

What Can It Do For Me?

The Classified Senate (CS) is the official employee group for classified professionals at MiraCosta College. If you are a regular (*full or part-time*) monthly (*not temporary/hourly*) classified employee, or a contract employee of the District, you are automatically a member of the Classified Senate.

The Senate represents classified interests in collegial governance (a subject you'll be hearing a lot about at MCC).

Benefits available to classified staff through the Senate include:

- Emergency loans* (up to \$500)
**regular monthly employees are eligible*
- Gifts for retiring employees
- Gifts for those in the hospital and/or on extended medical leave
- A book memorial program in the MCC library for those who have lost a family member

To be effective, we need you, your ideas, and your energy! Please show your active support of classified issues at MiraCosta by getting involved in your Senate.

Classified Senate Council 2009 – 2010

Oceanside Campus 760/757-2121
San Elijo Campus 760/944-4449

Officers

President	Catherine Halmay	6776/ 6675
Immediate Past President	Kathy Perkins	6895
Vice President	Lori Schneider	6637
Treasurer	Vicki Krivoski	6709
Secretary	Mimi Lively	6578

Senators

Teri Farris	Oceanside	6685
Donjay Hardaway	Oceanside	6425
Jason Kubrock	Oceanside	6482
Barbara Magone	Oceanside	6658
Moira Mahony	Oceanside	6653
Sheila Manning	San Elijo	7762
Max Robinson	Oceanside	6693

Council members are here to represent you. Please feel free to contact them with your questions and concerns.

Resource Persons

Dr. Francisco Rodriguez,
Superintendent/President
Sheri Wright, Director, Human Resources

How to be Involved

The Senate Council meets the second Tuesday of each month. Meetings are open to all who would like to attend. All classified employees will receive prior notification of the time and location for each meeting via email. Agendas may be found on the Classified Senate website at: <http://www.miracosta.edu/Governance/ClassifiedSenate>. General membership meetings for all classified employees are held twice a year; during the Fall and Spring.

History and Purpose

MiraCosta College is one of a few colleges in California that does not have collective bargaining for its regular employees. We have maintained a collegial atmosphere throughout the years because of a mutual trust and respect between the staff and the administration. In 1973, the classified staff was asked to select a permanent representative to be a part of the President's Council for the purpose of bringing forward the concerns and interests of the classified staff. This was the beginning of the Classified Employees Association. In 2000 our name was changed to Classified Senate.



The Governing Board approved the first bylaws in May, 1978. The stated purposes are to:

- Facilitate communication among classified personnel and faculty, administration, and the governing board.
- Participate in the development and formation of policy and practices as they relate to activities and functions of classified staff.
- Make recommendations to all administration and the governing board on all pertinent matters.

The Classified Employee Handbook can be found on the Classified Senate website: <http://www.miracosta.edu/Governance/ClassifiedSenate>

While no one will be excluded from participation in the Senate, we ask you to contribute annual dues of \$15 per year. Your additional contribution to the Classified Senate Scholarship Fund through the MCC Foundation is also appreciated and may be made at any time during the year or through monthly payroll deductions.

Please actively support your Senate by attaching your cash or check to the following form and returning it to Vicki Krivoski, Treasurer, MS#11. If you have any questions, contact any council member.

Name/extension

Attached is \$15 _____ cash _____ check for annual membership dues.

An additional donation of \$_____ is enclosed for the Classified Senate Student Scholarship Fund.

I am also interested in serving on a committee (please circle a committee(s) that interest you from the list below). Committee assignments are appointed by the CS President on an as needed basis.
_____ yes _____ no

Committees:

Academic Affairs
Budget and Planning
Campus
Community Relations
Courses and Programs
Student Affairs

Senate Council Subcommittees:

Career Incentive
Classified Salary
Classified Staff Development
Classification Review
Classified Travel
Election Committee
Employee Recognition
Event Planning/Fundraising

*Return this completed form to
Vicki Krivoski, MS#11*

Thank you for your support!

