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## Descriptive Summary

**Unit ID**

R0034

**Unit ID**

/repositories/2/resources/222

**Unit Date**

1966-2012

**Language**

English

**Summary**

This collection contains Memmoranda, correspondence, meeting minutes and reports created or accessed by the George Mason University Faculty Senate and its previous iterations.

**Creator**

George Mason University. Faculty Senate

**Extent**

3.3 Linear Feet 7 boxes

**Repository**

George Mason University. Libraries. Special Collections Research Center

## Administrative Information

**Conditions Governing Access**

None.

**Use Restrictions**

There are no restrictions on personal use. Permission to publish material from Faculty Senate records must be obtained from the Special Collections Research Center, George Mason University Libraries.

**Acquisition Information**

Materials were transferred to SCRC by agents of the George Mason Faculty Senate.

**Processing Information**

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## Biographical / Historical

The Faculty Senate of George Mason University has the fundamental general responsibility to speak and act for the General Faculty on matters affecting the University as a whole. It has the particular responsibility to formulate proposals on matters affecting the welfare of the University and on university-wide academic policy. The Faculty Senate serves as the principal faculty advisory body to the President and the administration.

Prior to 1974 there was no Faculty Senate as exists today. During the 1960s through the early 1970s George Mason college was small enough for the general faculty to meet as a whole. Regular general faculty meetings were held during the early years. General faculty meetings were held to discuss academic policies and actions of the administration, and write recommendations and resolutions pertaining to George Mason College issues. In 1972, Mason established a University Senate. The University Senate was comprised of the president, provost, deans and department heads from the two academic units: The College of Arts and Sciences and The College of Professional Studies.

The organization currently known as the Faculty Senate was established by charter on April 3, 1974. This document established the membership, appointments, qualifications, election, responsibilities, and authority pertaining to the body.

## Scope and Contents

The George Mason Faculty Senate contains records created and/or accessed by the Faculty Senate, its previous iterations, and/or Faculty-related committees dealing with such issues as promotion and tenure, academic freedom, and compensation and benefits. Types of records include correspondence, memoranda, meeting minutes, reports, and records pertaining to the establishment of the Faculty Senate including the Charter, ammendments, and by-laws. The bulk of the records covers the years 1966-2000, with additional records covering the years 2007-2012. Faculty Senate agendas and meeting minutes for the years 1967 and 1973-2000. Reports of Faculty Evaluation of the Administrators are available for the years 1990-1993 and 2007-2012.

# Keywords

George Mason University -- Faculty  
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# Arrangement

The collection contains a single series comprising meeting minutes, reports, memoranda and other records pertaining to the Faculty Senate arranged chronologically.

# Description of Subordinate Components

## **Meeting minutes, reports, memoranda and other records pertaining to the Faculty Senate**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397573

**Unit Date** 1966-2012

**Mixed Materials** 1-7 (Boxes)

### **Faculty Affairs correspondence**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397574

**Unit Date** 1966

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### **Faculty Affairs minutes**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397575

**Unit Date** 1967

**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)

**Container** 2 (folder)

### **Faculty Affairs memoranda**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397576

**Unit Date** 1968

**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)

**Container** 3 (folder)

### **Faculty Affairs memoranda**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397577

**Unit Date** 1969

**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)

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### **Faculty Affairs committee reports**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397578

**Unit Date** 1970

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### **Memoranda and reports**

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**Unit Date** 1971

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**Report of the Committee on Compensation and Benefits****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397580**Unit Date** 1972**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 7 (folder)**University Senate minutes and reports****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397581**Unit Date** 1973**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 8 (folder)**Faculty Senate meeting minutes and correspondence****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397582**Unit Date** 1974**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 9 (folder)**Faculty Senate meeting minutes and bylaws****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397583**Unit Date** 1975**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 10 (folder)**Faculty Senate meeting minutes [1 of 2]****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397584**Unit Date** 1976**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 11 (folder)**Faculty Senate meeting minutes [2 of 2]****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397585**Unit Date** 1976**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 12 (folder)**Faculty-related materials****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397586**Unit Date** 1964-1977**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Container** 13 (folder)**Faculty Senate meeting minutes****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397587**Unit Date** 1977**Mixed Materials** 2 (box)**Container** 1 (folder)

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**Unit Date** 1980

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**Unit Date** 1981

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**Unit Date** 1989

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**Report of the Faculty Evaluation of the Administration**

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**Unit Date** 1990

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**Unit Date** 1991

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**Unit Date** September 1991

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**Unit Date** 1992

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**Faculty Information Guide****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397628**Unit Date** 1993**Mixed Materials** 7 (box)**Container** 8 (folder)**Report of Faculty Evaluation of the Administrators****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397629**Unit Date** 2007-2012**Mixed Materials** 7 (box)**Container** 9 (folder)**[Undated Faculty Senate materials re: committees, tenure, academic freedom, and promotion]****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/397630**Unit Date** 1970s-1990s**Mixed Materials** 7 (box)**Container** 10 (folder)