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Dear Colleagues—

There are just a few weeks left to the end of our semester, and while we have had our last senate meeting already, there are just a few announcements remaining, along with a few requests to finish our school year. However, before I get into the new information, I'd like to make a statement regarding the sequence of events at our last senate meeting. As you may recall, we had a very full agenda. As it was the last senate meeting of the academic year we did not collect any new “intent to raise questions” since they would not be answered until September. However, I did mention that I would take additional questions for Ed Lebioda, and other items as needed. *If you wish to submit a question to be investigated please send it to me by Wednesday, May 14, 2014.* Additionally, in the meeting, there was a question raised about debating a motion to postpone to a time certain for the FAC policies that were up for a second reading. Debate on the motion was not allowed, and we found this to be an error. Debate is not allowed on items to be tabled—and our bylaws do not allow items to be tabled to the next meeting. Moving this to a postponement should have been debatable. It was all quite confusing and I send my apologies to the committee. We will see these two policies as second reading items at our first meeting next academic year.

So, looking forward now, I wish you all a great end of the semester! But, before you go, please be on the lookout for a call for Campus Committees. These committee positions are open to all lecturer faculty who are teaching 6WTUs or more, and all tenure track faculty. Senate Executive Officers will be forwarding names of recommended faculty to the President for approval prior to appointments.

There are some important LONG announcements below. I'm still working out some formatting issues, so please keep scrolling!

Happy Finals everyone! I hope to see you at Commencement—and as a reminder, be sure to check below to see when your program is scheduled—either morning or afternoon. Many programs are switching this year!

Jeanne

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Senate Election Results & Committee Membership

The following is the list of Academic Senate Committee Memberships for the 2014–15 Academic Year. Thank you to all who participated in the election and congratulations to the new committee members!

This list can also be found at: [http://senate.csuci.edu/committes_only/senate-committees-050814.doc](http://senate.csuci.edu/committes_only/senate-committees-050814.doc)

**Senate Standing Committees**

*Senate Executive Committee*

Jeannie Grier, Senate Chair (expires Spring 15)
Stephen Clark, Vice Chair (expires Spring 15)
Cindy Wyles, Secretary (expires Spring 15)
Simone Aloisio, SWAS/ ASCSU representative (expires Spring 2017)
John Yudelson, SWAS/ ASCSU representative (expires Spring 2015)
TBD, ASI Representative
Colleen Delaney, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Antonio Jiménez-Jiménez, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Nitika Parmar, at-large (expires Spring 15)
CFA Representative, ex-officio (expires Spring 15)
Jim Meriwether, immediate past Chair
Gayle Hutchinson, ex-officio
President or Designee, ex-officio

*Committee on Centers and Institutes*

OPEN, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Nitika Parmar, at large (expires Spring 15)
Monica Pereira at-large (expires Spring 15)
Phil Hampton, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Beatrice De Oca, at-large (expires Spring 16)

*Committee on Committees*

Colleen Delaney, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Erich Fleming, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Ruben Alarcón, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Curriculum Committee
Alison Perchuk, Arts and Humanities (expires Spring 15)
Karen Jensen, At-large representative; reverts to Education at end of term (expires Spring 15)
Jennifer Perry, Behavioral and Social Sciences (expires Spring 15)
Jared Barton, Business and Economics (expires Spring 16)
Monica Pereira, Library and Counselors (expires Spring 16)
Blake Gillespie, Math & Sciences (expires Spring 16)
Chair of the GE Committee (non-voting)

Faculty Affairs Committee
Monica Pereira, Library/Counselors (expires Spring 15)
David Claveau, at-large; reverts to Business and Economics (expires Spring 15)
Jill Leafstedt, Education (expires Spring 15)
Mona Thompson, Lecturer Representative (expires Spring 15)
Kimmy Kee-Rose, Behavioral and Social Sciences (expires Spring 16)
Phil Hampton, Math & Sciences (expires Spring 16)
OPEN-At-large, reverts to Arts & Humanities (expires Spring 16)

