



Academic Senate – All Faculty

Agenda for Thursday October 26, 2023

12:30 pm – 1:50 pm

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Senate Executive Members:

Corbyn Wild, President; John Learned, Curriculum; Kurt Spurgin, Educational Policies & Practices; Yolanda Bender, Ed Tech & Distance Ed; Leif Jordan, Faculty Development; Kristie Camacho, Outcomes & Assessment

Senators:

Christina Dodough, Adjunct; Sarah Gaete, Adjunct; Cameron Miller, Applied Science; Lisa Soccio, Arts & Media; Kurt Struwe, Business; Ed Reed, Communication & Humanities; Victoria Bautista, General Counseling; Amy Hetherington, Health Sciences; Maria Herrera, Library, DE, Student Support Services; Jorge Perez, Math & Computer Science; Giuseppe Vezzoli, Science & Engineering; Eliu Benavides, Social Sciences; Denzel Garcia, Student Liaison

Recorder:

Cheryl Louise Etter, Academic Senate

Quorum 9 Majority 10 Subject to Brown Act: Yes

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

1.1 Public Comments

2. Action Items

2.1 Approval of Agenda

2.2 Approval of September October 12, 2023, Draft Minutes

2.3 Consent

2.3.1 Curriculum Courses Approved through [October 19, 2023](#)

2.4 Items removed from Consent

2.5 Second Reading

2.6 First Reading

2.6.1 Educational Master Plan [First Reading Educational Master Plan](#)

2.6.2 Adjunct Subcommittee Charter Amendment [Adjunct Subcommittee Charter Amendment First Reading](#)

3. Information/Discussion Items

3.1 Student Spotlight: Janet Miller/Theatre Students

3.2 Legislative Updates – Andrew Aleman

3.3 Student Services Updates – Jeff Baker

3.4 Independent Study Clarification – Kurt Spurgin

3.5 CCC College Attendance Survey 2023 - http://rpgroup.ccc-college-attendance-survey-2023.alchemer.com/r/694627_6503b2294d8126.45025032

3.6 Process for [Resolution for Appointing Academic Unit Representatives](#)

4. Reports/Updates

4.1 President – Corbyn Wild

4.1.1 Fall Plenary and Area Meetings

5. Good of the Order

6. Future Agenda Topics

7. Adjournment

Next Meeting: Thursday November 9, 2023, CSSC MPR 12:30 pm – 1:50 pm