

FACULTY SENATE

**March 5, 2026, Pacific Suite (3rd Floor), Union
3:00 – 5:00 pm**

MINUTES

Approved: 3/19/26

CALL TO ORDER: 3:00 pm

ROLL CALL

Arts and Letters: Clark Oates, A (absent); Dosch, M; Gibbs, C; Gregory-Abbott, C; Hayes, H (Alternate: Martinez, R); Jones, S (absent); Lam, D (absent); Perkins, S, Shark, H; Terry, A; Vassil, K

Business Administration: Eryilmaz, E; Fudge Kamal, D (absent); Lyon, E; Richards, J (absent); Zhou, S

Education: Chaplin, M (Alternate: Beddow, M); Gonzalez, A; Madrigal-Garcia, Y, Pella, S (absent); Rivas, A; Rivas, B

Engineering and Computer Science: Baynes, A (Alternate: Abdel Khaleq, A); Javan, A; Merayyan, S; Mohammadpour, A (absent); Zabihian, F

Health and Human Services: Breunig, M; (absent) Caler, K; Chism, K (absent); Costa, M (absent); Dias, K; Francisco, M (absent); Jamieson, K; Mansyur, C; Motallebzadeh, H

Natural Sciences and Mathematics: Crawford, S; Davidyan, A; DeGraffenreid, B (Alternate: Santangelo, B), Doty, A; Fitzgerald, C (Alternate: Ratti, V); Krauel, M; Oberle, P; Skinner, S

Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies: Abah, T; Brown, M; Burris, A; Ford, T; Furtak, S ; Guzman, V (absent); Hanna, L; Josephson, T; Kumar, A ; Popejoy, G; Rincon, L; Singh, N; Thompson, K; Young, B

University Library: Peigahi, A

Intercollegiate Athletics: Vacant

Temporary Faculty: Pickrel, C

Student Services: Solomon, M; Wilder-Cardoza, A

OPEN FORUM

- [Supporting Students through National and World Events](#)
Provided by VP Mitchell, Division of Student Affairs

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA Approved as published.

ACTION ITEMS

Non-Senate University Committee Appointments Faculty Representatives

The Faculty Senate recommends approval of the following committee appointments:

- **AVP ORIED Search Committee**
 - Jamie Kneitel, Biological Sciences (NSM)
 - Erin Rose Ellison, Psychology (SSIS)
 - Sudipta Mukherjee, Marketing and Supply Chain Management (COB)

Carried.

- **WSCUC Accreditation Review Steering Committee**
 - Jackie Brooks, Sociology (SSIS)
 - Matthew Krauel, Mathematics & Statistics (NSM)

Carried.

- **Work Group on Evaluating the Process and Policies of Standardized Student Evaluation Questions in UARTP Processes**
 - Beatrice Russell, World Languages and Literatures (A&L)
 - Amber Gonzalez, Undergraduate Studies (COE)
 - Catherine Warren, Psychology (SSIS)

Carried.

[FS 25/26-91](#) Resolution recommending the posthumous designation of Honorary Full Professor of Ethnic Studies for Dr. Martin L. Boston

[FS 25/26-91a](#) Letters of support

Unanimous - Carried.

[FS 25/26-84](#) Continuation of Telecommuting Agreements for Academic Affairs Staff Resolutions, Adoption of

The Faculty Senate adopts the Continuation of Telecommuting Agreements for Academic Affairs Staff Resolutions. *The item was endorsed by the Executive Committee.* [SacSends - Division of Academic Affairs re: Staff Telecommuting](#)

Carried.

[FS 25/26-87](#) February 19, 2025 Meeting Minutes

The Faculty Senate approves the meeting minutes of February 19, 2026. *Carried.*

INFORMATION ITEMS

OUTSTANDING FACULTY AWARDS – March 12, 2026, 3 pm, Pacific Suite, Union – In Person

- [Teaching](#)
- [University Service](#)
- [Scholarly and Creative Activity](#)
- [Community Service](#)

FROM THE CHAIR

[FS 25/26-89](#) President Wood's Revised Policy on Administrative Appointments

FROM THE PROVOST

NOMINATIONS – Executive Committee At-Large Member – Spring 2026

No nominations were received. Nominations will remain open until the next meeting.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE:

Discussion of the Pilot of Adding Resolutions as Second Reading items.

Status of Second Reading items

At the time of adjournment, the item was being discussed. The discussion will continue at the next Senate meeting.

[FS 25/26-83](#) Faculty Senate Resolution on Leadership Responsibility for Respectful and Constructive, Adoption of

At the time of adjournment, the item was being discussed to refer to the Faculty Policies Committee.

[FS 25/26-89](#) President Wood’s Revised Policy on Administrative Appointments

Status of First Reading Items

At the time of adjournment, the following items had not been taken up and will be placed on a future agenda of the Faculty Senate at First Reading.

[FS 25/26-90](#) Learning Outcomes Policy, Establishment of

[FS 25/26-82](#) Faculty Senate Standing Rules Article II and III, Amendment of

[FS 25/26-86](#) Bylaws of the Faculty Senate of California State University, Sacramento, Amendment of

[FS 25/26-92](#) Constitution of the Faculty of California State University, Sacramento, Article II. Faculty Senate, Section 5. Membership, A., Amendment of

ADJOURN 5:00 pm