Fiscal Policies Committee
Scott Frisch, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Manuel Correia, Education, (expires Spring 15)
Amy Denton, at-large; converts to Arts and Humanities (expires Spring 15)
Gregory Wood, Math and Sciences (expires Spring 15)
Sean Kelly, Behavioral and Social Sciences (expires Spring 16)
Claudio Paiva, Business & Economics (expires Spring 16)
Janet Pinkley, Library/Counselors (expires Spring 16)

General Education
OPEN-At large, reverts to Education (expires Spring 16)
OPEN-At large, reverts to Behavioral & Social Sciences (expires Spring 16)
Geoff Buhl, Math and Sciences (expires Spring 15)
Catherine Burniss, Arts and Humanities (expires Spring 15)
Dax Jacobson, Business and Economics (expires Spring 15)

Minigrant Review Committee (all one year terms)
OPEN, Lecturer Representative (expires Spring 15)
OPEN-At large, reverts to Business and Economics (expires Spring 15)
Kathleen Contreras, Education (expires Spring 15)
Jennifer Perry, Behavioral and Social Sciences (expires Spring 15)
Sean Carswell, Arts & Humanities, (expires Spring 15)
Matt Cook, Library/Counselors, (expires Spring 15)
Ruben Alarcón, Math & Sciences, (expires Spring 15)

Professional Leave Committee
OPEN-At-large, reverts to Education (expires Spring 16)
Priscilla Liang, Business & Economics (expires Spring 16)
Debi Hoffman, Library/Counselors (expires Spring 15)
Liz King, Arts & Humanities (expires Spring 15)
OPEN-At-large, reverts to Behavioral & Social Sciences (expires Spring 15)
Blake Gillespie, Math & Sciences (expires Spring 16)

Student Academic Policies and Procedures
Sean Carswell, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Erich Fleming, at-large, (expires Spring 15)
Christina Smith, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Director of Admissions & Records, or designee
Tiina Itkonen, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Alison Perchuk, at-large (expires Spring 16)

Faculty Positions for Senate Advisory Committees

Center for Community Engagement Advisory Board
Christy Teranishi Martinez, at-large representative (expires Spring 15)
Dax Jacobson, at-large (expires Spring 16)

Center for Integrative Studies Advisory Committee
Jared Barton, at-large, (expires Spring 15)
Matt Cook, at-large (expires Spring 16)
OPEN, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Center for International Affairs Advisory Committee
Andrea Grove, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Liz King, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Priscilla Liang, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Catherine Bae, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Nitika Parmar, at-large (expires Spring 16)

Center for Multicultural Engagement
LaSonya Davis, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Jacob Jenkins, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Georgina Guzmán, at-large (expires Spring 16)

Extended Education Advisory Committee
Sean Anderson, at-large (expires Spring 15)
John Griffin, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Priscilla Liang, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Nitika Parmar, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Kevin Volkman, at-large, (expires Spring 16)

Faculty Development Advisory Committee
Nancy Deans, Lecturer Representative (expires Spring 16)
Kathleen Klompien, Lecturer Representative (expires Spring 15)
Mary McThomas, TT Faculty Representative, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Merilyn Buchanan, TT Faculty Representative (expires Spring 15)
Dennis Downey, TT Faculty Representative (expires Spring 15)
Tracylee Clarke, TT Faculty Representative (expires Spring 16)
Liz King, TT Faculty Representative (expires Spring 16)

Library Advisory Committee
Mary Adler, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Kimmy Kee-Rose, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Antonio Jiménez-Jiménez, at-large (expires Spring 16)

Research and Sponsored Programs Advisory
Sean Anderson, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Dennis Downey, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Kimmy Kee-Rose, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Jaime Hannans, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Ruben Alarcón, at-large (expires Spring 16)

Technology Advisory Committee
Sean Anderson, at-large (expires Spring 15)
Christina Smith, at-large (expires Spring 16)
Christina Salazar, at-large (expires Spring 16)

Ad Hoc, Special Committees, and Other Elected Positions
ACIP Representative
Antonio Jiménez-Jiménez (expires Spring 15)

