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MEMORANDUM

To: Julio Frenk
University President

From: Tomás A. Salerno
Chair, Faculty Senate

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Date: March 31, 2016

Subject: Faculty Senate Legislation #2015-25(D) – Faculty Senate Budget and Compensation Committee Faculty Salary Report

The Faculty Senate, at its March 30, 2016 meeting, voted unanimously to accept the Budget and Compensation Committee Faculty Salary Report.

The report is enclosed for your information.

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Enclosure

cc: Thomas LeBlanc, Executive Vice President and Provost
Richard Williamson, Chair, Budget and Compensation Committee

Average Faculty Salary Report Full Professors

2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15

Academic Institution	2004-05	2009-10	2014-15
*Brandeis University	99.3	121.9	137.7
*Brown University	123.1	145.8	165.1
*California Institute of Technology	145.7	171.9	187.3
*Carnegie Mellon University	118.4	137.6	154.6
*Case Western Reserve University	109.6	124.2	137.8
*Catholic University of America	86.7	106.3	114.7
*Columbia University in the City of New York	140.4	188.6	201.4
*Cornell University, New York	131.1	155.2	164.9
*Duke University	131.2	160.8	182.9
*Emory University	131.9	154.8	154.9
*Harvard University	163.2	191.2	214.9
Indiana University at Bloomington	101.8	120.7	120.1
Iowa State University	93.3	111.6	121.8
*Johns Hopkins University	115.5	-	147.0
*Massachusetts Institute of Technology	135.0	161.0	195.3
Michigan State University	101.8	125.0	135.0
*New York University	138.1	171.7	194.6
*Northwestern Univ	136.3	166.3	186.8
Ohio State University, Main Campus	108.4	129.5	131.1
Pennsylvania State U, Main Campus (U Park)	112.6	130.4	143.7
*Princeton University	151.1	181.0	194.3
Purdue University, Main Campus	100.7	115.8	126.2
*Rice University	123.7	151.8	178.6
Rutgers the State Univ of NJ New Brunswick	112.9	140.1	137.6
*Stanford University	148.5	181.4	220.3
SUNY at Buffalo	107.7	-	-
SUNY at Stony Brook, All Campuses	107.0	131.9	-
*Syracuse University, Main Campus	94.5	112.5	125.4
Texas A&M University Main Campus	100.2	120.3	129.3
*Tulane University	102.8	128.0	143.4
University of Arizona	95.9	117.3	122.5
University of California-Berkeley	121.8	145.8	169.6
University of California-Davis	103.3	123.4	135.0
University of California-Irvine	108.5	132.7	152.9
University of California-Los Angeles	123.3	148.0	178.0
University of California-San Diego	113.8	135.4	152.1
University of California-Santa Barbara	110.6	131.1	152.3
*University of Chicago	148.4	184.1	215.3
University of Colorado at Boulder	100.6	121.6	128.1

Average Faculty Salary Report Full Professors

2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15 (cont.)

