

Proposed resolutions on Fulbright awards and Sabbaticals:

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Fulbright Scholars

Faculty who receive appointments as Fulbright scholars\* bring not only honor to themselves but reflect credit on the University. If they take a leave of absence rather than a sabbatical to accept such an appointment, they are not allowed to count the time served as Fulbright Scholars toward the years needed to qualify for future sabbaticals, in effect penalizing them for bringing this recognition to the university. To eliminate this inequity, the Faculty Senate urges that non-sabbatical Fulbright scholars be allowed to count the time of their leave toward qualifying for a sabbatical.

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Sabbaticals

Recently the University, primarily for budgetary reasons, has begun to encourage faculty where at all possible to choose one-year rather than one-semester sabbaticals when making application for them. Yet faculty who make such a choice and who thus may be regarded as helping the University are in fact penalized by the failure of the University to continue paying into their account with the Kentucky Teachers Retirement System, a payment which continues for those who choose the one-semester sabbatical. In light of this evident inequity the Faculty Senate urges that the University administration reconsider its policy and give most serious consideration to making full payment into KTRS for faculty on one-year sabbaticals.

\*Fulbright here is being used as a kind of generic term for various other grants that faculty may be awarded from foundations such as Rockefeller, Carnegie, Ford, Guggenheim and the like.