## Letter of Understanding

### Between

### Wilfrid Laurier University

### And the

### Wilfrid Laurier University Faculty Association

# Re: <u>Program-specific rubrics under Appendix H, Contract Teaching Faculty and Part-time Librarians</u> <u>Collective Agreement</u>

Whereas Departments, or equivalent, are required to create hiring program-specific rubrics for the assessment of applicants under sections (b) through (d) of Appendix H; and

Whereas Contract Teaching Faculty (CTF) may be disadvantaged if they are not aware of the criteria that the Part-time Appointment Committees will be using in their assessment of applications; and

Whereas both Parties wish to enhance and maintain transparency in the CTF hiring process;

Therefore, the Parties agree that the Appendix H rubrics will be posted to Laurier's external facing webpage, and all Departments, or equivalent, will include a link to this page on their CTF web pages. Links to the rubrics will be included with the CTF roster notifications and all CTF job postings. In addition, for the March 15, 2021 roster notification, a link to the SharePoint location for the rubrics will be provided to CTF.

The Parties further agree that rubrics that are in compliance with the Collective Agreement cannot be grieved.

The Parties further agree that the Rubrics will be posted to Laurier's external facing webpage by April 30, 2021.

On behalf of Wilfrid Laurier University

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Deborah MacLatchy, President

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David Monod, President, WLUFA

23 March 2021

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