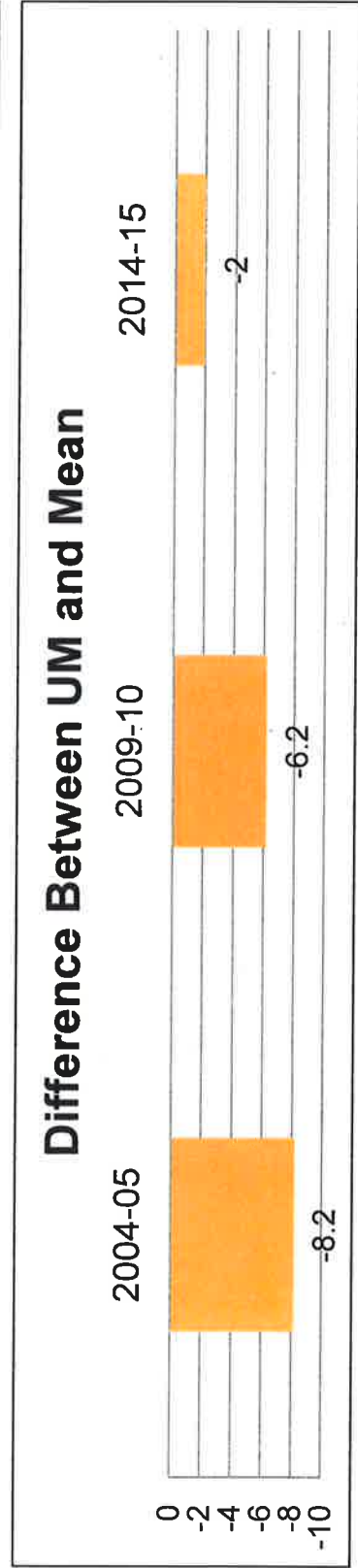
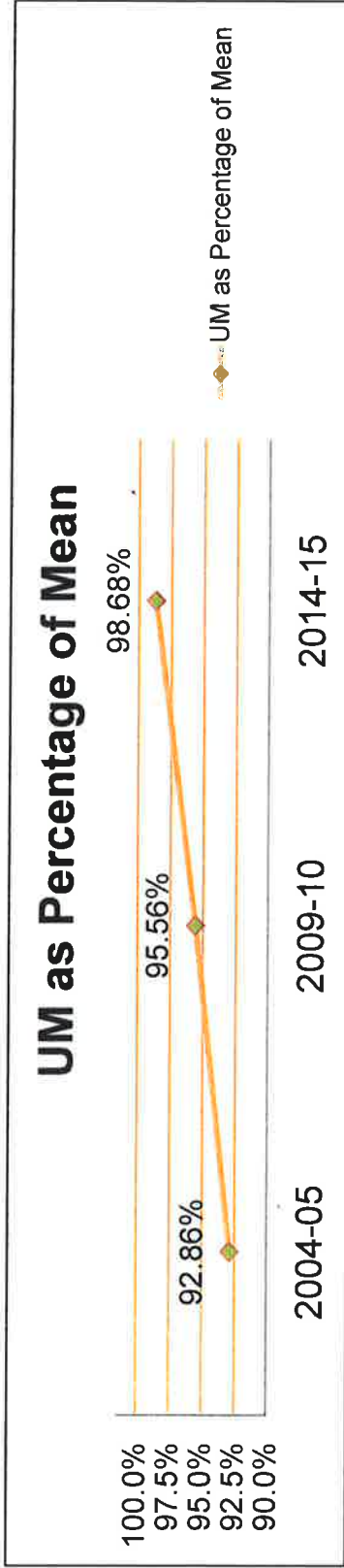
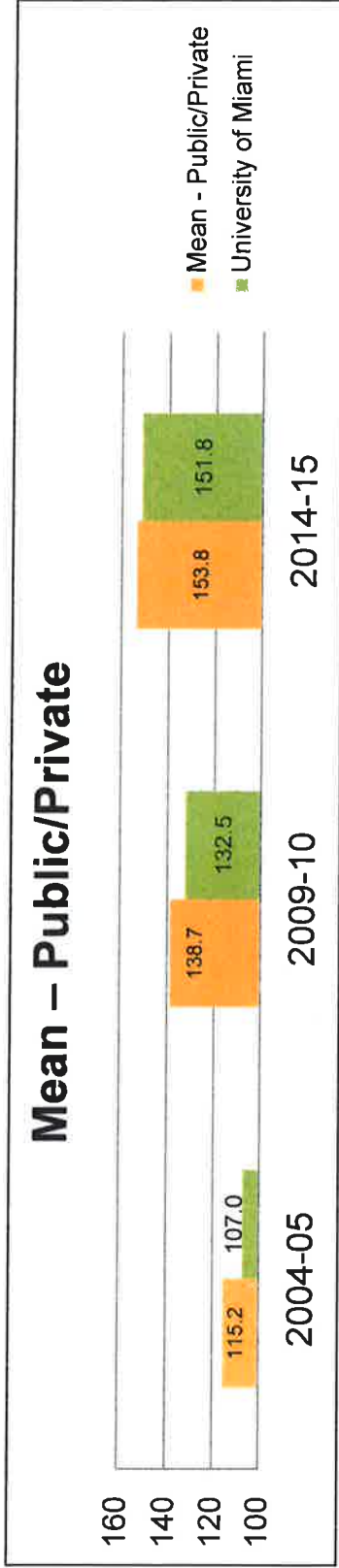
Academic Institution	2004-05	2009-10	2014-15
University of Florida	96.0	117.0	131.2
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	111.8	130.0	144.9
University of Iowa	102.8	124.1	133.4
University of Kansas, Main Campus	92.4	116.9	122.1
University of Maryland at College Park	111.0	134.7	144.0
University of Michigan at Ann Arbor	120.2	144.0	158.9
University of Minnesota - Twin Cities	105.4	124.8	131.8
University of Missouri, Columbia	94.3	111.0	118.9
University of Nebraska at Lincoln	93.9	112.0	118.3
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	112.7	143.0	143.9
University of Oregon	83.6	103.0	123.5
*University of Pennsylvania	143.4	170.1	197.6
University of Pittsburgh Main Campus	109.8	128.3	137.8
*University of Rochester	105.8	125.6	164.8
*University of Southern California	123.8	145.8	164.9
University of Texas at Austin	109.9	133.3	140.9
University of Virginia, Main Campus	118.1	134.7	151.9
University of Washington - Seattle	98.1	121.9	129.5
University of Wisconsin-Madison	97.8	111.1	116.9
*Vanderbilt University	123.9	145.1	175.7
*Washington University	128.4	160.7	174.1
*Yale University	145.6	174.1	198.5
MEAN - PUBLIC	105.4	125.8	137.0
MEAN - PRIVATE	127.6	154.5	174.8
MEAN - PUB/PRIV	115.2	138.7	153.8
University of Miami	106.98	132.5	151.8
DIFFERENCE - PUBLIC	1.6	6.7	14.8
DIFFERENCE - PRIVATE	-20.6	-22.0	-23.0
DIFFERENCE - PUB/PRI Combined	-8.2	-6.2	-2.0
PERCENTAGE - PUBLIC	101.54%	105.35%	110.83%
PERCENTAGE - PRIVATE	83.83%	85.75%	86.83%
PERCENTAGE - PUB/PRI Combined	92.86%	95.56%	98.68%

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UM Average Faculty Salary Comparison

