by the core values. Trust and honesty are also the cornerstones of our college.

As the student member of the Board of Trustees, the Student Trustee is expected to conduct them self in a manner suitable and representative of the position. The Student Trustee is entitled to the same rights and responsibilities of all students as outlined in the Student Handbook. The Student Trustee is also expected to conduct themselves appropriately within the academic community; thus, as the student representative of Illinois Central College you are obligated to the same general standards of conduct both on- and off-campus. Failure to conduct yourself to the established standards for students and the Board of Trustees may result in disciplinary action leading up to and including dismissal from the Board of Trustees.

Vacancy

STEP 1
In the event of a vacancy of the Student Trustee position on the Board of Trustees, the Vice President of Student Success in concert with the Office of Student Life, will invite candidates to apply for the position. Any candidate from the original ballot will be invited to automatically be one of the finalists or consideration. Other candidates will be solicited from the various clubs, organizations, and student groups.

STEP 2
Students interested in becoming a candidate must submit a letter of application indicating their academic background, goals, reasons for seeking the position, involvement activities, and strengths they bring to the position.

STEP 3
A committee will be formed consisting of three students, one faculty/staff member of the College, and the Manager for Student Life. The committee will review the letters of application to identify the top two to five candidates. The committee will then conduct interviews of the final candidates.

STEP 4
The committee will make a recommendation to the Vice President of Student Success who will in turn make a recommendation to the President of the College. The President will make the final recommendation to the Board of Trustees.
Board Meetings/Packets

Board of Trustee meetings are scheduled for the third Thursday of every month at 5:00 p.m. in the Founders Room, room 211, unless otherwise indicated. All Board meetings are public and formal in nature; therefore, professional attitudes and attire are expected. The Student Trustee will receive a Board Packet prior to the meeting date. Reviewing the packet materials is important. Questions or concerns should be addressed to the Vice President of Student Services prior to the Board meeting. The Student Trustee will schedule a regular meeting with the Vice President prior to and following each Board meeting to address these issues. A sample Board meeting agenda is included in the appendix.

Board meetings usually will include Closed Sessions. During Closed Sessions the Board members deal with issues pertaining to litigation, the purchase of land, contract negotiations, student conduct, and personnel issues. Discussions and minutes of Closed Session meetings are to be kept in strict confidence. Meetings typically last two to three hours.

Board Meeting Attendance

Attendance at Board Meetings and the annual Board Retreat is an expectation for the Student Trustee. Extenuating circumstances may arise that prevent attendance. If this should occur, the Student Trustee should notify the Secretary, President, or the Board Chair as early as possible.

State Involvement

The Student Trustee is encouraged to be involved in statewide associations to become well versed in the issues and topics affecting post-secondary education. The Student Trustee will have an opportunity to become involved in the Illinois Community College Board Student Advisory Committee (ICCB SAC). Additional information will be provided.
Student Trustee Travel

Arrangements for travel by the Student Trustee will be made through the Secretary to the Board of Trustees. Pre-approved travel expenses will be paid by the College.

Conference and Meeting Policy (Travel)

Travel related expenses for business conducted on the College’s behalf by the Board of Trustees and the President of ICC should be reimbursed consistent with the guidelines established for all ICC employees. Generally, the policy states that the business-related expenses would be reimbursed at a reasonable actual cost while the ICC official is on College business.

A travel reimbursement form or a Conference and Meeting Request form should be completed for each individual claiming reimbursement. The proper supporting documentation (receipts) should be attached to the form for expenditures claimed and then submitted to the Secretary of the Board of Trustees.

Meal Lodging Allowance

The College will reimburse meals at reasonable actual cost while the official is on College business. Documentation (receipts) is encouraged for all expenditures but required for individual items over $25.00. The following points should be observed:

- To obtain reimbursement, each meal must be individually itemized.
- Group meals should include a list of all attendees and purpose of the expenditure.
  - Breakfast is reimbursable when an official has been away from his/her residence overnight or is required to leave for the travel destination at or before 7:00 a.m.
  - Lunch may be reimbursable when the official is conducting business away from his/her workplace between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.
  - Dinner is payable when an official is required to be away from his/her residence overnight or is required to leave for the travel destination at or before 6:00 p.m.
  - The College generally will not reimburse officials for entertainment or incidental expenses.
  - Expenses incurred relating to spouses of ICC officials are not reimbursable unless approved in advance by the Board Chair.

