

To: SACUA

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Subject: Director's Report on Faculty Senate Office Activities

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#### Faculty Senate Office Activities

The FSO continues to productive:

- The FSO staff continues its excellent work assisting all 18 SA committees by writing minutes, helping with agendas, scheduling meetings, and sending reminder emails.
- The FSO is coordinating with the newly-elected SACUA members for an onboarding session. The new members have all been invited to the April meetings, as observers, if they are available.
- The FSO has been fielding various questions related to submissions for this year's Faculty Awards.
- The FSO is soliciting comments from the Senate Assembly on the draft implementing resolution regarding restructuring the Faculty Senate. Comments are due by Monday at noon so that they can be discussed at Monday's SACUA meeting.
- The FSO continues its work organizing a Faculty Senate 2034 Vision input session to be held on April 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### FSO Director Activities

- I met with Connie Tingson Gatuz, Associate Vice President for Student Life, and Will Sherry, Director of Strategic Initiatives at Student Life, to brainstorm possibilities for future collaboration between Student Life and SRAC.
- I drafted a version of the implementing resolution of Proposal 2 for consideration. The aim was to clearly and faithfully implement the elements of Proposal 2.
- I attended a National Council of Faculty Senates webinar: "Higher Education in the Political Crosshairs."