

Ventura College Academic Senate

Agenda

Thursday, May 7, 2016

2:00-3:30pm

Health Science Center (HSC)-211

I. Call to Order

II. Public Comments

Public Comments Pursuant to the federal Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need any special accommodation or assistance to attend or participate in the meeting, please direct your written request, as far in advance of the meeting as possible, to Alex Kolesnik/Peter H. Sezzi, 4667 Telegraph Road, Ventura CA, 93003.

III. Acknowledgement of Guests

- a. Susan Royer, College Services
- b. Patricia Ewins, VP Student Services 2:30 pm time certain

IV. Informational Items

- a. Curriculum Committee Update

V. Action Items

- a. Minutes (4/7/16, 4/21/16)—5 minutes
- b. Accreditation Self Study second reading-15 minutes
- c. Program Review process second reading-10 minutes
- d. Open Educational Resources grant- 5 minutes
- e. Assessment/placement-5 minutes

VI. Discussion Items

- a. College safety/emergency preparedness plan-10 minutes
- b. QFE/ATD Big ideas-10 minutes
- c. Academic senate awards/Mace bearer-5 minutes
- d. Making Recommendations at Ventura College

VII. Consent Items – None

VIII. President's Report

IX. Senate Subcommittees/Task Forces/Work Groups Reports

X. Campus Committees Reports

XI. Announcements for the Good of the Order

XII. Requests for Future Agenda Items

XIII. Adjournment

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Academic Senate means an organization whose primary function is to make recommendations with respect to academic and professional matters.

Academic and Professional matters means the following policy development matters:

1. Curriculum, including establishing prerequisites.
2. Degree and certificate requirements.
3. Grading policies.
4. Educational program development.
5. Standards or policies regarding student preparation and success.
6. College governance structures, as related to faculty roles.
7. Faculty roles and involvement in accreditation processes.
8. Policies for faculty professional development activities.
9. Processes for program review.
10. Processes for institutional planning and budget development.
11. Other academic and professional matters as mutually agreed upon.