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**SENATOR SPOTLIGHT**



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**IMPORTANT DATES**

**May 6, 2019**

- Graduate/Undergraduate Commencement
- Standing Committee Annual Reports

**June 2019**

- ABOR  
June 13-14 at NAU


**MESSAGE FROM:**

## Senate President Donna Cataldo

As the academic year comes to a close, I would like to thank my colleagues on the University Academic Council, the Senate Committees and the University Senate for their work. I also want to welcome Maria Coca, our new senate manager. She is a wonderful asset to the senate office.

This month the Senate offered its second workshop through the leadership academy on "Persuasion: Advancing Ideas through Influence." I am excited that these leadership development opportunities will continue into the next year. Academic Assembly elections are underway and we will have the results of the elections within the next week. Thank you again for taking this opportunity become more engaged helping your peers and your university. I also want to extend my personal thanks to everyone for creating a sense of community that resulted in a highly productive year for faculty governance. And I am certain my successor, Shirley Rose will be extremely effective and want to wish her all the best.



 **More Info**

To see the full Senate roster which includes term dates, [click here](#).

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## News and Information

### ASU is moving to Canvas

The migration to the cloud-hosted solution will offer faculty significant opportunities to reimagine their courses and leverage a range of new teaching and learning services for their students.

The current Blackboard LMS will be available until June 30, 2019. The deadline to request your course(s) be transferred to Canvas is May 31, 2019. Please go to the LMS website today and request your classes be transferred.

**For the LMS website [click here](#)**

### Vaping and e-cigarettes

The Senate proposed ban on vaping and e-cigarettes on campus passed during Senate meeting #6. With the approval of Senate Motion 2019-27 ASU becomes a smoking and tobacco free campus. The new policy will take effect July 1, 2019. For viewing of the full Senate Motion please visit the Senate website.

**Link to SM 2019-27 [click here](#)**



**Shirley Rose**

### 2019-20 Senate President/UAC Chair

Professor Shirley Rose will serve as the AY 2019-20 Senate President. Rose's term will begin June 1, 2019.

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