

Academic Senate Leadership Report

12/12/13

Status of Motions Passed by Academic Senate

- Faculty-Friendly IT Interface (2/21/13)
- Managers and Administrators Teaching as Adjuncts (5/23/13)
 - Bill MacQueen (10/2/13): As you probably know, administrators and managers who are represented by the Teamsters Union and choose to teach as adjuncts continue to do so. The question of adjunct teaching by bargaining unit administrators in the future falls within the jurisdiction of the Teamsters Union and is not appropriately subject to discussion with employees outside the bargaining unit.
 - I have requested further conversation with Chancellor Meyer about the teaching options of exempt (i.e., non-union) administrators and managers.
- Senate Comments on July CBT and Administrative Documents (10/24/13)
 - Administration response on 12/9/13 posted to Infomart
- Remove Ban on Senate Attendance (10/24/13)

Student Success Discussion

- Chancellor's material is posted to Infomart -- please review.
- Conversations will be held at the January Academic Senate campus meetings.
- Feedback will be collected with additional conversation at the January Academic Senate college meeting.

CBT Reports and Administration Documents = Academic Program Review

- Released in September
- A workshop moderated by representatives of the Curriculum and Student Learning office and the chairs of the appropriate Academic Senate committees is tentatively scheduled for January 17. More details to follow.

New Employees and Senate Orientation

- PDTC workshops and Senate participation in new faculty orientation have been discontinued.
- Senate Leadership proposes meet-and-greet/orientation events in October and February.
- Those interested in helping to plan and organize should contact the chair.

President and Dean Searches

- Agreements reached in December 2012
 - Academic Senate campus chair served on president search committee
 - Faculty member with content expertise served on academic dean search committee; list of interested and qualified faculty provided to the Vice Chancellor's office by Academic Senate college chair
- Request to continue same procedure has been submitted to administration.