

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

## **Terms of Reference**

This committee is a standing committee of the NESA program. Functions and responsibilities are to:

- Survey and assess Professional Development needs of NESA faculty members and the NESA program.
- Plan, coordinate, and implement Professional Development activities in response to faculty and program development needs.
  - A minimum of one Professional Development event will be held each academic year.
- Conduct evaluation of Professional Development activities relevant to future Professional Development needs.

| Chair:      | To be selected by the committee, for a term of no longer than two years, renewable once.   |
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| Membership: | Minimum of four to a maximum of six faculty members, representative of both institutions.  |
| Term:       | September 1 – August 31 normally for a two-year term, renewable once.<br>Changes to committee membership to be determined each year in May<br>at NESA BN Programs Joint Faculty meeting. |
| Reporting:  | The committee reports to the NESA BN Programs Joint Faculty.   |
| Funding:    | Costs to be shared equally by both institutions.   |