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### **Faculty Affairs Newsflash**

Welcome to **Newsflash** - brief highlights and links from academic affairs curated by the faculty affairs team in the Provost's Office to provide relevant and timely news "flashes" and resources for all faculty.

### Spring 2025 course evaluations open April 4

Course evaluations for most spring courses will be open on **April 4** and close on **April 27**. Visit the <u>assessment website</u> to access guides for changing schedules, adding questions and cross-listing (combining) courses.

Faculty are encouraged to include teaching assistants in the evaluation by mailing a completed <u>TA form</u> to ekadmin@clemson.edu.

### Tenure and Promotion pre-check process launches April 1

Faculty seeking confirmation of eligibility and intent to submit consideration for promotion and/or tenure during the Fall 2025 - May 2026 Review Cycle should expect the pre-check process to launch on April 1. Email <a href="mailto:DMadmin@clemson.edu">DMadmin@clemson.edu</a> with questions.



# Upcoming sessions from AACU Artificial Intelligence and Pedagogy team begin March 12

- Mastering the Prompt: A Hands-On to Intro to Generative AI (March 12)
- GenAl Unleashed: A Course Showcase of Creative Applications (March 31)
- GenAl in Action: Transforming Research with Intelligent Tools (April 3)
- Build It & Grade It: A Workshop on Crafting Assessments and Rubrics with GenAl (May 12)



### Centennial Professorship Award deadline March 21

There's still time to <u>submit nominations\*</u> for <u>the 2025 Centennial Professorship</u>, which is bestowed by University faculty on an outstanding colleague in recognition of their demonstrated excellence and is supported by a joint endowment. The award will be approximately \$12,000 annually. Nominations close **March 21**.

\*Editor's note: We are aware of accessibility issues in InfoReady and are working with the vendor to resolve them. For the best experience, view on a desktop or laptop computer. If you encounter any issues, please contact Tom Kealy at tkealy@clemson.edu.



### New events this May

- Faculty Writing Retreat Friday, <u>May 2</u>, and Saturday, <u>May 3</u>.
- Faculty Grow Workshop (Monday, <u>May 12</u>)



## Associate Dean for Undergraduate Learning position open - applications due March 16

An internal search for the position of <u>Associate Dean for Undergraduate Learning</u> is underway. Internal candidates are encouraged to apply or share with qualified faculty for consideration.



### Simple Syllabus training: April 8

Clemson recently introduced <u>Simple Syllabus</u>, a centralized syllabus management system that integrates with Canvas, making it easy for instructors to publish their syllabi and for students to stay up-to-date.

Clemson Online will host the next <u>Simple Syllabus training</u> on **April 8**.



### Workshops and events coming up

- Join the Faculty Insight workshop presented by Academic Analytics on March 13. Register to attend in person or virtually.
- Submit a <u>panel idea</u> for Clemson's <u>annual Research Symposium</u> by March 14.
- Learn best practices for partnering with community organizations to enhance research impact on March 25.
  Register to attend in person or virtually.

Visit the <u>current updates</u> section to learn about additional timely events and activities.



# Douglas W. Bradbury Award for outstanding contributions to the Honors College due March 14

The Clemson University Honors College is now soliciting nominations for the <u>Douglas W. Bradbury Award</u>, a top faculty award for outstanding contributions to the Honors College. Nominations can be made by Honors students, faculty, department chairs or other academic administrators, or staff who work closely with faculty.

If you know of a recent alum who would like to submit a nomination, please have them reach out to Stephanie Phillips (<a href="mailto:sbphill@clemson.edu">sbphill@clemson.edu</a>) directly.



### Faculty-run annual TIDE Conference: March 31 through April 3

The theme for Clemson's 5th annual <u>Tigers for Integrity, Discourse</u>, <u>and Ethics (TIDE) Conference</u> is "**Ethical Leadership: Making the Hard Decisions.**" Faculty members chose the theme to help students, faculty and staff think critically about what it takes to be an ethical leader and how to navigate making difficult decisions.



#### **Next Month...**

The next issue of Newsflash will be distributed on Friday, April 4.

To recommend academic affairs items and news you'd like to see in future newsletters, contact Kim Banks at ktbanks@clemson.edu. Prior newsletters can be found on the Faculty Affairs Newsflash website.











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