

University Senate Dashboard



Senate President Brenda Hosley

The start of the academic year brings each of us a hyper-focus that allows us to pursue individual goals and aspirations. I want to ask each of you however, to take a few moments today to acknowledge and engage any new faculty members or academic professionals within your unit. This brief moment can mean a lot to a person and help with the ongoing challenge of starting a new job and meeting a new peer group. To this end, the University Senate would like to extend a warm welcome to all new faculty members here at ASU and want to let each of you know that the Senate is a resource that is always available.

Additionally, I am happy to report that 100% of the Senate's committees are staffed and will begin working on a variety of topics during this academic year. Stay tuned for updates on their important work.

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What is a Request for Consultation (RFC)?

A RFC is a request made by any faculty member, unit, college, school or administrator that requests the Senate to evaluate a topic or provide faculty representation to aid in decision-making and policy development.

RFC can be handled consultatively and answered/addressed immediately, or they can be dealt with more formally by working through the committee structure and the Senate to produce a motion that recommends specific change, that if adopted, would apply across the entire university.

Resources for Faculty and APs

Faculty mentoring practices at ASU

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Process guides for faculty and AP personnel actions

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Important Dates

- Senate Meeting #2
September 28, 2015
- ABOR Meeting,
September 23-25, 2015
- New Senate website
available publicly,
~October 1, 2015

Sample Request for Consultation (RFC)

(21 RFC currently in progress)

- How can we speed up the hiring process?
- What are some ways to reduce stress for faculty and APs?
- Should unlimited and multiple submissions for promotion be allowed?
- Review the use of animals in the instructional setting.
- Reviewing policy regarding veterans and active duty soldiers missing class.

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