Dear Skip . . .

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The change in culture in your area is more than a research change, but that is obviously the major concern. It seems your colleagues believe that they cannot teach large numbers of students in a class or teach anything at night; these beliefs have been placated by the revolving director syndrome that has long plagued Accounting. Given budget and staffing concerns, large sections of principles are necessary for many reasons; we are sure you understand this situation. These are not isolated items because the "reason" given for not teaching large sections and at night is that it interferes with research. That is simply absurd. It is time to cure two ills at once.

We wish you the best of luck with your program for change.

An Optimistic Fan