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Updates

- Search updates – both committees are set and moving forward
 - o Optical Sciences dean search
 - o Fine Arts dean search

- Leadership updates
 - o Gail Burd retiring on Jan 31st
 - o Kris Wong Davis to start on March 17th
 - o Jason Kreag appointed interim dean for College of Law at the end of December

- Response to LA fires
 - o Message sent to faculty and instructors on Jan 14 with guidance for instructors – student impacted by LA Wildfires
 - [University of Arizona Announcement](#)
 - Resources can be found on the Student Affairs Website [Los Angeles Wildfires Support | Student Affairs](#)
 - UAF fund - [Richard H. Tyler Student Emergency Fund | Dean of Students Office](#)

- Update on Office of the Provost move to Old Main
 - o All units are expected to move in starting in early February
 - o Faculty Affairs, UG Ed, Online Initiatives, Academic Affairs, Native American initiatives
 - o VP Amanda Kraus (Student Affairs) moving to 1st floor of OM
 - o SVP Levi Escuerra (Native American Advancement and Tribal Engagement) moving his office to the 1st floor of OM
 - o Enrollment Management has moved to Administration Building

- AZO top rankings in US News and World Report

- P&T review underway

- All Funds meetings beginning the first week of March