

Classified Senate Meeting September 7, 2023

Meeting Agenda

Senate Members: Ashley Bell (CTE Senator), Ally Chaudhry (Instructional Wing), Nelson Contreras (Senator At Large), Heather Dann (President), Kristen Hill (President's Wing), Jill Kiefer (Past President), Yadira Lopez-Daly (VP, Communications), Chad Miller (Admin Services), Kaori Nakama (VP, Finance), Nikki Nguyen (Student Services), Bre Ritter (President-Elect), Diana Rochat (VP, Committee Membership & Outreach), Monica Rodriguez Prado (M&O Senator), Pratik Solanki (IT Senator)

Items:

- 1. Welcome and Call to Order @10:03 AM
- 2. Approval of 8/3/23 Classified Senate Meeting Minutes
 - a. Chad motions
 - b. Diana seconds
 - c. All approve

3. Classified Breakfast Debrief

- a. Suggestions for next year
- b. Great turn out, set up
- c. Less programming; needed more time to eat and connect with each other i. Also caused confusion over who is hosting the event
- d. Some staff were not comfortable with managers serving them i. Suggestion – classified senate to serve
- e. PrimoNosh: late, not enough food, fruits served late
 - i. Suggestion look into other options
- f. People left half way
 - i. Suggestion raffles throughout the event to keep people engaged
 - 1. We would need to identify alternative funding source besides Professional
 - Development funds
- g. Funding suggestion: asking for funding from the President's office
- h. Timing week before semester start was very busy; some suggestions to do it earlier in the semester

4. Night/Swing Shift Classified "Dinner"

- a. Friday, September 29; 4-5pm in the MPR
 - i. Chad suggestion: bump back to 4:15 5:15 PM
 - ii. PrimoNosh pasta dinner
 - iii. Heather will be absent; Bre will lead. Kaori, Therese can assist.

5. Wellness Advisory Committee vote

- a. Nominees: Alexis De Fries Anderson, Angeline Adkins, Annie Nguyen
- b. Vote outcome: Angeline Adkins

6. President Search Committee – all Classified suggestions

- a. Nikki Nguyen serving on the search committee
- b. Plan: send out a Google form to collect general comments; then host a forum
- c. Therese: trying to work with district planning council for a campus wide forum
- 7. Committee Structures

- a. Ed code states: there cannot be more Classified Senate appointees than the CFCE appointees
- b. Currently working with union to ensure we meet Ed Code standards
- 8. Teams
 - a. Committee member notes
 - i. Shared governance committee channel: add notes from each of the committee we serve
 - b. Chancellor/President discussion items

9. Campus Updates/For the Good of the Order

- a. Farmer's Fridge is here: Math Sci, LRC, SSC
- b. Bookstore task force 2 members interested
- c. Board meetings: classified senate representation
- d. Hiring updates: 2 admin clerk, A&R specialist, custodian senior, reorgs almost fully approved:
- Campus Life Director, CGCP Director, admin assistant position for Swap Meet
 - i. Must go through transfer process, then internal, then external
- e. CFCE negotiation updates:
 - i. Pushing for: COLA, salary increase, Cesar Chavez Day, emergency pay for essential employees (M&O, public safety)
- f. IT updates:
 - i. Guest wifi will be shut off between 11 PM 4 AM
 - ii. Technology survey: went out to students to get feedback on campus technologies
 - 1. Access
 - 2. Al: how are we using Al? What is our stance on Al?
 - 3. Support: more support/access for software (i.e. photogprahy)
 - iii. Cyber security: initiative for funding from the State Chancellor's office to increase cyber security
 - iv. Surge in fraudulent applications
- 10. **Adjournment:** 10:50 AM