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### Abstract

This article presents highlights from "Education in the Balance: A Report on the Academic Workforce in English," the 2008 ADE/MLA survey of staffing patterns in English departments. It raises questions about the increased institutional separation of research and teaching.

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I chaired the Association of Departments of English (ADE) ad hoc committee that prepared the 2008 report on staffing patterns, “Education in the Balance: A Report on the Academic Workforce in English.” It is a long report, dense and full of charts and graphs; still, the numbers have something important to say about the teaching of English in U.S. colleges and universities. I think it might be useful to highlight key findings and to offer some observations.

The data we gathered show, among other things, an increase in the number of full-time, non-tenure-track faculty members—and not only in institutions granting PhDs and master’s degrees but also in baccalaureate colleges. In order to justify the resources needed for an increasingly expensive research faculty (and, perhaps, as an attempt to improve the working conditions of part-time faculty members), institutions have shown their willingness to create full-time teaching positions outside the tenure track, with competitive salaries, full benefits, and increased job security. It is important to be aware of this movement in higher education. Full-time non-tenure-track lines can provide more equitable hiring practices; they can define long-term career paths for those unwilling, uninterested, or unable to secure appointments in the tenure track.

A core staff of full-time non-tenure-track faculty can bring vision, energy, and continuity to areas of the undergraduate curriculum otherwise ignored. For all its apparent benefits, though, the creation of full-time non-

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