Academic Senate and Academic Planning

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The following proposal was developed by the Senate College Chair and the Vice Chancellor of Academic and Student Affairs, has been approved by the Chancellor, and has been endorsed by Senate Leadership.

It is now being presented to the Academic Senate for discussion and approval.

1. Steering Committee

- A steering committee for the Educational Master Plan (EMP) will be created.
- It will be chaired by the Vice Chancellor and will include as members the administrative leads for each EMP implementation team.
- The Academic Senate College Chair will also be a member.

2. Implementation Teams

- Each EMP implementation team will have an Academic Senate representative member.
- Senate will designate the representatives. Preference will be shown for those already on the implementation teams.
- The Senate representative will fully participate in the work of the implementation team, will represent Senate's interests and concerns on the team, and will report to a Senate committee on the team's work.

3. Standing Committee

- Senate will have an academic planning standing committee.
- The committee will be composed of the Senate representatives to the EMP implementation teams, academic deans (representation to be determined), and additional interested parties.
- The committee chair will receive compensation as determined by the administration.
- The committee chair will make progress reports on implementation team work and progress to the Academic Senate.
- Senate Leadership is drafting an appropriate name and charge for the committee.