

Academic Senate

November 6, 2025

LSB-112

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 16, 2025 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 (25 MINUTES):

- Senate President (Rebecca Beck)
 - The Brown Act, Robert's Rules, and Senate Bylaws in Academic Senate Processes
 - ASCCC Fall 2025 Plenary Resolutions Packet-[Attachment](#)
 - Resolution in Support of PT faculty in Participatory Governance-[Attachment](#)
 - 2027-2028 Calendar Discussion Part 2: [IVC Attachment](#) [SC Attachment](#)
- Senate Vice President (Keith Donavan)
 - Institutional Effectiveness Council (IEC) updates
 - Budget Development and Resource Planning Council (BDRPC) updates
- Senate Vice President of Equity (Jeff Wilson)
 - SEP submitted to BOA
 - DEIAC Update
 - SSEC Update
 - [Upcoming Equity Events](#)
 - [International Day - Host a table](#)
- Academic Affairs Chair (Summer Serpas)
 - Academic Affairs Committee (AAC) updates
 - \$121,697 encumbered (As of October 23)
 - Title 5 updates related to PD

- The committee approved funding speaker Elaine Nichols, Founding Curator of the Smithsonian Museum of African American History and Culture in Washington, DC on February 19, 2026 at 4:00
- o The Hub updates and events: [Website](#)
 - Tech Thursdays
 - Today at 4:00 in the Hub - [Make Your Course Look Amazing and Be Accessible](#)
 - November 20 - [Make Copilot Your Productivity Partner](#)
 - December 4 - [How to Make a Canvas Course Mobile Friendly](#)
 - [Emerging Leaders - We See You!](#) On November 7 from 11:00-4:00 (in the Hub, lunch included) - only a few spots left!
 - Future-Ready IVC
 - Year-Long Community of Practice - Next meeting on [November 17](#)
- o Flex Week updates
 - Spring 2026 proposal deadline extended - due THIS FRIDAY November 7 ([link](#))
- Curriculum Committee Chair (RJ Dolbin)
 - o IVC Cal-GETC submissions for 2026-2027 (includes CCN phase IIA courses) - [Attachment](#)
 - o Academic Senate for California Community Colleges (ASCCC) area D regional curriculum meeting on November 1
 - Revise local procedures to reflect new equity, inclusion, and universal design for learning (UDL) language
 - Still working on high unit TMCs/ADTs
 - Burden-free access to instructional materials (Title 5 §54221) -
 - We have until January 26, 2026 to align local policy
 - LibreTexts is/will be the statewide OER/ZTC platform
 - CCN update - there will be more phases
 - AI in curriculum - Colleges are creating AI-based awards
- Board Policy and Administrative Regulation Advisory Council (BPARC) Updates (RJ Dolbin)
 - o October 31 meeting was canceled

B. Guest Reports:

- Standing Guest Reports
 - o ASIVC Report (Katelynn Armas and Muhammad Ismail)
 - o Faculty Association President (Robert Melendez)
 - o Classified Senate (Ace Caguioa)
- Consent Items
 - DMA Program Review - [Attachment](#)
 - Geography Program Review - [Attachment](#)
 - Biology Hiring Search Committee - [Attachment](#)
 - Communications Hiring Search Committee - [Attachment](#)
 - Counseling Hiring Search Committee - [Attachment](#)
 - ESL Hiring Search Committee - [Attachment](#)
 - History Hiring Search Committee - [Attachment](#)
 - Philosophy Hiring Search Committee - [Attachment](#)
 - Theatre Arts Hiring Search Committee - [Attachment](#)

- Old Business
 - Students in FT Faculty Hiring Process-Feedback from Schools and Next Steps
- New Business (15 mins)
- Formal Presentations (10 mins)
 - Inspire 2035- [Attachment](#)
- Public Comments
- Adjournment