

Department of Dance Faculty Meeting Agenda

Meeting Location:

Thursday, September 24, 2026

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Meany Hall Room M-102

Zoom option

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Agenda

*Will need to adjourn to executive session for voting faculty by 11:15 a.m. to discuss personnel matters

- Welcome and Announcements from the Chair
 - Welcome to all!
 - Introductions:
 - Brandy Lawrence, Performing Arts HR Manager
 - Laura Todd, Academic Services Director for the Arts Division
 - Representative from Meany Center for the Performing Arts to talk about Meany's 2026-2027 season and \$12 tickets for faculty
- Approval of Meeting Minutes
 - From May 21, 2026 faculty meeting
- Chair's Report
- Faculty Topics
 - How do we want to use the remaining \$26,000 in Jones funds for this academic year?

- Form a committee to propose how to use?
- Facilities projects – form a committee?
 - Form a 3-year plan for facilities projects?
 - Goals for lighting?
- Student office assistant?
 - What are the needs?
 - Could the work be done by the performing arts cohort administrative assistants?
 - Who would supervise?
- Departmental Updates and Announcements
 - Audition for UW Dance Presents, October 5, 2026, 6-9 p.m., Meany Studio 265
 - Dance Graduate Student Symposium, October 14, 2026, 12:30-2:30, Jones Playhouse
 - Symposium: InBody Dialogues with LaTasha Barnes, February 20, 2027 (Juliet and Mónica)
 - Registration opens Nov. 1st via [symposium webpage](#)
- Agenda Items for Future Meetings
 - Proposed language for Department of Dance graduate student scholarship/fellowship support (Alana)
 - Dance 100 revamp? (Rachael)
 - Facilities projects planning
 - Usage of Jones