

ACADEMIC SENATE APPOINTMENTS to STANDING COMMITTEES

For review at the October 2nd Academic Senate meeting

Accreditation & Institutional Quality Committee (AIQ)

Jessica Wojtysiak, Grace Commiso, Ximena Ortega Tri-Chairs

(10 faculty with 6 from four or more pathways)

7 nd	and 1th	Tuesday	3 – 4 pm
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Department/Pathway	Name	Term	
Assessment Co-Chair/Designee	Ricardo Garza		
Program Review Co-	Kim Nickell		
Chair/Designee			
Strategic Directions Co-			
Chair/Designee			
Counseling	Grace Commiso	3-yr term, 2027	
Library	Sondra Keckley	3-yr term, 2027	
Pathway (ANC)	Laura Boots-Haupt	3-yr term. 2027	
Pathway (STEM)	Ricardo Garza	3-yr term, 2027	
Pathway (ANC)	Laura Miller	3-yr term, 2026	
Pathway (ACH)	Talita Pruett	3-yr term, 2027	
Pathway		3-yr term, 2026	
Pathway (STEM)	Matthew Meerdink	3-yr term, 2025	
Member-at-Large (no Vote)		1-yr Term, 2025	

Assessment Committee (ACOMM)

Mindy Wilmot, Rebecka Zepeda, Co-Chairs

1st and 3rd Friday, 10:30 am – 12 pm

Department	Name	Term
Adjunct (English)	Tyler Richmond	1-yr Term, 2025
Agriculture	Greg Cluff	1-yr Term, 2025
Allied Health (HEIT/RAD/RSPT)		1-yr Term, 2025
Applied Science & Technology	Justin Flint	1-yr Term, 2025
Art	Joseph Tipay	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science	Christopher LoCascio-Jordan	1-yr Term, 2025
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Biology	Cassandra Greene	1-yr Term, 2025
Business Education	Juan Manzano	1-yr Term, 2025
Communication	Wesley Hernandez	1-yr Term, 2025
Counseling	Jeff Stambook	1-yr Term, 2025
Education	Teresa McAllister	1-yr Term, 2025
English	Daniel Gomes	1-yr Term, 2025
Engineering (EIT)	Maryam Jalalifarahani	1-yr Term, 2025
EMLS		1-yr Term, 2025
FACE	Marah Meek	1-yr Term, 2025
Foreign Language/ASL	Jaclyn Krause-David Neville	1-yr Term, 2025
Industrial Technology		1-yr Term, 2025
Kinesiology, Health & Athletics	Alexis Pitcher	1-yr Term, 2025
Library & Academic Technology	Faith Bradham	1-yr Term, 2025
Mathematics	Ricardo Garza	1-yr Term, 2025
Nursing	Debra Kennedy	1-yr Term, 2025

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Performing Arts	Cody Ganger	1-yr Term, 2025
Philosophy	Bryan Russell	1-yr Term, 2025
Physical Science	Anna Plett	1-yr Term, 2025
Public Safety Training Programs	Jana Richardson	1-yr Term, 2025
Social Science	Jennifer Grohol	1-yr Term, 2025
Member-at-Large (Foreign	Jerome Lagaya	1-yr Term, 2025
Language/ASL)		
Member-at-Large (Behavioral	David Rohac	1-yr Term, 2025
Sciences)		
Member-at-Large (Behavioral	Lucas Choate	1-yr Term, 2025
Sciences)		
Member-at-Large		1-yr Term, 2025

Bookstore Advisory Committee (BAC) Andrea Thorson, Michael McNellis, Co-Chairs (5 Faculty Representatives) Every Other Wednesday, 11am – 12pm			
Department	Name	Term	
FACE	Melissa Ysais	1-yr Term, 2025	
English	Sara Wallace	1-yr Term, 2025	
Communication	Fabiola Butcher	1-yr Term, 2025	
Mathematics	Patrick Staten	1-yr Term, 2025	
RSP or Rural Area		1-yr Term, 2025	

Budget Committee (BCOMM)

Queen King, Kailani Henry, Victor Crosthwaite, Tri-Chairs

(5 Faculty Representatives, no two from the same department)

