

2017 Executive Committee Candidate

John A. Edwards (at OSU since 1995), Professor of Psychology ~ College of Liberal Arts. Chair/Director, Psychology, College of Liberal Arts, 2008-17.

FACULTY SENATE SERVICE: Liberal Arts Faculty Senator, 2014-16; Distance Education Committee, 2010-12; Advancement of Teaching Committee, 2005-07 (Chair, 2006-2007).

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS SERVICE: Faculty Council, 2012-14; Outstanding Senior Committee, 1999-02 (chair, 20010-2).

UNIVERSITY SERVICE: Analytics Initiative Design Task Force, 2017; OSU Gateway Planning Committee, 2017; OSU Faculty Representative, HB2998 Transfer Workgroup of the Oregon Higher Education Coordinating Committee, 2017-18; University Data Governance Committee, 2017-18; University Council on Student Engagement, 2016-18, 2006-08; U-Engage Course Selection Committee, 2016; Faculty Advisory Council, Division of Undergraduate Studies, 2015-18; Learning Innovation Grant Evaluation Team, 2015-17; OSU Equity & Inclusion Self-Study Team, 2011-13; Affirmative Action Search Advocate, 2009-present; Institutional Review Board, 2005-14 (alternate status starting in 2012).

SEARCH COMMITTEES (at the level of department head and above): School of Language, Culture, and Society Director (Chair), 2017; College of Liberal Arts Associate Dean, 2015-16; School of Arts and Communication Director, 2014.

Candidate Statement: I have been a faculty member at OSU for over 20 years, 10 of them as an academic department head, and have experience interacting with a wide range of the university's operations. I believe that faculty governance fundamentally entails faculty doing the hard work necessary to ensure the success and welfare of the faculty, staff, and students of OSU, as well as helping to ensure that OSU is effective in its mission. There is no better place to help with that than the Faculty Senate Executive Committee.