

Professional Concerns Committee  
November 19, 2020, at 3:30pm  
Agenda

Meeting link:

<https://nku.zoom.us/j/94306793456?pwd=ZkRPQmVsN3M1ZUZkV2RLUjVpUDdnZz09>

1. Call to Order, Adoption of the Agenda
2. Approval of the minutes from the November 5 meeting
3. Chair's Report and Announcements
4. New Business
  - a. Discussion item: annual performance review of non-tenure track renewable faculty. Due to the pension situation, many staff positions have been converted to faculty positions. How should the performance of these faculty be reviewed?
  - b. Discussion item: should faculty on part-time appointments be eligible for faculty development awards? Sections of the Handbook appear to be in conflict.
    - i. "Tenured, full-time faculty and department chairs/school directors are eligible to apply for sabbatical leaves...." (section 11.1.2; see also sections 11.2.2 and 11.3.2)
    - ii. "Faculty members on part-time appointments, whether term or permanent, retain all rights and responsibilities attendant to their appointment as a tenured faculty member." (section 1.5.2)
5. Future Business
6. Adjournment (4:30pm)