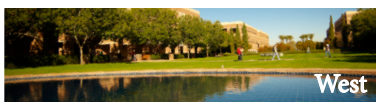


# University Senate Dashboard



## Senate President Thomas Schildgen

Through constant innovation ASU has become a premier educational destination for both excellent students and exemplary faculty. The rate of change in higher education has accelerated, and new market forces can impact our national rankings in the different disciplines. Perhaps the greatest challenge facing the Senate in 2014 is how we make the required institutional review processes and procedures more responsive in an effort to sustain and advance the university's mission, effectiveness, and reputation. *I extend my personal invitation for you to join us as we welcome Dr. Robert Page in his first full semester as the University Provost by attending the Academic Assembly Reception at 3:30pm on January 28, 2014 held on each of the four campuses:* [Click Here](#)

## Senator Spotlight for January



**Kathleen Puckett**

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## University Senate Facts

- Shared governance is both an opportunity and an obligation mandated by A.R.S. 15-601 and ABOR 6-201.
- The basic representational unit of the Senate is the degree granting unit.
- Units with fewer than 40 Academic Assembly members receive one Senator, units with 40 but less than 100 Academic Assembly members receive two Senators and units with 100 or more Academic Assembly members receive three Senators. Academic Assembly member definition: [Click here](#).
- Senators are located on each of the four ASU campuses:  
**Downtown=18, Polytechnic=13, Tempe=75, West=7**

## A Common Misconception

*"New courses that are to be taught by ASU online are processed/approved via a different route than icourses or face to face courses."*

**False:** ASU Online does not offer classes. ASU Online, in-person and iCourses are all formats by which academic units offer approved ASU courses. All ASU course proposals, regardless of delivery method, originate from an academic unit and must follow the university's review and approval process. This process includes curriculum committee review(s) at the department/school and/or college/school level, University review, and finally Senate review. Once course proposals receive the necessary approvals and are implemented, courses may be scheduled as ASU campus courses (in-person/iCourses), or through ASU online.

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## Important Dates

- January 28, 2014  
Academic Assembly Meeting 3:30pm.
- February 3, 2014 Senate Meeting #5 3:00pm.
- February 6-7, 2014 Arizona Board of Regents Meeting at ASU.

## Current Projects/ Discussions

- College of Technology and Innovation restructuring.
- Senate service recognition program.
- Campus President-Elect nominee selections.
- Grievance committee nominee selections.
- Educating senators and faculty members on administrative processes.
- Improving University Senate responsiveness.

## 2013 - 14 Campus Presidents

Downtown: Sandra Mayol-Kreiser  
 Polytechnic: Thomas Schildgen  
 Tempe: Chouki El Hamel  
 West: Barbara Guzzetti

University Senate Secretary: [Chris Kyselka](#)

## Representing World-Class Faculty Members and Academic Professionals

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