

# University Senate Dashboard



## Notes from Senate President Thomas Schildgen

The University Senate welcomes the opportunity to work with Dr. Robert Page as the new provost of the university. The senate recognizes his exemplary record of scholarship and publication, his distinguished international research work, along with his successful administrative experience as the key factors that define his ability to advance Arizona State University. The University Senate represents shared faculty governance and will work with Provost Page to advance the mission of the institution.

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**Barbara Fargotstein**

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### University Academic Council (UAC) Facts

- The UAC is the executive board of the University Senate.
- The UAC consists of the President-Elect, President and past President from each of the four campuses.
- Any member of the [Academic Assembly](#) may be nominated for a campus President-Elect position.
- The UAC meets monthly with the University Provost.
- The UAC maintains general supervision over the affairs of the Senate in between business meetings.
- One member of the UAC is elected annually to serve as President of the Senate.

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### A Common Misconception

*"Faculty members may teach any active course without consultation or collaboration with the unit that currently offers the course."*

**False:** Faculty members may only teach those courses currently active within their own academic unit and with approval from the chair, director or dean. In order for an academic unit to add a course to its course bank, a Modify Course Form requesting a Course Campus Offering must be processed via [Curriculum ChangeMaker](#). Course Campus Offering requests must be accompanied by statements of support from all academic units that currently offer the course and must complete the necessary reviews and approvals. For more information, see [Course Campus Offerings](#).

### Important Dates

- Graduate commencement 12/17/2013 at 11:00am
- Undergraduate commencement 12/18/2013 at 8:30am
- Academic Assembly meeting 1/28/2014 at 3:30pm, locations TBA
- Senate meeting #5 2/3/2013 at 3:00pm

### Current Discussions

- Working with Provost Page
- Educating senators and faculty on administrative processes
- Campus President-Elect nominee selections
- West campus substitution election for President

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