UIS Campus
Senate Report
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Chair, Senate and Senate Executive Committee
About Campus Senate

- Serves as the legislative body regarding educational policy.

- Senate governance structure includes:
  - senate executive committee
  - the senate and its various standing committees
  - those members of campus senate serving on the University Senates Conferences
Senate Executive Committee

- Senate Officers
- President of Student Government Association
- Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, non-voting \textit{ex-officio} member

Note: Senate Executive Committee meets every other week.
Composition of Campus Senate

- Faculty
- Students
- Academic Professional representative
- Civil Service Staff member
- Dean
- Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, non-voting *ex-officio* member

Note:

1. UIS Senate meets every other week.
2. The number of faculty senators counts for 10% of the total full-time faculty.
3. A quorum of the Senate consists of 60% of the total voting membership.
Standing Senate Committees

- 16 total, including:
  - Academic Integrity Committee
  - Academic Technology Committee
  - Campus Planning and Budget Committee
  - Committee on Admissions, Recruitment, and Retention
  - Committee on Assessment of Student Learning
  - Committee on Committees
  - Committee on Diversity, Equal Rights, Opportunity, and Access
  - Committee on Sustainability
  - General Education Council
  - Graduate Council
  - Undergraduate Council
  - Intercollegiate Athletics Committee
  - Library Committee
  - Personnel Policies Committee
  - Research Board
  - Student Discipline Committee
25 resolutions brought to the senate for deliberation and approval

23 approved, 1 sent back, and 1 tabled

Approved resolutions addressed the following main areas:

- Admission policy
- Academic programs/certificates/curricula
- Academic integrity policy
- Assessment of student learning
- Personnel policies
- Intercollegiate athletics
- Restoration of MAP funding
- *Statutes* amendments
A Year of Challenges and Change

- A new senate chair in a decade
- Financial challenges
- Ad Hoc Committee to Investigate Intercollegiate Athletics

Task Forces in Academic Affairs:
  - Admissions
  - Instructional Resources Management
  - Levels of Governance and Administrative Approval

- Search Advisory Committee for the next chancellor
Thank You