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2009-2010	Walaama ta tha 2011 2012 Acadamia Voor	2009-2010
Median Salary at	Welcome to the 2011-2012 Academic Year.	Mean Salary at Full
Full Professor Rank (\$ thousands)	Yes, it is hard to believe, but SFUFA will be	Professor Rank (\$ thousands)
158.6 *Toronto	bargaining again starting in early 2012.	166.4 *Toronto
157.6 Trent	In past years, bargaining was constrained at the provincial level by the Public Sector Employer's Council (PSEC). It is not yet known how PSEC will influence the next round of bargaining. However, public sector workers have sent strong messages to the government that further rounds of 0's will not sit well with their members – the public sector has done its bit during the recent economic downturn.	153.2 Trent
148.1 Calgary		152.9 UBC
147.4 Laurentian		152.4 Calgary
146.6 *Waterloo		149.9 Alberta
145.6 UBC		149.8 York
144.1 McMaster		147.8 WesternOnt
142.6 Alberta	The purpose of this (and future bulletins) is keep	147.2 *Waterloo
142.5 York	members of SFUFA up to date on bargaining and	146.2 McMaster
142.4 *St.Jerome's	to highlight important issues about your compensation (including benefits).	145.4 *St.Jerome's
142.3 Lethbridge		145.1 Lethbridge
142.1 WLU	How does SFU's salary compare to others institutions across Canada?	144.7 Laurentian
141.4 Ottawa	The columns on the left and right of this bulletin	142.2 Brock
138.7 Queen's	show the (ranked) median (the point at which half of the members are paid more and half paid less)	142.1 Windsor
138.7 Windsor	and the average (total of salaries/number of members) at the Full Professor rank. The data is from the 2009-2010 fiscal year (the latest	141.4 Ottawa
138.5 Guelph		140.9 Queen's
138.4 WesternOnt	available) and is collected by Statistics Canada	140.8 *McGill
137.8 Athabasca	from each institution. The values reported are for full time faculty, excluding medical, dental and	140.7 Canada
137.6 Brock	senior administrator faculty. Values include	140.0 Athabasca
137.5 Canada	market differentials and other (non-	138.2 Guelph
137.0 *King's(ON)	administrative) supplements. Data was not yet available for institutions labeled with a * and so	137.6 WLU
136.9 Lakehead	an imputation of a 3% increase from the previous year was used which is close to the historical change. SFUs number has been deliberately removed. Start by "placing" SFU where you think it should belong among the list of institutions presented here. Then look at the end of the bulletin to see the actual values for SFU.	135.5 *Ryerson
136.7 Manitoba		134.8 Carleton
136.4 *McGill		134.4 Saskatchewan
136.3 *HEC		134.2 Lakehead
136.1 ConradGrebel		134.2 UOIT
136.0 *Ryerson		133.4 ConradGrebel
135.1 Carleton		132.9 *MontrealPoly

135.0 UOIT
133.7 *MontrealPoly
132.9 Saskatchewan
130.5 Mt Allison
129.8 Dalhousie
129.6 Saint Mary's
129.4 RMCC
128.1 Memorial
126.9 UPEI
126.5 St.Boniface
125.9 UVic

More detailed information (e.g. multiple years, and for Assistant Professors, Associate Professors, and Librarians/Archivists) is available at http://www.stat.sfu.ca/~cschwarz/SFUFA.

How can I influence the bargaining priorities?

Later in September, a survey will be sent to members of SFUFA asking for their input on bargaining priorities for this round. Look for it soon.

SFUFA has also struck an Economic Bargaining Advisory Committee. Contact Doug Thorpe-Dorward at the SFUFA office (sfufaae@sfu.ca) if you are interested in assisting.

As always, you can always send the members of the SFUFA Executive your thoughts.

If you want a departmental visit by representatives of the bargaining team to discuss bargaining in more detail, this can be arranged.

What is next?

The bargaining process is described in the framework agreement at the SFUFA website (www.sfufa.ca > Agreements > Framework Agreement > Article 8 and more details will be given in future bulletins.

SFU's salaries at the Full Professor level. SFU's median salary (left column) is \$133.1 thousand dollars. SFU's mean salary (right column) is \$136.0 thousand dollars. 132.8 Manitoba

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