## **Academic Senate Leadership Report** 9/25/14

## **Academic Honors Partnership**

- 6/19/14 Motion: The Academic Senate supports the concept of an Honors College and moves to delay pursing a partnership with American Honors at this time, pending further investigation.
- The Vice Chancellor's office is in the process of setting up virtual communications with faculty and staff from schools currently partnering with American Honors (Ivy Tech and Spokane).

## Shared Governance Update

- Senate Leadership worked over the summer to create a position paper on shared governance, including both large-scale institutional principles and Senate-specific roles and responsibilities. It was shared with Chancellor's Cabinet at the end of August.
- Chancellor's Cabinet is in the process of creating its own position paper.
- A meeting between Leadership and Cabinet is scheduled for December 5 to address the position papers.

## Academic Senate Meet and Greet

- Social potluck following the October 23 college meeting at Highland Lakes.
- All college personnel invited and welcome.