Full Professors

2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15



Average Faculty Salary Report Associate Professors

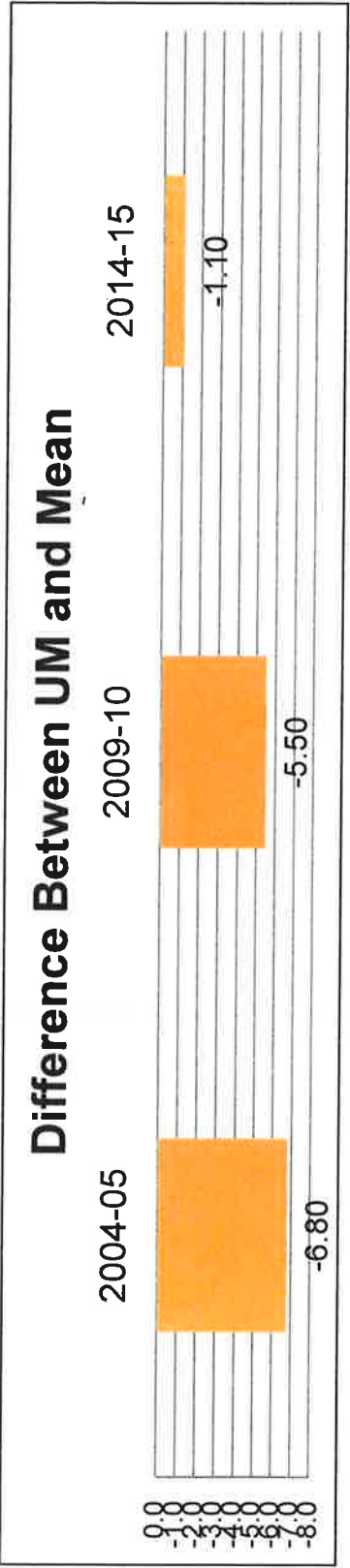
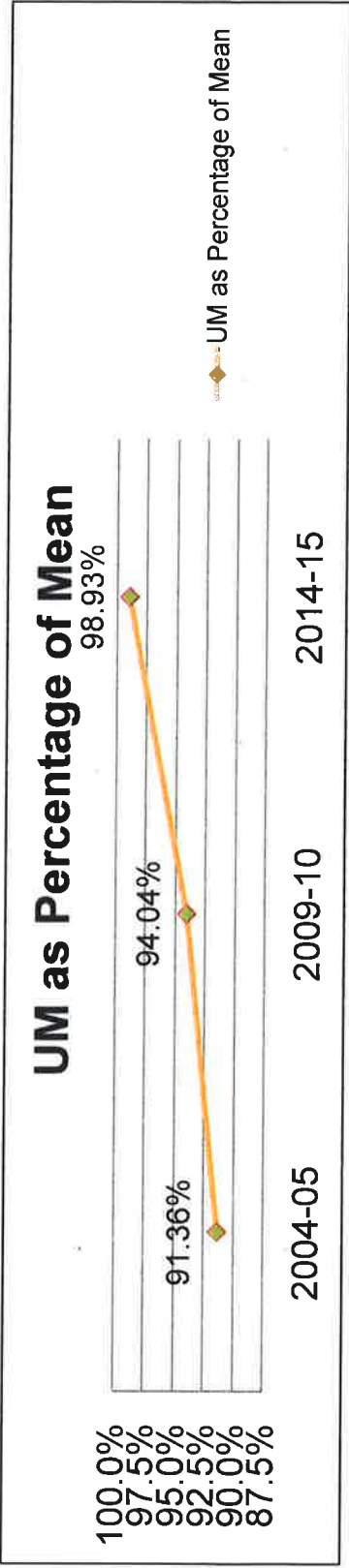
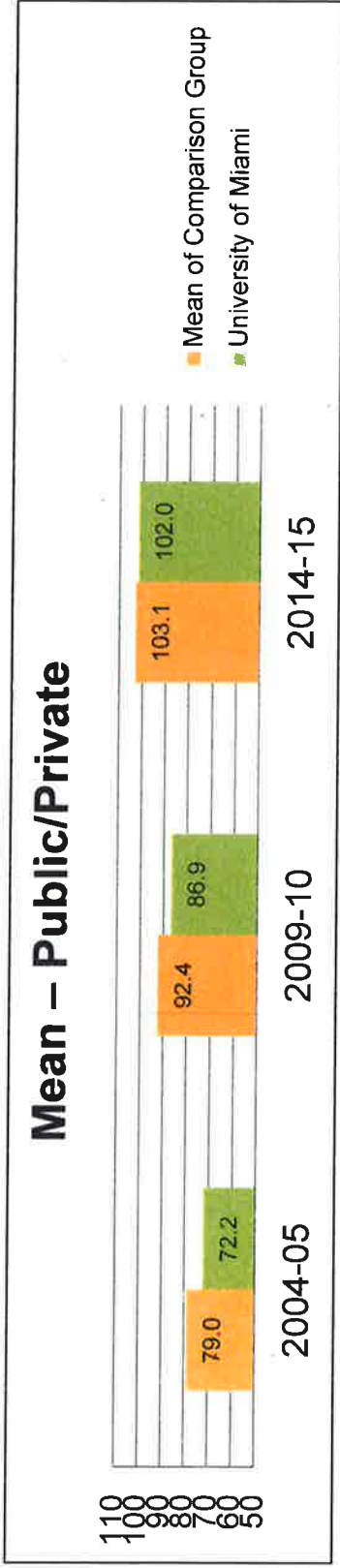
Academic Institution	2004-05	2009-10	2014-15
*Brandeis University	73.3	84.9	98.9
*Brown University	78.4	91.9	109.4
*California Institute of Technology	103.3	126.0	143.0
*Carnegie Mellon University	84.5	97.1	108.2
*Case Western Reserve University	79.1	82.5	91.5
*Catholic University of America	63.5	74.0	81.8
*Columbia University in the City of New York	94.5	117.0	137.7
*Cornell University, All Campuses	92.9	108.8	115.3
*Duke University	89.5	102.6	117.0
*Emory University	84.3	99.4	105.5
*Harvard University	92.3	116.9	165.0
Indiana University at Bloomington	101.8	82.0	83.1
Iowa State University	70.6	81.8	90.3
*Johns Hopkins University	79.5	-	101.8
*Massachusetts Institute of Technology	91.0	111.0	132.6
Michigan State University	73.7	87.3	92.0
*New York University	85.4	101.5	113.8
*Northwestern Univ	90.7	106.9	120.2
Ohio State University, Main Campus	72.1	85.8	89.3
Pennsylvania State U, Main Campus	75.4	86.7	93.8
*Princeton University	95.5	116.9	119.7
Purdue University, Main Campus	70.6	80.2	91.3
*Rice University	83.4	105.7	111.5
Rutgers the State Univ of NJ New Brunswick	77.7	94.9	90.7
*Stanford University	103.0	124.4	140.9
SUNY at Buffalo	107.7	-	-
SUNY at Stony Brook, All Campuses	78.8	95.3	-
*Syracuse University, Main Campus	70.7	82.0	95.2
Texas A&M University Main Campus	70.3	82.5	86.9
*Tulane University	73.5	84.0	90.6
University of Arizona	67.2	79.6	84.3
University of California-Berkeley	77.7	98.2	113.4
University of California-Davis	68.8	83.9	94.2
University of California-Irvine	71.6	85.7	99.5
University of California-Los Angeles	78.1	95.2	113.7
University of California-San Diego	70.6	88.2	99.3
University of California-Santa Barbara	68.4	80.1	93.5
*University of Chicago	92.3	106.6	123.4
University of Colorado at Boulder	72.7	88.7	95.2

Average Faculty Salary Report Associate Professors (cont.)

	2004-05	2009-10	2014-15
Academic Institution			
University of Florida	69.1	75.5	89.0
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	75.1	83.2	98.5
University of Iowa	69.1	82.5	90.1
University of Kansas, Main Campus	65.2	79.3	81.9
University of Maryland at College Park	76.3	94.4	104.3
University of Michigan at Ann Arbor	81.6	94.3	105.5
University of Minnesota - Twin Cities	70.7	85.4	92.2
University of Missouri, Columbia	65.9	74.1	78.5
University of Nebraska at Lincoln	68.1	77.2	84.7
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	77.2	92.6	96.9
University of Oregon	59.0	74.6	88.6
*University of Pennsylvania	95.9	110.2	125.2
University of Pittsburgh Main Campus	74.0	84.6	92.1
*University of Rochester	76.4	88.7	103.4
*University of Southern California	84.6	98.6	102.9
University of Texas at Austin	70.3	85.3	95.3
University of Virginia, Main Campus	78.1	92.7	100.7
University of Washington - Seattle	70.2	88.1	97.7
University of Wisconsin-Madison	73.4	85.8	87.5
*Vanderbilt University	79.0	93.1	104.0
*Washington University	85.1	97.1	112.7
*Yale University	82.1	98.4	115.9
MEAN - PUBLIC	74.0	85.6	93.6
MEAN - PRIVATE	85.3	101.0	114.8
MEAN - PUB/PRIV	79.0	92.4	103.1
University of Miami	72.2	86.9	102.0
DIFFERENCE - PUBLIC	-1.8	1.3	8.4
DIFFERENCE - PRIVATE	-13.1	-14.1	-12.9
DIFFERENCE - PUB/PRI Combined	-6.8	-5.5	-1.1
PERCENTAGE - PUBLIC	97.53%	101.49%	108.99%
PERCENTAGE - PRIVATE	84.62%	86.03%	88.80%
PERCENTAGE - PUB/PRI Combined	91.36%	94.04%	98.93%

