

## National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity (NCFDD)

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**From:** Provost Sally Kornbluth <provost@duke.edu>

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**To:** Duke Faculty <faculty@duke.edu>

**Subject:** Duke Joins National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity

Dear Faculty,

I am pleased to announce that Duke is now an institutional member of the National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity (NCFDD), which provides professional development, training and mentoring. Through Duke's institutional membership, all faculty members, post-doctoral scholars and graduate students can now access most NCFDD resources for free.

The NCFDD tools are broadly applicable across academic disciplines and include a range of topics such as time management, how to develop a daily writing plan, how to write grant proposals, and managing conflict. These resources offer concrete guidance for managing work-life balance, optimizing productivity, and increasing overall well-being. Visit the website at:

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As an Institutional Member, you have access to the following resources at no cost to you:

- Weekly Monday Motivator
- Monthly Core Curriculum Webinars
- Monthly Guest Expert Webinars
- Access to Multi-Week Courses
- Video recordings of all webinars so members can learn at their convenience
- Private Discussion Forum for peer-mentoring & problem-solving
- Monthly accountability buddy matches

- Moderated monthly writing challenges
- Access to the Member Library that includes past webinar materials, referrals, and readings

NCFDD is a highly regarded center with a national reputation and success record for supporting academics throughout their careers. Duke now joins other institutional members such as Princeton, Purdue, Johns Hopkins, the University of California Los Angeles, Virginia Tech and Notre Dame as well as the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill and North Carolina State University.

Membership in the NCFDD aligns with our goal to empower Duke faculty as scholars and leaders of the university's intellectual communities, a key element of the soon to be released strategic plan.

We encourage your participation in the Institutional Membership, and we will be reaching out to solicit your feedback on these resources over the coming months.

Claim your institutional membership now through <http://advancefaculty.duke.edu/mentoring/ncfdd>. To activate your membership, follow the instructions listed on the site. For technical assistance you may contact NCFDD liaison Amy Jin Johnson at [amy@facultydiversity.org](mailto:amy@facultydiversity.org) or 313-347-8485, ext. 2. or email [Membership@facultydiversity.org](mailto:Membership@facultydiversity.org).

Sincerely,

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