Travel Advances

Pre-approval travel expenses will be paid by the College.
In the event a travel advance is requested, prior approval by the Board Chair, or designee, is required. The amount of the request should represent, at maximum, a reasonable estimate of expected “out of pocket” business expenses for the pending travel. All properly supported and authorized advance requests will be processed by Accounts Payable within ten business days of receipt.

College officials requesting an advance or reimbursement for travel expenses must complete a Conference and Meeting Request form. **Final accounting for travel advances should be submitted to the Board Secretary or designee no later than five (5) working days after the trip.** Any travel advances not accounted for after five (5) days may prevent disbursement of additional travel funds.
Student Trustee Candidate Forms

Declaration of Candidacy

I, __________________________, hereby officially submit my name as an independent candidate for the position of Student Trustee of ILLINOIS CENTRAL COLLEGE for the term of Academic Year 2021-22. I am fully aware of the campaign and election procedures and agree to follow them.

_____________________________________________________________________________
Signature                                                                          Date

Candidate Profile Sheet

Name: ___________________________________ Student ID: _________________________

ICC email address: ____________________________________________________________

Phone Number: _________________________ Hours enrolled this semester: _____ GPA: ____

In addition to filling out this form, send an email to studentlife@icc.edu. Please describe yourself and any goals you hope to accomplish as a Student Trustee. Include your name as you would like it written on the ballot. This information will be used for your election profile.

Student Government Association Student Trustee Nominating Petition

Student Name: ___________________________________

I understand that all persons nominated by the petition with the required 35 signatures will be placed on the election ballot.

We, the undersigned, as students of Illinois Central College, endorse the above nominee to run for the position of Student Government Association Student Trustee.
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Addendum
1.0 Convening the Meeting
   1.1 Call to Order
   1.2 Pledge of Allegiance
   1.3 Roll Call
   1.4 Recognition:
   1.5 Hearing of Citizens
       Visiting groups or individuals wishing to be heard concerning matters which lie within the scope of the Board’s duties and responsibilities shall submit a written request to the Board Secretary indicating the topic or topics to be discussed prior to the public Board of Trustees meeting. Presentations are limited to 10 minutes.
   1.6 Statement of Conflict of Interest

2.0 Consent Agenda
   2.2 Personnel Recommendations
   2.3 Purchase Recommendations
   2.4 Approval of the Monthly Bills for January 1-31, 2019, including Conference and Meeting Expenses

3.0 Board of Trustees Chair Report
   3.1 Announcements (Gale Thetford, Chair)
   3.2 ICCTA Report (Gale Thetford, Chair)
   3.3 Legislative Committee Report (Michael Everett)
   3.4 Student Trustee Report (Elaina Sassine)

4.0 President’s Report
   4.1 Student Success Report
5.0 Treasurer’s Report
   5.1 Treasurer’s Report for January 2019 .......................... Roll Call

6.0 Informational
   6.1 Spring 2019 Enrollment Update (Kelly Daniels) ................. Roll Call
   6.2 Affirmative Action Program (AAP) (Carl Cannon) ............... Roll Call

7.0 Action Items
   7.1 Reappointment of Auditor (Paula Davis) ........................ Roll Call
   7.2 Customer Relationships Management Software (CRM) (Carl Cannon) ... Roll Call
   7.3 AIT Equipment Purchase: CNC & Welding (Mike Everett) .......... Roll Call
   7.4 Approval of Tenure Award (Mike Everett) ....................... Roll Call
   7.5 Authorization of Match Funding for the Workforce Sustainability Project (Paula Davis) .................................................. Roll Call

8.0 Unfinished Business

9.0 New Business

10.0 Closed Session
    To discuss litigation when an action against, affecting, on behalf of the particular Body has been filed and is pending before a court or administrative tribunal or when the public body finds that an action is probable or imminent (Section 2(c) (11) of the Open Meetings Act) To discuss the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees (Section 2(c)(1) of the Open Meetings Act). ................................................................. Roll Call

11.0 Adjournment
Board of Trustees Profiles
(Listed on the Board of Trustees webpage)

Board of Trustees

Trustees are elected to serve a six-year term and are unpaid.

