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Academic Senate

2023 CSULB Academic Senate Retreat

October 26, 2023, 2-5 pm, Earl Burns Miller Japanese Garden

Topic: Elevating Black Excellence at CSULB

Time Agenda

- 2:00-2:05 Pei-Fang welcomes everyone
- 2:05-2:10 Provost's Remark
- 2:10-2:20 Icebreaking Activity
- 2:20-2:40 Black Excellence Collegium Presentation
- 2:40-2:45 Review today's discussion prompts
- 2:45-3:30 Group discussions
- 3:30-4:00 Debriefing/ wrap up/ table prizes awarded
- 4:00-5:00 Refreshments/ Social Hour



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Discussion Prompt A

Share your experience about supporting Black students on campus.



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Discussion Prompt B

What are critical aspects to support Black student success? Examples might include

- Academic achievement,
- Social-Emotional wellbeing,
- Student engagement, and/or
- The transition to the workforce.



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Discussion Prompt C

What are critical aspects to support Black faculty and staff success? Examples might include:

- Recruiting, hiring, and retaining Black faculty and staff,
- Creating inclusive workplaces,
- Additional access to resources (e.g., professional development), and/or
- Improving their sense of belonging.



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Follow up Questions

What are areas where you feel comfortable supporting Black students on campus? What are areas where you would benefit from additional education to enable you to support Black students?

In what new ways might our campus elevate Black excellence in the future?

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How can we ensure that the mechanisms that support Black students, staff, and faculty are sustainable?

What is unique about our campus (in comparison with other CSUs) in terms of existing programming and education that supports Black students on campus?