4 th	Monday	, 4 – 5	pm
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Department/Area	Name	Term	
Senate President	Erica Menchaca Giblin		
Program Review Co-Chair/Liaison	Kimberly Nickell		
Agriculture	LeAnn Riley	3-yr term, 2026	
Social Sciences	Alex Lewis	3-yr term, 2027	
Physical Science	Nick Strobel	3-yr term, 2027	
Education	Tim Bohan	3-yr term, 2026	
Business Education	Kyungjin Menjivar	3-yr term, 2026	

Commencement (CAHC) Nicky Damania, Chair (4 faculty Representatives)			
Department Name Term			
Counseling	Angelica Vasquez	1-yr Term, 2025	
Counseling	Vanessa Bell	1-yr Term, 2025	
Philosophy	Emily Evans	1-yr Term, 2025	
		1-yr Term, 2025	



Curriculum Committee (CRC)

Jessica Wojtysiak, Michelle Hart, Scott Dameron, Co-Chairs

Every Other Thursday, 2:30 – 4 pm

LIST A	Every other marsday,	
Department - Pathway	Name	Term
Adjunct Rep – MULTI	Kathleen Hicks	2-yr Term, 2026
Communication – ACH	Angela Bono	2-yr Term, 2026
Engineering (EIT) – STEM	Steven Brown	2-yr Term, 2026
English – ACH	Isaac Sanchez	2-yr Term, 2026
FACE – EDU/ANCA	Marah Meek	2-yr Term, 2026
Industrial Technology – ITT		2-yr Term, 2026
Library & Ac. Tech. – MULTI	Ariel Dyer	2-yr Term, 2026
Nursing – HS	Leah Elliott	2-yr Term, 2026
Philosophy – ACH	Robert Kelly	2-yr Term, 2026
Physical Science – STEM	Timothy Plett	2-yr Term, 2026
Public Safety Train. Prog. – PST		2-yr Term, 2026
Social Science – SBS	Charles Kim	2-yr Term, 2026
Member-at-Large	Carolee Trimble	2-yr Term, 2026
Member-at-Large	Rene Deniz	2-yr Term, 2026
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Department - Pathway	Name	Term
Agriculture – ANCA	Renaldo Arroyo	2-yr Term, 2025
Allied Health (HEIT/RAD/RSPT) – HS	Allison Ament	2-yr Term, 2025
AST – ITT	Paul Murray	2-yr Term, 2025
Art – ACH	Darrin Ekern	2-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science-SBS	Karin Young-Gomez	2-yr Term, 2025
Biology – STEM	Isabel Stierle	2-yr Term, 2025
Business Education – BUS	Steven Manson	2-yr Term, 2025
Counseling – MULTI	Keri Kennedy	2-yr Term, 2025
Education – EDU	Kimberly Bligh	2-yr Term, 2025
EMLS – ACH	John Hart	2-yr Term, 2025
Foreign Language/ASL – ACH	Jaclyn Krause	2-yr Term, 2025
Kinesiology – HS	Carl Dean	2-yr Term, 2025
Mathematics – STEM	Dillon Giblin	2-yr Term, 2025
Performing Arts – ACH	Kris Tiner	2-yr Term, 2025
Member-at-Large	Kimberly Nickell	2-yr Term, 2025
LIST C		
Articulation Officer	Erica Menchaca Giblin	
Assessment Committee Faculty Liaison	Rebecka Zepeda	

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Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) T Silva, Chair				
TBD				
Department/Program	Name	Term		
Adjunct	Kathleen Hicks	1-yr Term, 2025		
Agriculture		1-yr Term, 2025		
Allied Health (HEIT/RAD/RSPT)		1-yr Term, 2025		
Applied Science & Technology		1-yr Term, 2025		
Art		1-yr Term, 2025		
Behavioral Science		1-yr Term, 2025		
Biology	Joe Saldivar	1-yr Term, 2025		
Business Education	Rudy Menjivar	1-yr Term, 2025		
Communication	Matthew Maddex	1-yr Term, 2025		
Counseling		1-yr Term, 2025		
Education		1-yr Term, 2025		
Engineering & Information Technologies		1-yr Term, 2025		
English	Marisa Patton	1-yr Term, 2025		
EMLS		1-yr Term, 2025		
FACE		1-yr Term, 2025		
Foreign Language/ASL		1-yr Term, 2025		
Industrial Technology		1-yr Term, 2025		
Kinesiology, Health & Athletics		1-yr Term, 2025		
Library & Academic Technology		1-yr Term, 2025		
Mathematics	Ricardo Garza	1-yr Term, 2025		
Nursing		1-yr Term, 2025		
Performing Arts	Kim Chin	1-yr Term, 2025		
Philosophy	Emily Evans	1-yr Term, 2025		
Physical Science		1-yr Term, 2025		
Public Safety Training Program		1-yr Term, 2025		
Social Science		1-yr Term, 2025		

