

• A C A D E M I C • S E N A T E •

AGENDA

Thursday, March 10, 2016 2:00 – 3:45 p.m. Room E 106

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

5 minutes

II. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

30 minutes

- A. *Announcements* Information will be provided about upcoming events and activities.
- B. *District & College Council Updates* Updates will be given on discussions and actions taken at recent District & College Council Meetings.
- C. **Spring Elections** Angela Nesta, Senate Elections Coordinator, will provide an update on the Academic Senate Spring Elections.

III. Vice President's Report

15 minutes

- A. *SOC Committee Appointments* Vice President Paul Carmona will report on new faculty appointments to committees.
- **IV.** *Part Time Faculty Report* Seth Slater, Part Time Officer-at-Large, will give an update on recent plans and activities concerning adjunct faculty.

V. COMMITTEE REPORTS

30 minutes

- A. Student Learning Outcomes Assessment Committee Jeri Edelen, SLOAC Coordinator, will present to the Academic Senate the committee's recommendation to suspend the college's General Education Student Learning Outcomes.
- B. *Instructional Program Review & Planning Committee* Dan Curtis, IPRPC chair, will present to the Academic Senate the committee's recommended changes to how programs are constituted for program review purposes.

VI. ACTION None

VI. INFORMATION

20 minutes

- A. **Basic Skills and Student Outcomes Transformation Grant** Dr. Lauren Halsted, chair of the English department, will give a status update on the college's application for the Basic Skills and Student Outcomes Transformation Grant.
- B. **AB 798, Bonilla College Textbook Affordability Act** Pat Setzer will provide information on the College Textbook Affordability Act.
- C. **2016-2017 College Hour** –Information on the proposed 2016-2017 College Hour will be provided to the Senate.
- D. *Compressed Calendar* The Senate will continue the conversation on the feasibility of moving to a compressed calendar.

VII. Announcements/Public Comments

5 minutes