



FACULTY SENATE

Meeting: September 4, 2025, 3:00–5:00 pm

Minutes

Approved: September 18, 2025

CALL TO ORDER: 3:05 pm

ROLL CALL

Arts and Letters: Dosch, M; Terry, A; Gibbs, C'; Hayes, H; Clark Oates, A (Alternate: Martinez, R); Atamaz, S (Alternate: Gregory-Abbot, C); Brodd, J; Perkins, S; Lam, D (Barrantes, M) Jones, S; Vassil, K

Business Administration: Lyons, E; Zhou, S; Eryilmaz, E (Alternate: Dantu, R); Richards, J; Fudge Kamal, D

Education: Pella, S; Chaplin, M; Rivas, A; Gonzalez, A; Madrigal-Garcia, Y

Engineering and Computer Science: *Abadi, M (Alternate: Merayyan,*

S); Baynes, A; Mohammadpour, A (Alternate: Salama, T); Javan, A; Zabihian, F

Health and Human Services: Francisco, M; Motallebzadeh, H; Chism, K; Jamieson, K; Costa, M (Alternate: Cravens-Ray, L); Dias, K; Mansyur, C; Caler, K

Natural Sciences and Mathematics: Davidyan, A; Houston, J; Oberle, P; Skinner, S; Krauel, M (Alternate: Shanbrom, C); Fitzgerald, C; DeGraffenreid, B

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

University Library: Peigahi, A

Intercollegiate Athletics: Vacant

Temporary Faculty: Pickrel, C

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

MOMENT OF SILENCE

- Ealy Cottle, Department of Gerontology (SSIS) – Alumni
- Monica Cortez-Hernandez, Department of Political Science (SSIS) – Alumni
- Eva Roman, School of Social Work (HHS) – Alumni
- Marsha Dillon, Department of Geography (NSM) – Professor Emeritus
- Martin Boston, Department of Ethnic Studies (SSIS) – Faculty
- Vanessa Arnaud, Department of World Languages and Literature (A&L) – Faculty
- Jessica Garza-Herrera, Department of Women's and Gender Studies (SSIS) – Student
- Jackie Gutierrez, Division of Criminal Justice (HHS) – Student
- Dr. Pam Wimbush, former Associate Dean, College of Continuing Education
- Dr. Joseph Castro, CSU Chancellor – 2020 - 2022

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA: The agenda was approved as published. *Carried.*

CONSENT CALENDAR – CONSENT INFORMATION

FS 25/26-03/EX Non-Senate Committee Appointment – Faculty Representatives VP for Enrollment Search Committee

The Executive Committee on behalf of the Faculty Senate, at their meeting of July 24, 2025, recommends approval of the following faculty members to serve on the VP for Enrollment Search Committee:

- Sujatha Moni, Women's & Gender Studies (SSIS)
- Sadaf Ashtari, Information Systems & Business Analytics (COB)

Carried.

FS 25/26-04/EX Committee Appointment – Curriculum Subcommittee Chair

The Executive Committee on behalf of the Faculty Senate, at their meeting of August 26, 2025, approved the appointment of Adam Rechs, Biological Sciences (NSM) to serve as the Chair of the Curriculum Subcommittee as a non-voting member.

Term: Fall 2025 – Spring 2026

Carried.

CONSENT CALENDAR – CONSENT ACTION

Faculty Senate Committee Appointment

The Faculty Senate approves the following committee appointment:

- **FS 25/26-05/EX Curriculum Subcommittee**

Erik Haroldson, Geology (NSM) – Term Fall 2025

Carried.

Non-Senate University Committee Appointment

The Faculty Senate recommends approval of the following committee appointment:

- **FS 25/26-06/EX Institutional Scholarship Committee**

Brenda Carrillo, Library – Term: Fall 2025 – Spring 2027

Carried.

MINUTES [FS 25/26-07/FL](#) **May 15, 2025** *Approved as published. Carried.*

INFORMATION ITEMS

FROM THE CHAIR

PRESIDENT WOOD

[DIVISION OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS UPDATE](#)

STANDING COMMITTEES PRIORITIES FOR THE YEAR

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE: FACULTY SENATE VOTING AND MEETING MODALITY

ADJOURNED 5:00 pm