

In accordance with California's Code of Regulation, Academic Senate is the organization whose primary function, as the representative of the faculty, is to make recommendations to the administration of a college and to the governing board of a district with respect to academic and professional matters.

"Academic and professional matters" means the following policy development and implementation matters:

(1) curriculum, including establishing prerequisites and placing courses within disciplines;

(2) degree and certificate requirements;

(3) grading policies;

(4) educational program development;

(5) standards or policies regarding student preparation and success;

(6) district and college governance structures, as related to faculty roles;

(7) faculty roles and involvement in accreditation processes, including self-study and annual reports;

(8) policies for faculty professional development activities;

(9) processes for program review;

(10) processes for institutional planning and budget development; and

(11) other academic and professional matters as are mutually agreed upon between the governing

Zoom-<u>Link</u> More information can be found at the end 3/14

3 to 5 P.M.



Regular Meeting

Members of the public may address the Senate regarding items on the agenda as these items are taken up by the Senate, according to the rules of the Senate. Members of the public wishing to address matters, not on the agenda will be invited to do so under "Public Commentary" at the beginning of the meeting. The Senate reserves the right to change the order of the agenda items as the need arises.

AGENDA: March 14

Future meetings 03/21, 04/11, 04/25, 05/02, 05/16

- I. Establish Quorum and Acknowledge Alternates
- II. Adoption of the Agenda
- III. Approval of Minutes from 02/22/2024
- IV. Public Commentary (3 minutes per speaker)
- V. Faculty Announcements and Invitations (2 minutes per speaker)
- VI. Faculty Issues Unfinished Business
 - a. <u>Resolution of the Fullerton College Academic Senate: "Reaffirmed</u> <u>Commitment to Academic Freedom" second read (Action, 10</u> <u>minutes)</u> Kathleen McAlister Senators will present division feedback and vote on whether to join

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- b. <u>Support for the Definition of Low-Cost Textbook as "any textbook that</u> <u>costs less than \$40" (Action, 10 minutes</u>) Sam Simmons Senators will present division feedback and vote on the proposal to add an LTC designation for textbooks costing less than \$40.
- c. <u>Reassigned Time Process Proposal Application (10 minutes)</u> Kathleen McAlister The Senate will discuss how to develop the application for the Reassigned Time Process Proposal approved at the 2/22 meeting.

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VII. Faculty Issues – New Business

- **a.** <u>Faculty Awards Selection Committee (10 minutes)</u> Kathleen McAlister President will seek volunteers to join the Faculty Awards selection committee.
- **b.** <u>Annual Governance Groups Self-Evaluation (10 minutes)</u> Kathleen McAlister President McAlister will discuss the governance group self-evaluation process and timeline.
- **c.** <u>Senate Budget Update (5 minutes)</u> President McAlister will provide a budget update.
- **d.** <u>Schedule Parliamentary Training Fall 2024 (10 Minutes)</u> Hilary Reuter Discuss the feasibility of having Mary Avalos return in the first or second meeting of Fall 2024 of the Academic Senate to do a follow-up training on Parliamentary Procedure. This would give incoming 2024-2025 senators a training and could also address some items that Mary Avalos needed more time to do in the original presentation (role plays) and spend more time on the role of the Senator inside and outside the meetings.
- e. <u>ASCCC Upcoming Events—Spring Plenary and Summer Leadership Institute (5</u> <u>minutes)</u> President will update the Senate on upcoming events: <u>ASCCC Spring Plenary</u>, 4/18-4/20, and the <u>ASCCC Faculty Leadership Institute</u>, 6/20-6/22.
- VIII. Special Reports (3 minutes per Report)
 - a. Academic Senate Treasurer's Report Joel Gober
 - b. Accreditation Steering Committee and ACCJC Self Study Jill Bauer
 - c. Adjunct Faculty United Layal Lebdeh
 - d. Associated Students Arjun Ayyappan
 - e. CTE Liaison Enrique Aispuro
 - f. Curriculum Committee Joyce Peacock
 - g. Cypress College Foundation Damon de la Cruz
 - h. Distance Education Samantha Simmons
 - i. DEIAA Maha Afra
 - j. Guided Pathways Steering Committee Liana Koppel
 - k. IDEAA Ombuds Michael Brydges
 - I. Instructional Program Review and Department Planning- Jill Bauer
 - m. Instructional Professional Development Jane Jepson
 - n. Student Equity and Achievement Committee Jenelle Herman
 - o. Student Outcomes Assessment Jennifer Coopman
 - p. United Faculty-
 - q. President's Report and Committee Appointments (15 min.)
 - IX. Adjournment

Jaclyn Magginetti (she/hers) is inviting you to a scheduled Cypress College Zoom meeting.

Topic: Academic Senate Time: Mar 14, 2024 03:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

Kathleen McAlister

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