Date/Time: Wednesday, December 4th, 2024 from 9:00 - 10:00am

**Location: ZOOM** Link

## Old Business

- Review proposed process for raising faculty concerns
  - Karyn reviewed options for a possible process
  - Suggestion to communicate through representatives and unit minutes
    - Make FC updates a standard item in our unit minutes
    - Communicate in meeting you are available for faculty to provide concerns or questions
  - Suggestion to link to a form on the agenda or minutes send out (or both)
    - Need to have an anonymous option
    - Suggestion to add the CMS form link to the website
      - Add chairs to the CMS form and chairs will add the feedback to the meeting agenda
    - Items the form should include:
      - Make sure it "closes the loop," needs to be follow-up
      - Type of concern or opportunity, nature of the entry
      - Space for narrative
      - What might the faculty like to be seen done
      - Space for email if they want to be contacted (but can leave empty to remain anonymous)
    - Question about how this process is done in UAS/ECS
      - Three faculty needed to bring something to the meeting
      - Question about whether CECI should mirror this process as our suggested process seems more proactive
        - General feedback was that it should be more proactive, but still an easy process at the college level
    - Noted that it needs to be clear what kind of concerns or opportunities should be sent to FC
      - Question about what would happen if something was reported and it was an issue for the Dean's office or a college committee and not FC
        - Concern about the feedback loop
        - Suggestion to set up an appointment with the FC chair in these cases
    - Noted there is a need for guidelines to oversee university and college committees

- Question about whether it is FC's charge or oversee university committee representation
  - Noted that it is in our charge to hold elections and to find representation if a space has been left, but uncertain if it is FC job to hold representatives accountable
  - Noted that we need a suggested process for this when issues arise
  - Terry offered to attempt to draft a process
- What does closing the loop look like
- Review proposed communication plan between FC and standing CECI committees, UAS, and Dean's Office
  - Tabled for January
- o Reminder: liaison emails for slideshow for end of the semester updates:
  - Liaison emails Updated <u>Committee Liaison list</u>
  - Please ask committee reps to send in an end of the semester update for the slideshow and have it updated before leaving for Winter break

## New Business

## Future Meetings

- Suggested Winter 2025 Committee Meeting Dates (if continuing to meet 3rd Wednesday of the month)
  - January 15th 9-10AM
  - February 19th 9-10AM
  - March 19th 9-10AM
  - April 16th 9-10AM