

**Committee of Committees Meeting
Spring 2012 Report**

CAS reports regular weekly meetings; the presence of Associate Dean Corey Freeman-Gallant

FEC reports a semester filled with some of its typical work: two spring elections and BOT observations (in May; for the February off-campus retreat, FEC reviewed the Board Book). FEC also assisted in two pilots: one for the Dean of Faculty, to help him assemble a Chairs Advisory Board that would weigh in on tenure line allocations decisions; the second was to have the FEC chair sit on IPPC, as a way of improving communication between the two committees and, thereby, strengthen FEC's role as communicator of important initiatives to the faculty. The two committees will confer on their sense of the success of this pilot and whether