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Director — Peoria Park District
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Leadership Training® Compliant (2019)

Kelly Daniels
Years Served: 2017 - 2023
Caterpillar
Email: kelly.daniels@cat.com
Address: 1126 W. MacQueen
Peoria, IL 61604
Leadership Training® Compliant (2019)

Paula Davis
Years Served: 2017 - 2023
Retired Superintendent — Peoria High School
Email: paula.davis@shs.org
Address: 779 Valley View Ct.
Gowerland, IL 61535
Leadership Training® Compliant (2019)

Michael Everett
Board Chair (2019-2020)
Years Served: 2015 - 2021
President — West Central Illinois Labor Council
Email: michael.everett@wciic.org
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Washington, IL 61571
Leadership Training® Compliant (2019)

Diane M. (Unes) Lamb
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Leadership Training® Compliant (2019)

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Years Served: 2010 - 2021
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Leadership Training® Compliant (2019)

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Retired General Counsel — Illinois Department on Aging
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Leadership Training® Compliant (2019)
ILLINOIS CENTRAL COLLEGE
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2020

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 2020

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2020

BOARD RETREAT, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2020**
Peoria Campus – Hickory 131

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2020

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 2020**
Peoria Campus – Hickory 131

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2020

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 2020

THURSDAY, JULY 16, 2020

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 2020

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2020

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2020

BOARD MISSION & PLANNING RETREAT, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17**
Peoria Campus – Hickory 131

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2020

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2020

*Unless otherwise indicated, Board Meetings are held the third Thursday of the month at 5:00 p.m. in the Founders Room (211A) on the East Peoria Campus. Changes and special meeting notices will be posted on the website.

** PEORIA CAMPUS

Please call the Board Secretary at 309-694-5522 for more information.

Updated March 2, 2020
ILLINOIS CENTRAL COLLEGE  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2021

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 2021

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2021

BOARD RETREAT, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2021**  
Peoria Campus – Hickory 131

THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2021

THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 2021**  
Peoria Campus – Hickory 131

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 2021

THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 2021

THURSDAY, JULY 15, 2021

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 2021

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2021

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2021

BOARD MISSION & PLANNING RETREAT, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23**  
Peoria Campus – Hickory 131

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2021

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2021

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** PEORIA CAMPUS

Please call the Board Secretary at 309-694-5522 for more information.

Updated March 23, 2020
Student Trustee Report – Sample

- The Student Trustee report is due monthly Tuesday at Noon in the week prior to the Board meeting.
- Please be sure than all acronyms have the group name spelled out in parenthesis the first time it is mentioned.
- The following format for the report is preferred for easier reading. The font should be Arial 12.
- Please always try to include what the purpose or benefit of the event was.

Student Life

You might say Student Life has their own March madness with all the activities our different clubs and student organization have been hosting this month!

March 10: In honor of March being National Women’s month, UNITE held a bake sale for the purpose of collecting feminine hygiene products and/or money to buy these products for the food bank at ICC.

March 11: S.I.G.N. Club (Sign Language Interpreters Growth and Networking Club) held a bake sale with a St. Patty’s Day theme.

March 10 -11: Strike a Pose on a sky bridge, described as a “bake and make sale.”

March 12: CAB (Campus Activities Board) hosted a casino night.

March 12-13: SAFE (Student Association for the Environment) also held a bake sale.

March 13: Sigma Kappa Delta (SKD) held their induction ceremony for all their new members.

March 24: SAFE held a documentary screening of “Ice on Fire.” This documentary focuses on solutions to combat climate change.

March 24: Cru brought in the Free Bible Now people to hand out bibles to students.

March 25-26: SGA (Student Government Association) held their elections for the next academic year’s student trustee and e-board positions.

March 27: UNITE (Understanding Individuality Through Education) hosted a prom night.

March 30: CAB (Campus Activities Board) brought in a hypnotist for their hypnosis against humanity event.
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Fun Facts

Here are some quick facts about Illinois Central College:

- Founded in 1967 as a community college
- Serves all or parts of ten Central Illinois counties: Peoria, Tazewell, Woodford, Bureau, Logan, Marshall, Livingston, McLean, Stark, Mason
- Seventh largest community college district in Illinois in terms of square miles (2,322 square miles)
- Accredited by the Higher Learning Commission
- Awards Associate in Arts degree, Associate in Science degree, Associate in General Studies degree, Associate in Engineering Sciences degree, Associate in Applied Science degree, and occupational Certificates
- Offers about 2,300 classes each fall and spring
- Average class size = 15
- Average age = 25
- ICC Educational Foundation awards more than 600 scholarships each year
- Nearly 70 percent of all credit student receive some form of financial aid
- Lowest tuition rate of colleges and universities in Central Illinois
- Roughly 180 full-time faculty and about 430 adjunct (part-time) faculty