

Academic Senate

October 15, 2026
N3.106 (BSTIC -117)
2:00pm-3:50pm

Attachments: <https://tinyurl.com/IVC-Senate-Documents>

- Call to Order

- (v) Adoption of the Agenda

Items on the agenda may occur out of order at the discretion of the Academic Senate President, or designee, based on availability of those presenting to, and meeting with, the Senate.

- (v) Approval of Minutes

October 1, 2026 Representative Council Meeting Minutes - [Attachment](#)

- Introduction of Guests and Brief Announcements - (10 minutes)

- Please limit announcements to two minutes. Senate meetings are open. Guests are welcome and invited to contribute to discussion on agenda items when recognized by the Senate President or designee.

- Standing Items

A. SENATE CABINET REPORTS:

- Senate President (Rebecca Beck)
 - Strategic Enrollment Management (SEM) Update
- Senate Vice President (Keith Donovan)
 - IEC updates
 - BDRPC updates
- Senate Vice President of Equity (Jeff Wilson)
 - [Filipino American Heritage Month](#)
 - CSP/UDL Training update
 - DEIAC
 - SSEC
- Academic Affairs Chair (Summer Serpas)
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 - 2026-2027 PD funds update as of October 8
 - \$124,076.02 encumbered in PD funds
 - \$212,033 in rollover budget
 - Committee projects update

- o Faculty Handbook revision
 - o Bylaws revision
 - o Transition from Academic Affairs to Faculty Affairs
 - o Creation of Professional Learning Committee
 - o Department Chair selection process
 - o FT faculty hiring prioritization lis process review
- Upcoming Hub events & other PD events
 - o Tech Thursday - 10:00 and 4:00 in the Hub ([link](#))
 - Today at 4:00 - Accessibility in Google Workspace/Docs
 - October 22 - Accessibility in PDF
 - October 29 - Overview and tips for Canvas
 - November 5 - Design Plus: Basic to Intermediate
 - o IVC Student Support Roadshow - 10:30-11:30 on Zoom ([link](#))
 - October 21: Basic Needs & Adult Learner Program
 - November 4: Transfer Center & Veterans Center
 - o Spooky Science & Snacks - October 22 from 5:00-7:00 ([link](#))
 - o Caring Campus Fall Reset, Relax, and Reconnect - November 4 from 12:00-2:00 in the Hub (more info coming soon)
- Spring 2027 Flex Week
 - o Proposals due October 26 ([link](#))
- Curriculum Committee Chair (RJ Dolbin)
 - o TOP-to-CIP spreadsheets out now
 - o DEI/UDL in the COR
- Board Policy and Administrative Regulation Advisory Council (BPARC)
 - o AR 7401 - Candidate Travel Reimbursement - [Attachment](#)
- Guest Reports:
 - o Standing Guest Reports
 - ASIVC Report (Anna Pak and Bechr Sawas)
 - Faculty Association President (Deanna Scherger)
 - Classified Senate (Briana Bell)
- Consent Items
- Old Business
 - Low Textbook Cost (LTC) - [Attachment](#)
- New Business
 - Lunar New Year Observance
 - 2028-2029 Calendar - Saddleback: [Attachment](#), IVC: [Attachment](#)

- Formal Presentations (10 mins)
 - President, John Hernandez: Great Colleges to Work For - [Attachment](#)
 - Vice President of Administrative Services, Davit Khachatryan: Promise Program
- Public Comments
- Adjournment