Senate Leadership Report 9/26/13

Academic Senate and Community Assemblies

- Community Assemblies will be open to attendance by all and will address non-academic issues.
- Academic Senate will continue to hold monthly campus and college meetings and will address academic issues.
- Permission for non-faculty and non-academic dean employees to attend
 Senate meetings is being discussed by members of Senate Leadership and the Chancellor's Cabinet.

Status of Motions Passed by Senate

- Guest and Bachelor Degree Student Prerequisite Waivers (10/27/11)
 - o Disciplines can vote to remove the waiver from their courses.
 - o Request must be submitted to Cathey Maze by December 16, 2013.
- Faculty-Friendly IT Interface (2/21/13)
 - o B. Montgomery and A. Jackson worked over the summer
- Managers and Administrators Teaching as Adjuncts (5/23/13)
 - June update: in consultation

Attendance-Based Grading

- Legal review revealed no prohibition
- Campus Senate conversations supported academic freedom to use when appropriate for student learning
- Reminder that syllabi should clearly state all grading policies, including attendance and participation-based grading
- Vice Chancellor of Academic and Student Services office will verify absence of prohibition from new faculty orientation

CBT and Administration Reports and Documents

- New materials released during the summer
 - o Child care
 - Integrated planning
 - Data capacity and culture of evidence
 - Benchmarking and key performance indicators
- Campus forums to address
 - o AH: Tuesday, Oct. 8, 10:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m., D-309

- o HL: Friday, Oct. 4, 9:30-11:00 a.m., SC-234
- OR: Thursday, Oct. 10, 1:00-3:00 p.m., J-191
- o SE: Thursday, Oct. 10, 3:15-5:00 p.m. (during Campus Senate), B-251
- Conversation at October Campus Senate meetings
- Senate standing committees will review as appropriate
- Summary response document at October College Senate meeting

Program Sun-Setting

- The Curriculum Review Committee has been tasked with reviewing the process leading up to the deactivation of a program.
- A procedure from 2006/2007 was found on the college P drive.