EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE
(Governance Committee – Reports to Curriculum & Instruction Council)

Purpose

The Educational Technology Committee (ETC) is a standing committee under the Curriculum and Instruction Council (C&I). ETC provides faculty leadership on the ethical, pedagogical, and instructional implications of emerging technologies, with a focus on artificial intelligence, digital platforms, and academic integrity in technology-enhanced learning environments.

Function

1. Recommend academic integrity and instructional policy related to AI, digital platforms, and emerging educational technologies.

2. Provide faculty-led guidance on the use of new tools (e.g., VR, machine learning, generative AI) in curriculum and instruction.

3. Collaborate with the Distance Learning Committee and Educational Design Committee to ensure that technology use supports student success and instructional quality.

4. Monitor unauthorized dissemination of instructional content and recommend Senate actions on academic honesty. SUGGESTION- tools with AI(?) Establishing awareness of the risks of emerging technologies.

5. Propose professional development activities focused on effective, ethical technology integration in teaching and learning.

Membership (12) (This committee will have a co-chair, which will include a member of Management and faculty.

	Position Represented	Name	Term
1.	Academic Senate President or Designee (Co-Chair)	Sara Mestas	2025-28
2.	Instruction (VPI or Designee) Co-Chair	Kelly Fowler	Ongoing
3.	Instruction Manager	Sylvia Ruano	Ongoing
4.	Administrative Services Manager or Designee	Chris Schroeder	Ongoing
5.	Noncredit Faculty	Landry Chaplot	2025-28
6.	FCLT Faculty	Hugo Aguilera	2026-28
7.	Faculty-At-Large	Jonathan Johansen	2024-26
8.	Faculty-At-Large	Chase Jones	2026-28
9.	Distance Learning Committee (DLC) Faculty	Sonia Ortega	2023-26
10.	Academic Senate Faculty-At-Large	**Vacant**	TBD
11.	Student Services (VP of Student Services or Designee)	Donna Balducci-Lopez	Ongoing
12.	Student Representative	**Vacant**	TBD

Membership Meeting Times:

COMMITTEE TYPE	TRI-CHAIRS	MEETING SCHEDULE	LOCATION	TIME
Governance	Kelly Fowler Sara Mestas	4th Monday of the month during the Spring & Fall semesters	Building 414 – 2nd Fl	1:15 pm – 2:45 pm

Person Responsible for Maintaining Committee Website: Lisa Jackson

College Website Link and Last Time Website Was Updated:

Educational & Technology Committee Webpage

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