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UM Average Faculty Salary Comparison Associate Professors 2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15



Average Faculty Salary Report Assistant Professors

2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15

Academic Institution	2004-05	2009-10	2014-15
*Brandeis University	66.5	79.1	83.5
*Brown University	69.7	78.5	89.6
*California Institute of Technology	93.3	105.8	118.9
*Carnegie Mellon University	75.0	89.7	105.5
*Case Western Reserve University	68.5	74.6	76.0
*Catholic University of America	55.0	65.6	69.6
*Columbia University in the City of New York	74.8	92.3	113.9
*Cornell University, All Campuses	80.6	92.3	100.0
*Duke University	75.5	89.8	88.5
*Emory University	74.5	83.4	81.1
*Harvard University	82.9	104.4	114.8
Indiana University at Bloomington	61.3	72.4	74.6
Iowa State University	59.6	71.4	81.2
*Johns Hopkins University	65.0	-	84.3
*Massachusetts Institute of Technology	79.5	100.6	113.9
Michigan State University	59.7	68.6	73.1
*New York University	73.7	92.7	109.6
*Northwestern Univ	79.3	95.3	106.8
Ohio State University, Main Campus	64.8	78.0	78.7
Pennsylvania State U, Main Campus	64.0	72.0	73.4
*Princeton University	73.4	87.7	94.2
Purdue University, Main Campus	62.9	72.7	81.8
*Rice University	75.0	85.2	98.5
Rutgers the State Univ of NJ New Brunswick	62.8	76.9	71.0
*Stanford University	82.0	100.5	120.4
SUNY at Buffalo	61.4	-	-
SUNY at Stony Brook, All Campuses	64.6	74.9	-
*Syracuse University, Main Campus	59.6	69.1	77.2
Texas A&M University Main Campus	60.6	73.6	73.8
*Tulane University	61.3	67.8	80.7
University of Arizona	59.8	68.0	73.4
University of California-Berkeley	71.3	84.8	101.4
University of California-Davis	60.7	77.0	82.9
University of California-Irvine	63.3	75.6	86.6
University of California-Los Angeles	65.5	81.7	93.8
University of California-San Diego	62.3	79.6	90.7
University of California-Santa Barbara	61.0	76.4	82.2
*University of Chicago	73.4	100.1	112.0
University of Colorado at Boulder	63.0	75.2	86.0

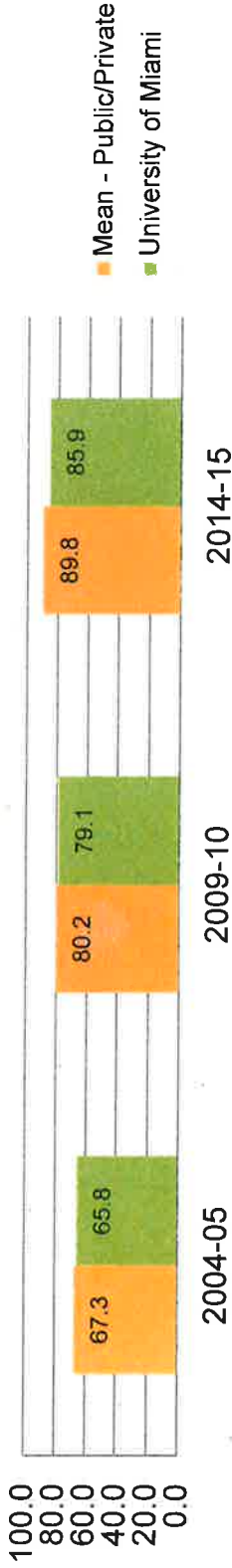
Average Faculty Salary Report Assistant Professors 2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15 (cont.)

Academic Institution	2004-05	2009-10	2014-15
University of Florida	59.5	63.9	81.1
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	68.2	76.8	88.8
University of Iowa	61.7	71.4	77.8
University of Kansas, Main Campus	54.5	65.9	71.6
University of Maryland at College Park	75.2	82.6	120.5
University of Michigan at Ann Arbor	67.1	83.1	88.2
University of Minnesota - Twin Cities	62.5	76.5	80.7
University of Missouri, Columbia	53.5	60.7	65.6
University of Nebraska at Lincoln	57.6	68.9	79.2
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	65.8	80.8	82.8
University of Oregon	54.4	69.4	83.6
*University of Pennsylvania	85.2	102.3	119.6
University of Pittsburgh Main Campus	63.6	70.1	73.3
*University of Rochester	70.2	83.8	95.8
*University of Southern California	73.7	89.6	91.3
University of Texas at Austin	66.9	82.2	89.5
University of Virginia, Main Campus	64.1	75.2	87.9
University of Washington - Seattle	64.7	77.2	91.7
University of Wisconsin-Madison	63.6	73.6	80.2
*Vanderbilt University	65.0	73.1	85.2
*Washington University	72.4	85.4	100.0
*Yale University	69.4	85.6	99.2
MEAN - PUBLIC	62.7	71.4	82.7
MEAN - PRIVATE	73.1	87.5	97.4
MEAN - PUB/PRIV	67.3	80.2	89.8
University of Miami	65.8	79.1	85.9
DIFFERENCE - PUBLIC	3.1	7.7	3.2
DIFFERENCE - PRIVATE	-7.3	-8.4	-11.5
DIFFERENCE - PUB/PRI Combined	-1.5	-1.1	-3.9
PERCENTAGE - PUBLIC	104.96%	110.74%	103.85%
PERCENTAGE - PRIVATE	89.98%	90.43%	88.19%
PERCENTAGE - PUB/PRI Combined	97.76%	98.64%	95.69%

