

Faculty Senate 2020 – 2021

Meeting: Friday, March 19, 2021 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm

Virtual Meeting: Microsoft Teams

- I. Welcome
- II. New Business
 - a. Melissa Templeton – OER Week / Library Services
 - i. April 19th -23rd
 - ii. Entire week dedicated to OER courses, materials, and faculty spotlights
 - iii. OER 1 & 2 courses
 - iv. Call for syllabi to match the OER courses/resources
 - v. Fall 2021, CTS will no longer use SLU textbook rental
 - 1.
 - b. Propose a Meeting with Chancellor and Vice-Chancellors to discuss reoccurring issues
 - i. Who to Invite
 1. Dr. Wainwright, Dr. Roberts. and Dr. Montgomery
 - ii. Issues to Bring Up
 1. Clearer communication between administration and faculty
 2. Creating a better work environment
 3. Possible place in new state budget for higher ed faculty raises
 - a. Potential for stimulus money to help some of the financial gaps created during COVID
 - iii. Who will represent Faculty from Faculty Senate / Do we want to make this a part of the April 16th meeting?
 1. Potential letter to Administration from faculty to outline faculty concerns
 2. Suggested mini meeting before next Faculty Senate meeting.
David Taylor motions; Amanda Brammer seconds; Julie Kupper, Robert Pate, Said Raki, & Abdellah Lammarti motion to support.
- III. Old Business / Committee Updates
 - a. Tabled until April Meeting
 - b. Faculty Senate spotlight for April- Meghan Martinez
- IV. Closing
 - a. Next Meeting: April 16, 2021 – 10 am – 12 pm

Attendance

- Melissa Templeton
- Abdellah Lamaarti
- Amanda Jacob
- David Taylor
- Robert Pate
- Said Raki
- Natasha Foret
- Amanda Brammer
- Julie Kupper