

INTERCAMPUS FACULTY CABINET MEETING MINUTES

Discussion Items:

The IFC was joined by President Mun Choi to discuss issues of importance to faculty members.

Masking Mandate

The group discussed concerns regarding masking, social distancing, and the health and wellbeing of faculty, staff and students in light of the increased spread of COVID-19 and recent actions by the Board of Curators.

Faculty and Staff Morale

IFC members relayed concerns about morale among faculty and staff at the four UM universities and expressed a desire for gauging morale on a consistent and quantitative basis. President Choi asked the group to assist in formulating resolutions to the concerns presented.

UM Research Board Tier 3 Funding

President Choi discussed the initial stages and next steps for disbursement of UM Research Board Tier 3 Funding. IFC Members presented concerns of distribution equity if changes are made to the current model, and offered to assist in creating a model that would ensure equity.