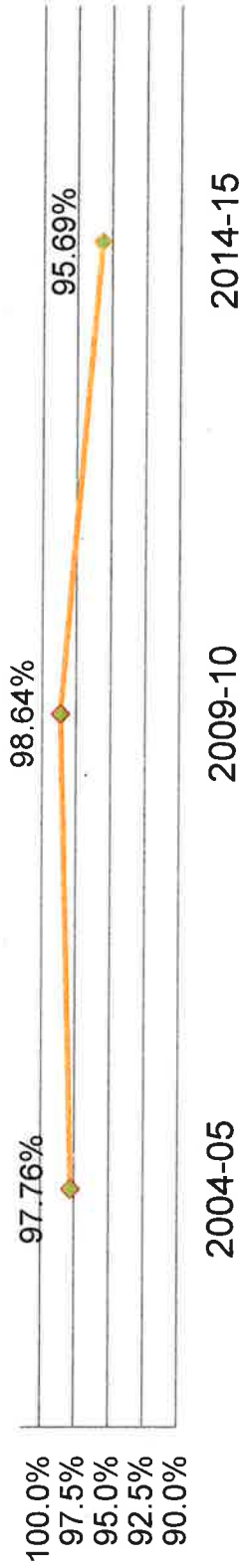
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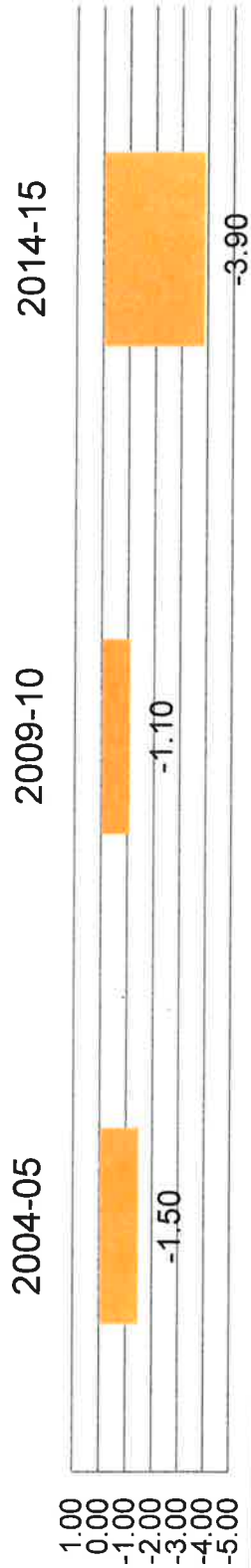
Mean – Public/Private



UM as Percentage of Mean



Difference Between UM and Mean



AAU Peer Institutions Faculty Salary Report

Full Professors

2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15

Academic Institution	2004-05	2009-10	2014-15
*Brandeis University	99.3	121.9	137.7
*Carnegie Mellon University	118.4	137.6	154.6
*Case Western Reserve University	109.6	124.2	137.8
*Emory University	131.9	154.8	154.9
*New York University	138.1	171.7	194.6
*Syracuse University, Main Campus	94.5	112.5	125.4
*Tulane University	102.8	128.0	143.4
*University of Rochester	105.8	125.6	164.8
*University of Southern California	123.8	145.8	164.9
*Vanderbilt University	123.9	145.1	175.7

MEAN - AAU INSTITUTIONS	114.81	136.72	155.4
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University of Miami	106.98	132.5	151.8
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DIFFERENCE - Miami and AAU	-7.83	-4.22	-3.6
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PERCENTAGE - Miami / AAU	93.18%	96.91%	97.70%
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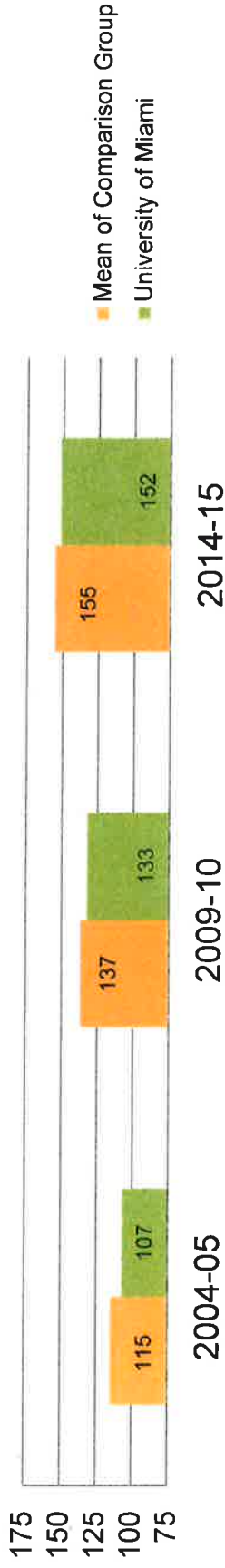
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UM and AAU Peer Institutions Comparison

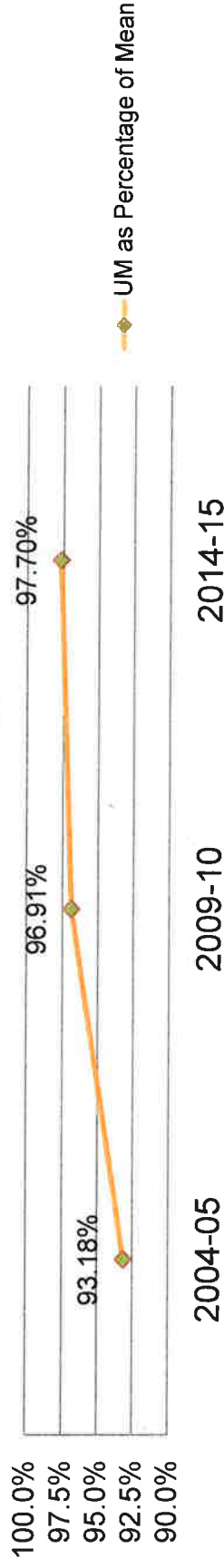
Full Professors

2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15

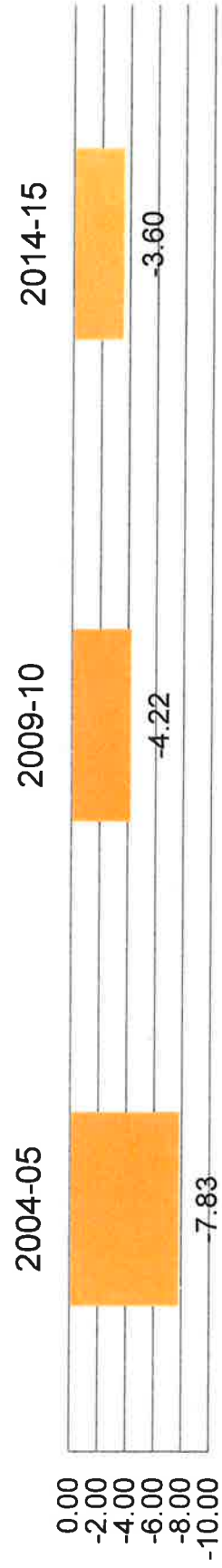
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UM as Percentage of Mean



