

2022 - 2023 AY

FACULTY SENATE

Meeting: October 20, 2022, 3:00 pm

Minutes

Approved: November 3, 2022

CALL TO ORDER: 3:02 pm

ROLL CALL

Arts and Letters: Baranowski, E; Choe-Smith, C; Cope (absent), J: Dym, J; Flickinger, P; Martinez, R (absent); Miller, R; Perkins, S; Schneider, K; Sledge (absent), D; Stark, H; Terry, A

Business Administration: Lee, J (absent); Moore, D (absent); Panggabean, T; Ye, Y

Education: Gonzalez, A; Hobbs, S; Lilly, F; Pella, S; Rivas, B (absent)

Engineering and Computer Science: Abadi, M; Gao L; Pang, J

Health and Human Services: D'Angelo, E; Evans, E; Green, E; Jamieson, K (absent); Luvaas, E; Noble, J; Perez, S; Shiner, K (Alternate Hill, R)

Natural Sciences and Mathematics: Krauel, M; Lindgren, S; Margoniner, V; Miller-Schulze, J (Alternate Crawford, S); Oberle, P; Rechs, A; Vankeuren, J; Wiscons, T

Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies: Akutsu, P (absent); Brand, D; Braunstein, N; Burghart, D; Fong, T, Jensen, D; Jones, C (Alternate Moni, S); Lascher, T; Luna, A; Popejoy, G; Stevens, N; Tutschka, M;

University Library: Cardenas-Dow, M

Intercollegiate Athletics: Vacant

Temporary Faculty: Cyrenne, D; Strand, S (absent); **Student Services**: Wilder-Cardoza, A; Gutierrez, M

Associated Students, Inc.: Andrade-Dominguez, N; Gilbert-O'Neil, A; Akhumov, N California State University, Sacramento Retiree Association: Wade, A (absent)

INFORMATION ITEM

FROM THE CHAIR:

- The Chair reminded the body that he emailed to senators a resolution from ASI that recommended the Faculty Senate support the ICAS recommendation regarding AB 928.
- As requested by the Faculty Senate, the Chair reached out to the Administration to determine what percentage of courses taken to fulfill the Foreign Language (FL) requirement also fulfill an Area C2 requirement. The Executive Director of University Initiatives and Student Success, Jim Dragna, was able to provide the data that approximately 10% of courses fulfilling FL also fulfill Area C2. The Chair thanked Director Dragna and his office for working to provide the data.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA: Approved as published.

ACTION ITEMS

FS 22-23-77/FL Minutes – October 6, 2022

The Faculty Senate approves the meeting minutes of October 6, 2022. *Carried*.

Faculty Senate's Feedback to the CSU Academic Senate Regarding Recommendation of Intersegmental Committee of Academic Senates to Comply with AB 928

Throughout the deliberations, motions were made to guide the process for whittling down seven feedback options discussed at previous Senate meetings to just one. The following is a summary of what occurred:

Student guests were given the opportunity to speak. Senators then voted sequentially on which of the seven options should be the focus of the discussion, with each senator voting for any and all options they supported. Three options were deemed to stand apart from the rest because they received the bulk of the votes. These options were:

- A. E & C Eliminate Area E and one 3-unit lower-division course from Area C (*ICAS recommendation*)
- E. Student Choice C, D, or E Student choose to be exempted from a total of two 3-unit lower-division courses from Area C, Area D, and Area E. Both exempted courses cannot be from the same area.
- F. Student Choice A, B, C, D, or E Student choose to be exempted from a total of two 3-unit lower-division courses from any GE areas that are not A2, B3, B4, and F. Both exempted courses cannot be from the same area.

Senators then voted on the question of should the body simply put forward Option A – since it garnered the most votes – and not have any further discussion about Options E and F. The motion passed. A final vote was taken in order to gauge the level of consensus, with the question being, "Do you endorse the campus feedback to the CSU Academic Senate being that we support Option A (the ICAS recommendation)?" The motion passed with the following vote tally: 33 Yes; 12 No; 3 Abstentions.

For the solicited feedback requested by the CSU Academic Senate by October 24, Chair Rechs will indicate that CSU Sacramento supports the ICAS recommendation.

FIRST READING

The following item received a First Reading and will be placed on a future agenda of the Faculty Senate at Second Reading.

FS 22/23-78/GEGRPC/EX Resolution Seeking to Mitigate the Effects of AB 928

Faculty Senate adopts the Resolution Seeking to Mitigate the Effects of AB 928.

ADJOURNED: 4:59 p.m.