

**Academic Senate Goals and Strategic Objective Plan
2016-2017**

ACTION ITEM

Senate Goal 1	Link to College Goal	Link to 10+1 T5: 53200	Strategic Objectives
Provide leadership in matters requiring mutual agreement	1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 9, 14	6, 7, 9, 10, 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Direct subgroups of the Executive Board to conduct a review of all Senate committees for purpose, function, and viability (IP) • Consider a resolution establishing a Senate position on faculty participation in decisions made during intersessions • Consider the establishment of a CTE Advisory Committee to address implementation of the Strong Workforce Task Force recommendations • Respond, as needed, to issues arising from the implementation of Strong Workforce Task Force recommendations • Direct Senate councils to conduct a comprehensive review of APs and BPs for currency and accuracy (C&I – 4000 series; SP&S – 5000 series) (IP) • Request PAC to convene a workgroup to review all other APs and BPs for currency and accuracy • Create a task force to review the equivalency process and revise AP7211 (IP)
Senate Goal 2	Link to College Goal	Link to 10+1 T5: 53200	Strategic Objectives
Sustain the quality and currency of courses, degrees, certificates and academic programs	1, 2, 3, 6, 8, 10, 14	1, 2, 4, 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consider recommendations from the learning communities task force (R) • Request data from RIE on what happens to ADT completers at transfer institutions • Direct C&I to make recommendations regarding practices for local degrees, including assessment and revision of interdisciplinary degrees and number of units/electives for all degrees. • Create a task force to make recommendations on the implementation and implications of dual enrollment • Consider a resolution on creation of emergency classroom/lab space • Direct the Content Review Committee to meet regularly and fulfill its purpose and function • Direct the Curriculum Liaison to initiate a review and update of the campus disciplines list

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Senate Goal 3	Link to College Goals	Link to 10+1 T5: 53200	Strategic Objectives
Support practices and policies that improve student equity and success	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 14	4, 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Request SP&S Council to recommend changes to the application of multiple measures • Create a task force to make recommendations regarding assessment preparation (IP) • Consider a resolution supporting the modification of the CCCApply form for noncredit students • Create a resolution for the ASCCC plenary supporting the modification of the CCCApply form for noncredit students • Consider a resolution recommending designated space for make-up or accommodated testing • Request SP&S, SSSPAC, and Student Equity provide regular reports on revisions to Senate-approved plans (SSSP/Student Equity Plan) and supplemental funding allocations • Request updates from committees on pilot curriculum/pedagogy projects (AACC Pathways, Basic Skills Transformation grant, OEI, etc.) (IP) • Consider a resolution on support services for evening students and students in late start classes • Consider a resolution encouraging faculty to make greater use of the early progress report system • Direct SP&S to review and make a recommendation on the possibility of adding more major choices to CCCApply (H)
Senate Goal 4	Link to College Goal	Link to 10+1 T5: 53200	Strategic Objectives
Improve faculty professional development to support effective teaching and learning practices	10	8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Direct FPDC to review Flex Day guidelines/procedures and make recommendations for modifications • Direct FPDC to make recommendations regarding the number of Flex days for faculty • Consider a resolution requesting the Faculty Association negotiate the expansion of column crossover guidelines • Consider a resolution recommending pay for adjuncts who participate in professional development • Create a taskforce to recommend best practices to integrate new adjunct faculty in the campus community (IP)

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Request that FPDC conduct a sustainability audit of professional development practices (requires further follow-up; Senate will continue to track progress)
Senate Goal 5	Link to College Goal	Link to 10+1 T5: 53200	Strategic Objectives
Ensure the continued effectiveness and vitality of the Academic Senate across the campus	14	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Direct President and Vice President to create a system for following up on Senate actions/resolutions/recommendations, etc. (IP) Create a taskforce to review job descriptions, recruitment, appointment, and management of Senate coordinator positions Create an Executive Board task force to develop a mentorship program and handbook for new Executive Board members (IP) Create a task force to make recommendations regarding the impending coordination of Basic Skills, SSSP, and Student Equity Plans Invite a series of guest speakers to Senate meetings to provide updates and field questions on major College and state-wide initiatives (IP) Direct President/Vice President to liaise with Associated Students leadership to identify areas of collaboration and build knowledge of shared governance and committee structures (IP) Consider recommendations of the sustainability task force Create a taskforce of Senators to make recommendations regarding sustainability practices within the Senate (IP) Maintain relationships with the Board of Trustees by engaging them in issues of interest to the Senate (IP)

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