



**To: UFV faculty members**

**Re: Senate Elections—Call for nominations extended for faculty member positions**

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The UFV Senate is extending the call for nominations from February 21 to March 12 for faculty members to serve on Senate for the following positions:

- **One** member from the Faculty of Health Sciences
- **One** member from the Faculty of Professional Studies

The terms of office are three years (August 1, 2012-July 31, 2015).

**Nominations close:** Monday, March 12, 2012 at 4:00 pm.

Senate is the academic governing body at UFV which is responsible for policies concerning academic matters and advising the Board on policies of mutual interest. Senate business is conducted through its standing committees, whose terms of reference are posted on the Senate website at <http://www.ufv.ca/senate.htm>.

The Senate meets once each month at 2:30 pm on Friday of the second week in the UFV meeting schedule. Meetings alternate between UFV campuses. Senate members are expected to represent the Senate on at least one Senate standing committee. For further information on membership and responsibilities of Senate, please view the Senate by-laws, at <http://www.ufv.ca/senate.htm>.

If you are interested in holding an elected position on Senate, please review the election procedures and complete a nomination form, both of which are available on the Secretariat website at <http://www.ufv.ca/Secretariat/Elections.htm> and return to Lisa Tassone, Assistant to the University Secretary, Abbotsford campus C1011 **no later than 4:00 pm on Monday, March 12, 2012**. If more than one nomination is received, Senate will conduct an election.

If you have any questions please contact Lisa Tassone at [lisa.tassone@ufv.ca](mailto:lisa.tassone@ufv.ca).