Difference Between UM and Mean



AAU Peer Institutions Faculty Salary Report

Associate Professors

2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15

Academic Institution	2004-05	2009-10	2014-15
*Brandeis University	73.3	84.9	98.9
*Carnegie Mellon University	84.5	97.1	108.2
*Case Western Reserve University	79.1	82.5	91.5
*Emory University	84.3	99.4	105.5
*New York University	85.4	101.5	113.8
*Syracuse University, Main Campus	70.7	82.0	95.2
*Tulane University	73.5	84.0	90.6
*University of Rochester	76.4	88.7	103.4
*University of Southern California	84.6	98.6	102.9
*Vanderbilt University	79.0	93.1	104.0

MEAN - AAU INSTITUTIONS	79.08	91.18	101.4
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University of Miami	72.2	86.9	101.96
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DIFFERENCE - Miami and AAU	-6.88	-4.28	0.6
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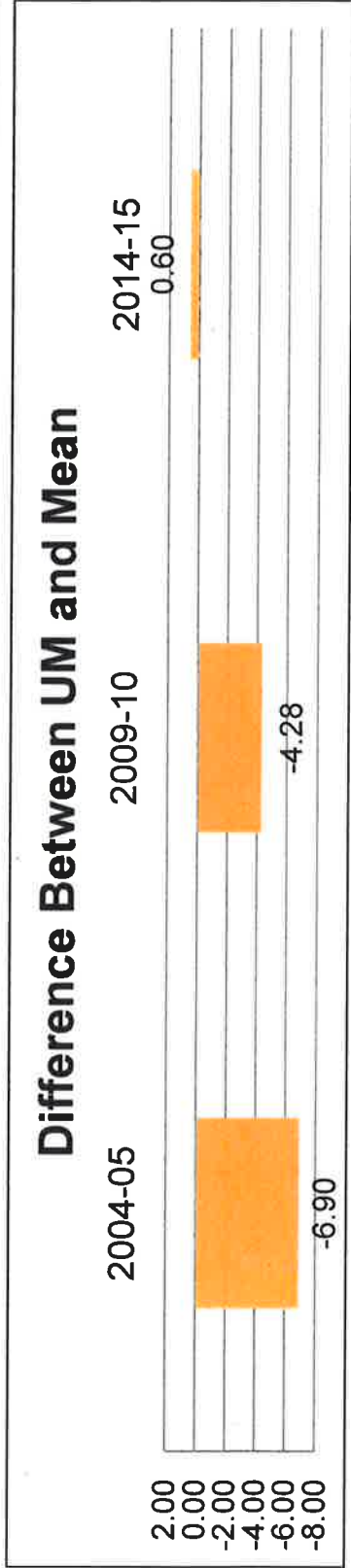
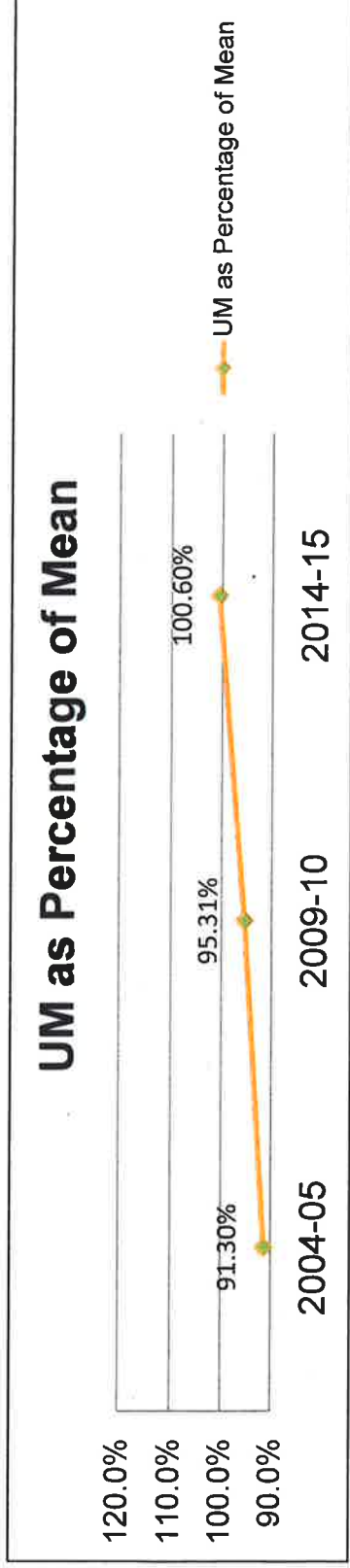
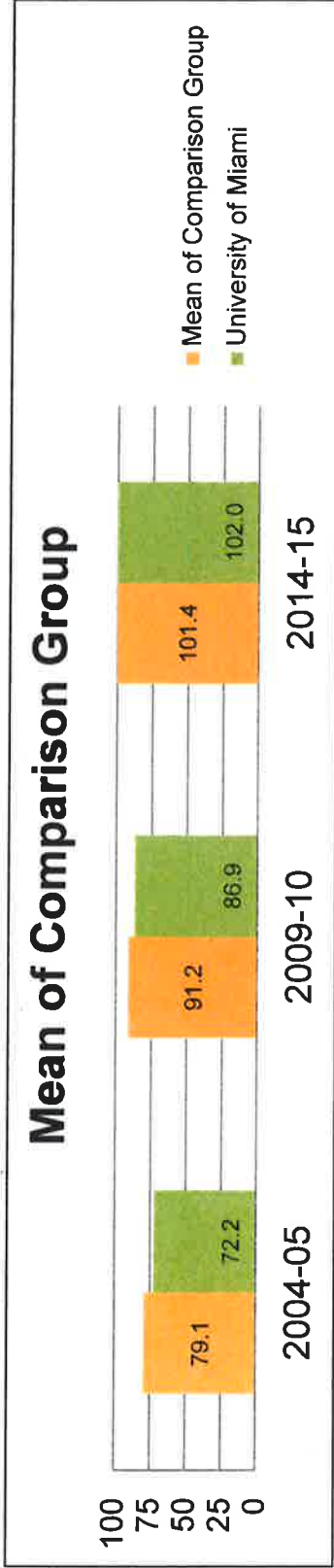
PERCENTAGE - Miami / AAU	91.30%	95.31%	100.6%
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UM and AAU Peer Institutions Comparison

