

## Report from the 2012-2013 Sabbatical Leave Committee

This year there were 35 applications for 24 available sabbatical leaves. The committee interviewed each candidate (who requested an interview 34/35) and placed a recording of the interviews on a share drive so committee members who missed an interview were able to hear all of them. Proposals were ranked in keeping with the guidelines approved by the 2011-2012 Senate. All proposals were deemed worthy of funding but 11 had scores below the 24 that were funded. This meant that strong proposals could not be funded and the committee hopes that the number of sabbatical leaves available can be increased in the next round of contract negotiations.