Tenure in the Sacred Grove: Making the implicit explicit on the path to promotion and tenure

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Much of what faculty need to know for a successful tenure and promotion bid lies hidden in the minds of experienced faculty and buried in the institutional culture. The purpose of this workshop is to make the implicit more explicit, especially in reference to writing a narrative, organizing your work life and conceptualizing your work so that you can make a persuasive tenure case.

Dr. Dannelle D. Stevens, professor of curriculum and instruction at Portland State, received her doctorate in educational psychology from Michigan State University. She is the co-author of three books—all framed around different ways to assist faculty in their complex roles as scholars, teachers and community members. Her book, Tenure in the Sacred Grove: Issues and Strategies for Women and Minorities, is an edited volume that addresses a wide range of issues related to tenure and offers specific strategies for preparing for promotion and tenure. Currently, she is chair of the promotion and tenure committee for the Graduate School of Education at Portland State University.