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Since graduating from the University Of Florida College Of Pharmacy (UF COP) in 2003, there is one thing that has remained true over the last 14 years: I love UF. I started working at UF as an adjunct professor in 2005; in 2010, I joined the COP faculty full time, as a clinical assistant professor. My assignment includes teaching therapeutics to students at all of our campuses (Gainesville, Jacksonville, Orlando, and St. Petersburg), practicing at UF Health Internal Medicine, researching the benefit of interprofessional teams on improving patient care, and serving on COP committees – to include chairing the COP Faculty Governance Council and serving as COP Faculty Senator. By far, my favorite UF experience has been serving as Faculty Senator with each of you. As Senator, I've been fortunate enough to serve on the Welfare Council, sit on the Commencement Committee, and see shared governance in action. I am humbled to be nominated to serve as your chair.

Defined in the UF Constitution, shared governance is a system of dual authority and responsibility in which administrators and faculty participate in the decision and policymaking process. Similarly, as a clinical pharmacist, I practice shared decision making every day with the health care team: Together with our patients, we weigh risks and benefits of treatment options, and then formulate a plan. As such, I can promise that as your Chair, I will apply this same practice to ensure that our voice as a Senate is heard in shared decision making at UF.

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