

## **NOMINEE PROFILE - ELECTION TO THE FACULTY SENATE**



**Note:** The Faculty Senate is a working organization. To run, you must be able to attend its meetings held monthly from 12:00 – 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday. **Does your schedule allow you to attend?**  Yes  No

The Faculty Senate Committees meet based on members' schedules.

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**Please provide a brief overview of any teaching, research, and/or service activities/experiences that you feel could contribute to the Faculty Senate.**

Prior to arriving at UH in 2017, I was chair of the Political Science Department at the University of Texas at San Antonio. I also chaired the Provost's Teaching Academy (a group of faculty who advised the Provost on matters relating to teaching) and participated in the UTSA leadership training. Since I arrived at UH, I have worked with faculty and staff at the Hobby School (which was founded in 2016) to develop and improve programming and establish organizational procedures. In 2019, I received approval for a new Ethics Center at UH for which I am currently director.