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The purpose of this letter is to communicate the interest of the WSU College of Nursing to support your initiative to discuss a possible revision to the format & guidelines for the Teaching Portfolio utilized for WSU tenure and promotion packets. The College of Nursing emphasizes rigorous quality teaching across all ranks and often finds the 5-page limit to be a barrier to fully highlighting the accomplishments of our faculty. Those clinical track faculty and instructors who are engaged in clinical teaching, clinical practice, outreach, and components of the scholarship of teaching find "one approach fits all" format particularly cumbersome.

On behalf of the WSU College of Nursing I am authorized to communicate that we welcome the opportunity to fully explore a possible revision to the Teaching Portfolio format with our colleagues from other interested colleges.

Sincerely,

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