Enrollment Management (EMC)

Emmanuel Mourtzanos, Dillon Giblin, Lysander Ramos Tri-Chairs

2nd and 4th Thursdays, 1 – 2pm

Department	Name	Term
Adjunct		1-yr term, 2025
Agriculture		1-yr Term, 2025
Allied Health (HEIT/RAD/RSPT)	Crystal Rodriguez	1-yr Term, 2025
Applied Science & Technology		1-yr Term, 2025
Art		1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science		1-yr Term, 2025
Biology		1-yr Term, 2025
Business Education	Michael Ivey	1-yr Term, 2025
Career Education		1-yr Term, 2025

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Communication		1-yr Term, 2025
Counseling	Tori Furman	1-yr Term, 2025
Education	William Chapman	1-yr Term, 2025
Engineering & Information Technologies		1-yr Term, 2025
English		1-yr Term, 2025
EMLS	Elizabeth Rodacker	1-yr Term, 2025
FACE	Paul Burzlaff	1-yr Term, 2025
Foreign Language/ASL		1-yr Term, 2025
Industrial Technology		1-yr Term, 2025
Kinesiology, Health & Athletics	Carl Dean	1-yr Term, 2025
Library & Academic Technology	Alex Rockey	1-yr Term, 2025
Mathematics		1-yr Term, 2025
Nursing		1-yr Term, 2025
Performing Arts	Brian Sivesind	1-yr Term, 2025
Philosophy		1-yr Term, 2025
Physical Science	Nick Strobel	1-yr Term, 2025
Public Safety Training Program		1-yr Term, 2025
Social Science	Edward Borgens	1-yr Term, 2025

Equal Opportunity & Diversity Advisory Committee (EODAC) Rich McCrow, Gilbert Ayuk, Vikki Coffee, TBD, Quad-Chairs

(9 faculty with preference for different pathways, 3 adj. representative	s)
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TBD		
Department/Pathway	Name	Term
Adjunct (Communication)	Debra Thorson	1-yr Term, 2025
Adjunct (Education)	Hector Santiago	1-yr Term, 2025
Adjunct		1-yr Term, 2025
Communication /ACH	Helen Acosta	1-yr Term, 2025
English /ACH	Sara Wallace	1-yr Term, 2025
Biology /STEM	Joe Saldivar	1-yr Term, 2025
Communication /ACH	Matthew Maddex	1-yr Term, 2025
Art/ACH	Joseph Tipay	1-yr Term, 2025
Business Education/BUS	Murad Zikri	1-yr Term, 2025
Philosophy/ACH	Emily Evans	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science/SBS	Angelica Gonzalez	1-yr Term, 2025
		1-yr Term, 2025

Equivalency Committee (EQ) Jessica Wojtysiak, Kimberly Bligh, Co-Chairs (5-7 faculty representatives, 1 CTE and preference from different pathways)			
2 nd Thursday, 1-2pm			
Department/Pathway	Name	Term	
Mathematics / STEM	Tom Greenwood	2-yr Term, 2025	
PSTP / PST (CTE)	Don Brady	2-yr Term, 2025	
English /ACH	Cindy Hubble	2-yr Term, 2025	
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EIT/ STEM	Jason Dixon	2-yr Term, 2026
English /ACH	Sheena Bhogal	2-yr Term, 2026
Business Education / BUS	Murad Zikri	2-yr Term, 2026
Behavior Science / SBS	Ginger LeBlanc	2-yr Term, 2026
Department Chair/designee		

Facilities and Sustainability Committee (FSC) Marcos Rodriguez, VACANT, Co-Chairs (5 faculty representatives, from different departments) 1 st Wednesday, 1 – 2 pm			
Department	Name	Term	
Kinesiology, Athletics & Health	Seth Damron	1-yr Term, 2025	
Agriculture	Chris McCraw	1-yr Term, 2025	
AST	Vic Posey	1-yr Term, 2025	
FACE	Marah Meek	1-yr Term, 2025	
		1-yr Term, 2025	

