Statement of the Seminar Governing Board on the Models Poll

1. The Seminar Governing Board recognizes the value of our lecturer faculty.
2. Collegiality and the reality of staffing the Seminar dictate drawing on the expertise and voice of the lecturers.
3. We view as artificial the attempt to weigh together the May vote of the lecturers on 6 models and the September polling of the full-time faculty on 2 models.

In light of our consensus about these views, the Board makes no formal recommendation of either proposal put forward this September. In a polling of the Board members we found seven in favor of Model 1b, eight in favor of Model 3, and one who declined to vote.