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ECAS FACULTY SENATE NEWSLETTER, SPRING 2017

Below are note-worthy actions taken and motions passed by the Senate in Spring 2017. [Click here](#) to view all motions and minutes on the Faculty Governance Website.

- Discussion with DACA students on Emory as a sanctuary campus
- Statement re: the January 27, 2017 Presidential Executive Order "Protecting the Nation from Foreign Terrorist Entry into the United States" (Motion 28-2017)
- Support of Teach-In on Intellectual Responsibility (Motion 29-2017)
- In response to a motion passed by the Senate last spring (Motion 12-2016), the Faculty Council of the University Senate formed a working group on Title IX interpretation. The Senate was updated regularly on the work of this group.
- Discussion with Mr. John Morgan, Chair of Board of Trustees
- The Senate heard reports from the following ad hoc committees/working groups: Administrative Infrastructure ad hoc committee, Pedagogy and Curriculum ad hoc committee, Teaching Evaluation working group, Student Academic Engagement working group
- Discussion on College Strategic Plan with Michael Elliott
- Regular updates from ex-officio Senate representatives from the Faculty Council of the University Senate and Executive Council of the Laney Graduate School
- Discussion of work being done to build and improve on undergraduate research initiatives

MINUTES

Log in with your Net ID to view Minutes from this semester's Senate meetings: [Click Here](#)

NEW 2017-18 MEMBERS

Senators:

Irene Browne

Megan Cole

Joe Crespino

Robyn Fivush

Elizabeth Goodstein

Marta Jimenez

Barbara Ladd

Tracy McGill

Elena Pesavento

Liv Stutz

Peter Wakefield

President: Kim Wallen

Stay tuned for the Senate and Faculty Meeting dates for Fall 2017. A quorum (25% of College faculty not on leave) is needed in order to hold a vote at Faculty meetings. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend.

Questions or concerns?

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Kim Wallen, President-elect

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Below are potential issues to be addressed in the coming year:

- Continued revision of the nominations and election procedures
- Further development of guidelines for teaching evaluation
- Continued development and implementation of the College's strategic plan

To view all committee documents, schedules and members, visit the Faculty Governance Website:

<https://secure.web.emory.edu/college/governance/>