Information Systems & Instructional Technology (ISIT) Brett Redd, Bill Moseley, Co-Chairs				
	1^{st} Monday, $4 - 5:30$ pm			
Department/Program	Name	Term		
Agriculture	Charlie Garcia	1-yr Term, 2025		
Allied Health (HEIT/RAD/RSPT)	Heather Shaffstall	1-yr Term, 2025		
Applied Science & Technology	Bonnie Hammond	1-yr Term, 2025		
Art	Marshall Sharpe	1-yr Term, 2025		
Behavioral Sciences	Lucas Choate	1-yr Term, 2025		
Biology	Scott Peat	1-yr Term, 2025		
Business Education	Kathryn Wright	1-yr Term, 2025		
Communication	Michael Muhme	1-yr Term, 2025		
Counseling	Cynthia Quintanilla	1-yr Term, 2025		
Education	Tim Bohan	1-yr Term, 2025		
Engineering & Information Technologies	Richard Miles	1-yr Term, 2025		
English	Richard Marquez	1-yr Term, 2025		
EMLS		1-yr Term, 2025		
FACE	Leah Carter	1-yr Term, 2025		
Foreign Language/ASL	Sara Palasch	1-yr Term, 2025		
Industrial Technology	Darren Willis	1-yr Term, 2025		
Kinesiology, Health & Athletics	Matthew Moon	1-yr Term, 2025		
Library & Academic Technology		1-yr Term, 2025		
Mathematics	Kurt Klopstein	1-yr Term, 2025		
Nursing	Deborah San Gil	1-yr Term, 2025		
Performing Arts	Kim Chin	1-yr Term, 2025		
Philosophy	Peter LeGrant	1-yr Term, 2025		
Physical Science	Priyanka Longacre	1-yr Term, 2025		



Public Safety Training P	rograms	1-yr Term, 2025
Social Science	Erin Miller	1-yr Term, 2025

Professional Development Committee (PDC)	Professiona	Develo	pment	Committee	(PDC)
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Christie Howell, Sara Manuel, Anita Karr, Tri-Chairs

(9 faculty representatives)

 2^{nd} Tuesday, 2 – 3 pm

Department	Name	Term
Behavioral Science	Jessica Black	1-yr Term, 2025
Philosophy	Peter LeGrant	1-yr Term, 2025
Library & Academic Technology	Alex Rockey	1-yr Term, 2025
Adjunct (Education)	Kathleen Hicks	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science	Christopher LoCascio	1-yr Term, 2025
Social Sciences	Jamal Wright	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science	Eleonora Hicks	1-yr Term, 2025
Mathematics	Patrick Staten	1-yr Term, 2025
Foreign Language/ASL Mathematics	Sara Palasch , Kimberly Gutstein	1-yr Term, 2025

Program	Review	Committee	(PRC)
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Kristin Rabe, Kimberly Nickell, VACANT, Tri-Chairs

1 st and 3 rd Tuesdays, 3:30 pm			
Department	Name	Term	
Agriculture	Jalisca Thomason	3-yr Term, 2027	
Allied Health (HEIT/RAD/RSPT)		3-yr Term, 2027	
Applied Science & Technology		3-yr Term, 2027	
Art		3-yr Term, 2027	
Behavioral Sciences	Christopher LoCascio, Jordan Rude	3-yr Term, 2027	
Biology	Katherine Ganster	3-yr Term, 2027	
Business Education	Keith Wolaridge	3-yr Term, 2027	
Communication	Neeley Hatridge	3-yr Term, 2027	
Counseling	Victor Diaz	3-yr Term, 2027	
Education	Maria Wright	3-yr Term, 2027	
English	Keri Johnson	3-yr Term, 2027	
Engineering & Information Technologies		3-yr Term, 2027	
EMLS		3-yr Term, 2027	
FACE	Amanda Tumblin	3-yr Term, 2027	
Foreign Language/ASL	Thomas Moran	3-yr Term, 2027	
Industrial Technology		3-yr Term, 2027	
Kinesiology, Health & Athletics		3-yr Term, 2027	
Library & Academic Technology	Lara Luiz	3-yr Term, 2027	
Mathematics	Andrea Bridges	3-yr Term, 2027	
Nursing	Nancy Mai	3-yr Term, 2027	
Performing Arts		3-yr Term, 2027	

