



AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Information / Discussion
 - A. The Academic Senate Mission 2025-2026
Description: *Faculty leaders (with guests) will join Senators (new and seasoned) to build community, form agreements on roles & procedures, and set a shared mission for the academic year.*
- IV. Adjournment

BP 2510: Collegial Governance and Participation in Local Decision Making

The board recognizes the Academic Senate as the body that represents the faculty (fulltime and associate) in collegial governance relating to academic and professional matters.

1. Curriculum
 2. Degree and certificate requirements
 3. Grading policies
 4. Educational program development
 5. Standards or policies for student prep. and success
 6. Governance structures, as related to faculty roles
 7. Accreditation processes, including self-study and annual reports
 8. Faculty professional development policies
 9. Processes for program review
 10. Processes for institutional planning and budget dev.
- +1 Academic calendar • Prioritization of full-time faculty hiring • Program discontinuance procedures, in alignment with program review • Equivalency procedures • Policies and procedures protecting academic freedom • Recommendation on tenure and professional advancement

The Board or its designees will consult collegially with the Academic Senate on all of the listed academic and professional matters and will rely primarily on the advice and judgment of the Academic Senate.

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