Associate Professors

2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15



AAU Peer Institutions Faculty Salary Report

Assistant Professors

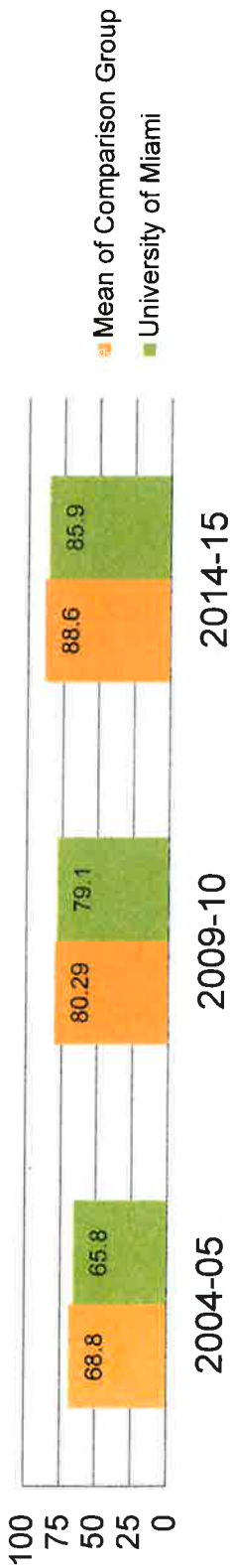
2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15

Academic Institution	2004-05	2009-10	2014-15
*Brandeis University	66.5	79.1	83.5
*Carnegie Mellon University	75.0	89.7	105.5
*Case Western Reserve University	68.5	74.6	76
*Emory University	74.5	83.4	81.1
*New York University	73.7	92.7	109.6
*Syracuse University, Main Campus	59.6	69.1	77.2
*Tulane University	61.3	67.8	80.7
*University of Rochester	70.2	83.8	95.8
*University of Southern California	73.7	89.6	91.3
*Vanderbilt University	65.0	73.1	85.2
MEAN - AAU INSTITUTIONS	68.80	80.29	88.6
University of Miami	65.8	79.1	85.9
DIFFERENCE - Miami and AAU	-3.00	-1.19	-2.7
PERCENTAGE - Miami / AAU	95.64%	98.52%	96.96%

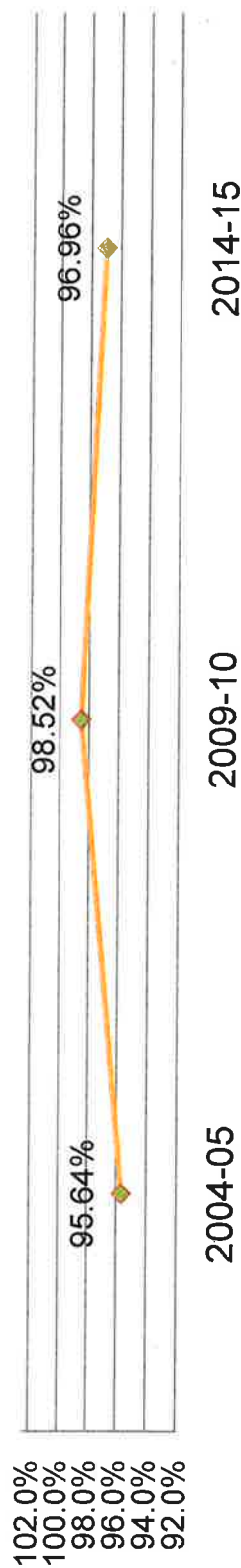
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UM and AAU Peer Institutions Comparison Assistant Professors 2004-05, 2009-10, 2014-15

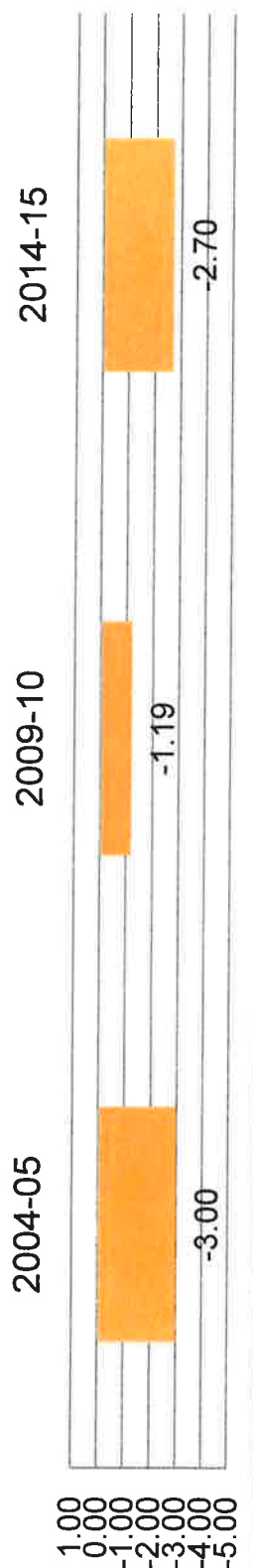
Mean of Comparison Group



UM as Percentage of Mean



Difference Between UM and Mean



**Planning, Institutional Research, and Assessment Faculty Report
 Full-Time Full Professor and Associate Professor Mean and Median Salaries
 Fall 2005 to Fall 2015**

	Fall 2005				Fall 2015			
	5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years	
	Mean \$	Median \$	Mean \$	Median \$	Mean \$	Median \$	Mean \$	Median \$
Full Professor	129,236	126,890	113,664	105,836	153,955	133,500	159,084	149,000
Associate Professor	91,017	91,135	74,906	71,925	119,423	112,455	103,967	93,849
Total	110,127	108,017	99,517	91,346	135,060	122,000	135,850	124,900

Source: Workday as of November 1 each year

Note: Deans and other senior administrators with tenure are excluded.