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Philosophy	3-yr Term, 2027
Physical Science	3-yr Term, 2027
Public Safety Training Programs	3-yr Term, 2027
Social Science	3-yr Term, 2027
Assessment Committee Liaison	
Curriculum Committee Liaison	
FCDC	

Safety Advisory Committee (SAC)

Joe Grubbs, Roy Allard, Justin Kelley, Tri-Chairs (5 faculty representative)

2nd Wednesday, 9 – 10 am

Department/Area	Name	Term		
Area A (Ag, AH [HEIT/RAD/RSPT],		1-yr Term, 2025		
PSTP, Bus.Ed., EIT, AST, Ind. Tech, FACE, Nursing)				
Area B (Education, English, EMLS, Math)	Teresa McAllister	1-yr Term, 2025		
Area C (Art, Communication, Foreign Lang/ASL, Performing Arts, Philosophy, Social Science)	Jerome Lagaya	1-yr Term, 2025		
Area D (Behavioral Science, Biology, Kinesiology, Health & Athletics, Physical Science)	Chris Benker	1-yr Term, 2025		
Area E (Counseling, Library & Academic Technology)		1-yr Term, 2025		
Faculty Rep (preferably CCA)		1-yr Term, 2025		

Scholarship Committee (SC)

Jennifer Achan/Tye Mccovery, Tom Moran, Co-Chairs

(15+ faculty representatives)

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Department	Name	Term		
Physical Science	Brent Wilson	1-yr Term, 2025		
Counseling	Veronica Lucas	1-yr Term, 2025		
Physical Science	Wade Ellis	1-yr Term, 2025		
Behavioral Sciences	Michael Huerta Jr.	1-yr Term, 2025		
Counseling	Tori Furman	1-yr Term, 2025		
English	Alicia Skipper	1-yr Term, 2025		
English	Laura Peet	1-yr Term, 2025		
Agriculture	Julie Beechinor	1-yr Term, 2025		
Physical Science	Timothy Plett	1-yr Term, 2025		
Physical Science	Anna Plett	1-yr Term, 2025		
English	Sara Wallace	1-yr Term, 2025		
Counseling (Delano)	Elvira Martinez	1-yr Term, 2025		
Physical Science	Priyanka Longacre	1-yr Term, 2025		
Counseling	Laurel Mourtzanos	1-yr Term, 2025		
Biology	Tatevik Broutian	1-yr Term, 2025		

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Counseling - Delano	Elvira Martinez	1-yr Term, 2025
Physical Science	Priyanka Longacre	1-yr Term, 2025
English	Naomi Rutuku	1-yr Term, 2025
Performing Arts	Scott Dirkse	1-yr Term, 2025
English	Rebecca Monks	1-yr Term, 2025
Physical Science	Brian Mazur	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Sciences	Gabriel Searcy	1-yr Term, 2025
Business Education	Kathryn Wright	1-yr Term, 2025
Counseling – Delano	Veronica Lucas	1-yr Term, 2025
Education	Maria Wright	1-yr Term, 2025
Nursing	Gabriel Martin	1-yr Term, 2025
Nursing	Manpreet Kaur	1-yr Term, 2025
Counseling	Sylva Reyes	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science	Angelica Gonzalez	1-yr Term, 2025
Biology	Emily Wilson	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science	David Rohac	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science	Julian Rodriguez	1-yr Term, 2025
Biology	Stacy Gomez	1-yr Term, 2025
Business Education	Kathryn Wright	1-yr Term, 2025
Biology	Margaret Hill-Crim	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science	Eleonora Hicks	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science	Lucas Choate	1-yr Term, 2025
Art	Joseph Tipay	1-yr Term, 2025
Foreign Language/ASL (Adjunct)	Martha Rivera de Go	1-yr Term, 2025
Counseling	Antonio Alfaro	1-yr Term, 2025

Student Conduct and Grievance Hearing Committee Pool César Jiménez, Ad-Hoc (5-7 Faculty representatives)

Department	Name	Term
Mathematics	Tom Greenwood	1-yr Term, 2025
FACE	Melissa Ysais	1-yr Term, 2025
Biology	Joe Saldivar	1-yr Term, 2025
Business Education	Murad Zikri	1-yr Term, 2025
Biology	Margaret Hill-Crim	1-yr Term, 2025
Counseling	Antonio Alfaro	1-yr Term, 2025
Behavioral Science	Gabriel Searcy	1-yr Term, 2025