

The CAS Technology Committee, formerly the CAS Computing Committee, decided to focus this academic year on the adequacy of technology resources for CAS faculty, staff, and students. Over the years, this committee has fielded anecdotal complaints about technology resources; consequently, the committee decided to address these concerns in a systematic fashion. This semester the committee designed a survey that we will administer early the spring semester. This survey will assess CAS faculty members' attitudes on the adequacy of technology, specifically available computer lab space for teaching and research, office computer hardware, software availability and currency, priorities for completing computer jobs on the mainframe, and sufficient staff help. During the spring, the committee will administer the survey and analyze the results. We will then use this hard data to recommend policy changes and ask for targeted increased in technology resources.