

**ACADEMIC SENATE
MEETING #11**

Thursday, February 19, 2026, 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Towner Auditorium (PSY 150)

Or on Zoom: <https://csulb.zoom.us/j/81677533082> (Meeting ID: 816 7753 3082)

1. CALL TO ORDER – 2:00 NH begins with the land acknowledgment.
2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA – moved by BK, seconded and approved.
3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – moved by NS, seconded and approved.
 - 3.1 Academic Senate Meeting of February 5, 2026
4. REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND COUNCILS
 - 4.1 Executive Committee: Announcements – NH calls for nominations from the floor for the ASCSU senator position. No nominations received, nominations closed. NH reminded senators about policy review process including the timeline and best practices, deliberation procedures, as well as communication from senators to constituents. Attendance poll conducted.
 - 4.2 Nominating Committee: Nominations- Chair Pavenick presents the nominations: All nominations approved, yes-58 no-1.

GEGC 1-year coverage for CLA Member 2026-2027
CLA | Ilan Mitchell-Smith, Associate Professor, ENGL

GEGC 3-year full term beginning in FA2026
CLA | Nellie Wieland, Professor, Philosophy

University Awards Committee 2-year full term; past-recipient
CLA | Loretta Ramirez, Associate Professor, Chicano and Latino Studies
5. CONSENT CALENDAR
 - 5.1 None
6. SPECIAL ORDERS
 - 6.1 [Time Certain 2:10 pm] Report from President Andrew Jones –NS thanked him for moving commencement back on campus. AJ encouraged staff and faculty to volunteer to help the days go smoothly. NS asked if the tradition of letting faculty come to the stage when their students graduate to shake their hands. AJ will present request to the executive committee. BK inquired about the donation to the library special collections. DO asked about preparation for ICE on

campus during graduation. AJ reported we have plans in place. BS reiterated the concern for safety for graduates and their families and asked if a plan could be shared before the event to ensure students feel safe at commencement.

- 6.2 [Report](#) from CFA Long Beach Co-President Shelly Collins – SC presented on CFA bargaining including the current timeline. She highlighted the bargaining process and timeline as well as bargaining points including salary, including a cost-of-living increase. We have the largest bargaining team in our CFA history. Feb 28 at 2pm CFA is having a social at the women’s basketball game, tickets courtesy of CFA. March 28 there is a No Kings protest.

7. NEW BUSINESS

- 7.1 None.

8. OLD BUSINESS

- 8.1 Proposed revision of PS 12-12: Graduation Writing Assessment Requirement (GWAR): remaining part: a committee charge (AS-1207-23/CEPC) -- SECOND READING – resumed on line 62, NH amendment, moved and seconded. Delete language, “see note in committee chair section” passed by acclamation. Line 64, NS amendment, moved and seconded, replace language, add “or designee” approved by acclamation. Line 64, NS amendment, replace language “GWARC” moved and seconded. Vote on amendment, yes-45 no-5. Amendment passed. Line 68, NS amendment, insert language; “the responsibilitiesprogram” moved and seconded. Vote on amendment, yes-10 no-41, amendment failed. Vote on entire policy, yes-54 no-2. **Policy Passed.**

- 8.2 Proposed Revision of PS 17-19: Emeritus Faculty: Rights and Privileges (AS 1132-20/FPPC) -- SECOND READING – resumed on line 21. Map of motions presented to Senate before deliberations begin. PP amendment, replace language to “granted” line 28, replace language with “considered” moved and seconded. SA1 NS amendment, delete “standard” in line 21 and 28, approved by acclamation. SA2 Miles amendment, moved and seconded. Line 23, replace “ten” with “seven” Vote on amendment, yes-18 no-30, amendment failed. SA3 NS amendment, line 26, delete “or retreat rights to” moved and seconded. Vote on amendment, yes-20 no-24, amendment fails. SA4 CM amendment, add language “or from...dean” moved and seconded. Vote on amendment, yes-22 no-25, amendment failed. SA5 miles amendment, add language, “briefly...contributions” moved and seconded. Vote on amendment, yes-j38 no-9, amendment passed. SA6 CB amendment, add item “completion of...cleanout” moved and seconded. Vote on amendment, yes-20 no-29. Amendment failed. Vote on PP amendment on lines 21 and 28. Vote on amendment, yes-34 no-14. Amendment passed. Stopped at line 30.

9. ADJOURNMENT – 3:57

AS 02.19.26 attendance

Abby Bradecich

Adam Kahn

Adrian Trujillo Centeno

Alessandro Russo

Alex Hazlewood

Alexis Pavenick

Amanda Fisher

Andy Jones

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Anna Ortiz

Arjuna Un

Ashley Carter

Athena Mitchell

Banafsheh Behzad

Barbara Caplan

Barbara Kim,

Barton Saunders

Ben Huff

Beth Lesen

Boualoy.Dayton

Brian Katz (BK)

Brian Trimble

Caitlin Fouratt

Chris Fowler (he/him)

Chris Karadjov

Chris Miles

Chris Swarat

Christie Waken

Christine Scott-Hayward

Christopher Miles (he/him)

Christopher Warren

Colleen Ryan

Curtis Bennett

Damian Zavala

Dan O'Connor

Danny Paskin

Debby Rannalli

Dennis LuPresto - CSULB

Dhushy Sathianathan

Dina Perrone

Elizabeth Dill

Eric Marinez

Evelyn Klaus

Fafnir Adamites
Ga-young kelly suh
Henry O'Lawrence
Hiromi Masunaga
Iris
Janaki Santhiveeran (Janaki)
Jasmine Forbes
Jason Aurand
Jeffrey D. Cook
Jody Cormack
Kathryn Chew
Kerry Johnson
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Michael Warden

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Neil Hultgren

Norbert Schürer

Patricia Pérez

Pei-Fang Hung

Perla Ayala

Rebecca Cummings

Rolando de Santiago

Royce W. Smith

Sabrina Dean

Scott Apel

Shahab Derakhshan

Shariq Ahmed

Sharon Olson

Shelly Collins

Sivyu Chia
Susan Shanley
Thomas Klaehn
Tracy Gilmore
Virscend University
Wendi Gilchrist
Zachary Fowler
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