

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.

Wenli Gao focuses on teaching data information literacy skills to students. She has integrated her instruction in undergraduate and graduate courses mainly in the social sciences. Wenli is also one of the instructors for the data visualization course at the HPE Data Science Institute.

Wenli has been an organizer for several campus data events, such as *Love Data @ UH* and *UH Annual Data Visualization Day*. Wenli is also a steering committee member and chair of the fundraising committee for the 4th National Joint Conference of Librarians of Color (JCLC) in 2022.