Faculty Search Coordinating Committee
Greg Wood, (expires Spring 15)
Jacob Jenkins (expires Spring 15)
OPEN, (expires Spring 15)
OPEN, (expires Spring 15)
OPEN, (expires Spring 15)

Administrator Evaluation Committee
Sean Anderson, at-large, tenured faculty, one-year term, (expires Spring 15)
OPEN, (expires Spring 15)
OPEN, (expires Spring 15)
OPEN, (expires Spring 15)

Academic Senate Lecturer Representatives for 2014-15
Kathleen Klompien (expires Spring 15)
Christina Salazar (expires Spring 15)
Tom Schmidhauser (expires Spring 15)
Brittnee Veldman (expires Spring 15)
John Yudelson (expires Spring 15)
Announcements

Software Purchased for Home Use
We are pleased to announce the availability for faculty and staff to purchase software for home use. These products are available as covered in the current CSU Master Software agreement for home use. Software can be purchased and downloaded by faculty and staff at the following site. You can also copy and paste the link into your web browser.
http://go.csuci.edu/hub

Software options include: MS Win 7, 8 and 8.1, MS Office Win and Mac versions, Adobe Creative Cloud, Minitab, SPSS and many others. If you have any questions, please contact our Help Desk at 805-437-8552 or helpdesk@csuci.edu

Announcement about University Committees
There will soon be a call to participate on University Committees. Many of these committees have variable meeting schedules but I'll do my best to have meeting times available. Senate Executive Officers make recommendations to the President after reviewing all volunteers. Tenure track faculty and lecturers, who are teaching 6WTU or more in the fall are eligible to volunteer. The due date for self-nominations will be Wednesday, May 14th by 5pm.

Outstanding Faculty of the CSU
The Outstanding Faculty of the CSU website has been updated. Please take a look and congratulate your colleagues!
http://blogs.calstate.edu/outstanding-faculty/?source=homepagefeatures

Action Items for May 15-16 ASCSU Plenary
The following items from our statewide senate are available for your review and feedback to our representative Senators. Here is the link to view details:
https://www.dropbox.com/sh/9kg7f3vwwsall64n/Ok52Tz6QA?n=86739691

Designation and Compilation of Online Course Modalities (AS-3169-AA)
Recommends four instructional modality designations for use throughout the CSU ranging from face-to-face traditional to remote online.

Recommendations Regarding Changes to Title 5, Section 40510, The Master’s Degree (AS-3171-14/AA)
Supports proposed language and unit percentage changes.

In Support of AB 2324 (Williams) Pertaining to CSU Faculty Trustee (AS-3172-14/EX)
Thanks Board for including AB 2324 providing for faculty trustee holdover appointment on CSU Legislative Program; expresses appreciation to Assembly Member Williams; requests members of CSU community to register support for AB 2324.

Commencement News
Commencement is scheduled for May 17th, and again this year, there will be two ceremonies.

ALL PARTICIPATING FACULTY are invited to the receptions in the Islands Cafe beginning one and a half hours before the respective ceremonies. (7:30am and 1:30pm respectively). There will be food and drinks and general camaraderie!

The morning ceremony will begin at 9 a.m. and will only include the following academic programs for bachelor’s or master’s degrees:
Applied Physics
Biology
Business
Biotechnology & Bioinformatics
Biotechnology/MBA (dual degree)
Chemistry
Communication
Computer Science
Economics
Environmental Science & Resource Management
Information Technology
Mathematics
Nursing
Spanish

The afternoon ceremony will begin at 3 p.m. and will only include the following academic programs for bachelor’s, master’s or teaching credentials:
Anthropology
Art
Chicana/o Studies
Early Childhood Studies
Education
English
History
Liberal Studies
Performing Arts
Political Science
Psychology
Sociology
Eligibility Status for Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity Awards (AS-3173-14/FA)
Commends Chancellor and Board for reinstatement of this award program; recognizes value of such activities for student learning; encourages campuses to allow eligibility of faculty of all ranks for such awards.

ASCSU Calendar of 2014-15 Meetings (AS-3174-14/EX)
Recommends calendar for ASCSU meetings in 2014-15.