"Full Professor" data include only full-time, non-Medical faculty with titles of Full Professor, Professor of Clinical, Professor of Professional Practice, Adjunct Professor, and Visiting Professor.

"Associate Professor" data include only full-time, non-Medical faculty with titles of Associate Professor, Associate Professor of Clinical, Associate Professor of Professional Practice, Adjunct Associate Professor, and Visiting Associate Professor.

Data do not include research, librarian, voluntary, or affiliated faculty.

Length of time as a faculty member is determined as of the beginning of the fiscal year.

Planning, Institutional Research, and Assessment Faculty Report "Budget & Comp Committee Report"
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	Fall 2005						Fall 2006					
	5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years	
	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median
Full Professor	33	\$129,236	\$126,890	294	\$113,664	\$105,836	34	\$138,018	\$137,827	302	\$119,152	\$109,935
Associate Professor	33	\$ 91,017	\$ 91,135	169	\$ 74,906	\$ 71,925	29	\$ 92,542	\$ 90,000	168	\$ 78,378	\$ 73,774
Total	66	\$110,127	\$108,017	463	\$ 99,517	\$ 91,346	63	\$117,085	\$115,830	470	\$104,577	\$ 95,074

	Fall 2007						Fall 2008					
	5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years	
	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median
Full Professor	36	\$147,162	\$145,499	296	\$125,473	\$115,152	37	\$162,984	\$154,961	289	\$131,148	\$121,264
Associate Professor	32	\$ 97,581	\$ 94,885	166	\$ 81,766	\$ 75,226	35	\$105,598	\$100,000	188	\$ 84,391	\$ 77,907
Total	68	\$123,830	\$124,815	462	\$109,769	\$100,000	72	\$135,088	\$132,593	477	\$112,720	\$102,912

	Fall 2009						Fall 2010					
	5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years	
	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median
Full Professor	33	\$160,959	\$150,000	298	\$132,506	\$122,379	30	\$167,413	\$159,677	302	\$136,369	\$125,774
Associate Professor	35	\$107,999	\$ 98,826	183	\$ 84,175	\$ 76,953	42	\$111,566	\$108,818	193	\$ 86,348	\$ 78,487
Total	68	\$133,700	\$129,831	481	\$114,118	\$103,828	72	\$134,835	\$130,490	495	\$116,866	\$106,000

	Fall 2011						Fall 2012					
	5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years	
	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median
Full Professor	26	\$175,903	\$160,895	308	\$139,749	\$128,289	22	\$184,829	\$175,180	313	\$144,580	\$134,915
Associate Professor	41	\$116,777	\$113,602	194	\$ 87,709	\$ 79,885	42	\$115,401	\$110,505	201	\$ 91,341	\$ 82,859
Total	67	\$139,721	\$140,000	502	\$119,638	\$108,990	64	\$139,267	\$125,868	514	\$123,761	\$112,895

	Fall 2013						Fall 2014					
	5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years		5 Years or Less		More than 5 Years	
	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median	#	Mean	Median
Full Professor	19	\$190,049	\$164,500	315	\$150,758	\$140,987	24	\$160,552	\$138,850	315	\$157,942	\$145,000
Associate Professor	47	\$116,777	\$110,000	200	\$ 96,149	\$ 87,611	39	\$121,534	\$120,000	215	\$100,028	\$ 90,422
Total	66	\$137,870	\$124,238	515	\$129,550	\$118,218	63	\$136,398	\$125,500	530	\$134,449	\$120,250

Source: HRS database as of November 1 each year
 Note: Deans and other senior administrators with tenure are excluded. "Full Professor" data include only full-time, non-Medical faculty with titles of Full Professor, Professor of Clinical, Professor of Professional Practice, Adjunct Professor, and Visiting Professor. "Associate Professor" data include only full-time, non-Medical faculty with titles of Associate Professor, Associate Professor of Clinical, Associate Professor of Professional Practice, Adjunct Associate Professor, and Visiting Associate Professor. Data do not include research, librarian, voluntary, or affiliated faculty. Length of time as a faculty member is determined as of the beginning of the fiscal year.

Peer Institutions with a Law School, Business School, and an Engineering School Year 2015

<u>Schools</u>	<u>Law</u>	<u>Business</u>	<u>Engineering</u>
Brandeis University		X	
Carnegie Mellon University		X	X
Case Western Reserve University	X	X	X
Emory University	X	X	
New York University	X	X	X
Syracuse University, Main Campus	X	X	X
Tulane University	X	X	X
University of Rochester		X	X
University of Southern California	X	X	X
Vanderbilt University	X	X	X
<i>University of Miami</i>	X	X	X

Peer Institutions' (with a Law School, Business School and an Engineering School) Cost of Living

Year 2015

School	City, State Where School is Located	Nearest Urban Area	Cost of Living Index (data from 2015)
Brandeis University	Waltham, Massachusetts (9 miles west of Boston)	Boston, MA	89.37
Carnegie Mellon University	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	Pittsburgh, PA	75.85
Case Western Reserve University	Cleveland, Ohio	Cleveland, Ohio	90.35
Emory University	Atlanta, Georgia	Atlanta, Georgia	75.70
New York University	New York City, New York	New York City, New York	100.00
Syracuse University, Main Campus	Syracuse, New York	Syracuse, New York	Information Not Available
Tulane University	New Orleans, Louisiana	New Orleans, Louisiana	73.58
University of Rochester	Rochester, New York	Rochester, New York	Information Not Available
University of Southern California	Los Angeles, California	Los Angeles, California	69.41
Vanderbilt University	Nashville, Tennessee	Nashville, Tennessee	Information not Available
University of Miami	Miami, Florida	Miami, Florida	84.24

Read More: http://www.numbeo.com/cost-of-living/cpi_explained.jsp

*Red Font indicates schools with a law school, business school, and an engineering school.

1. Data are from 2015.

2. These indices are relative to New York City (NYC). Which means that for New York City, each index should be 100(%). If another city has, for example, rent index of 120, it means rents in average in that city are 20% more expensive than in New York City. If a city has rent index of 70, that means in the average in that city rents are 30% less expensive than in New York City.

3. Consumer Price Excl. Rent Index (CPI) is a relative indicator of consumer goods price, including groceries, restaurants, transportation and utilities. CPI Index doesn't include accommodation expenses such as rent or mortgage. If a city has a CPI index of 120, it means Numbeo estimates it is 20% more expensive than New York (excluding rent).

Source: http://www.numbeo.com/cost-of-living/region_rankings.jsp?title=2015®ion=021