Foothill College Academic Senate Meeting Draft Notes April 9th, 2 P.M., De Anza Library (LC 107)

ITEM		Attachment
1.	Call to	Escoto called meeting to order 2:05pm
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2	Roll Call	Senators Present
		Isaac Escoto (AS President)
		Katherine Schaefers (AS Secretary Treasurer)
		Valerie Fong (LA)
		David McCormick (LA)
		Natasha Mancuso (BSS)
		Jay Patyk (BSS)
		Micaele Agyare (LIB)
		Tracee Cunningham (CNSL)
		Donna Frankel (PT rep)
		Robert Cormia (PSME)
		David Marasco (PSME)
		Kyle Taylor (PT rep in place of Brendan Mar)
		Liaisons Present
		Carolyn Holcroft (Professional Development Coordinator)
		Bill Ziegenhorn (FA Liaison for Spring)
		Danya Adib (ASFC President)
		Senators Absent
		Rachelle Campbell (AS Vice President/CCC Faculty Co-Chair)
		Robert Hartwell (FA)
		Jordan Fong (FA)
		Tobias Nava (CNSL)
		Mimi Overton (SRC/DRC)
		Brendan Mar (PT rep)
		Rita O'Loughlin (KINS/ATHL)
		Liaisons Absent
		Kristy Lisle (Cabinet liaison)
3.	Adoption of	Approved by consensus
	agenda	
4.	Public	None
	comment on	
	items not on	
	agenda	
	(senate	
	cannot	
	discuss or	
	take action)	
5.	Approval of	ASDraftMinutes3-12-18
.	Minutes:	
		Approved by consensus
6.	Consent	Search Committee for Interim Dean of the Disability Resource Center
0.	Calendar	-Leeann Emanuel, Counselor
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	Approved by consensus
7. Unfinished Business (10+1 area(s) indicated):	
a. Faculty Handbook Feedback	The faculty handbook is dated from 2013-2016. What type of format would we like for the new handbook? Canvas?
	Commnet: As long as everyone is using Canvas
	Comment: We would like to see the handbook in multiple places, e.g., under the Faculty tab in the Portal)
b. "EW" Grade	Escoto introduced changes to Title ,5 concerning new types of "W" (Withdrawal) grades, including:
	 "EW" - "Excused Withdrawal" -Would not count towards the 3 attempts that students are allowed to pass a course. "MW" - Military Withdrawal -Students who need to withdrawal for military service "EW" "Eail Withdrawal"
	"FW" – "Fail Withdrawal" -Students whom would earn an "F" grade, due to no longer attending the course.
	These changes will be explained more fully in our next meeting on April 30 th . We will also discuss whether or not we would like to adopt these differing "W" distinctions.
	Comment: If we are looking at our student success rates, it might make sense to unpack the effects of each of these "W"s
	Escoto will send the Title 5 sections regarding these "W" grade varations along with the senate draft minutes, as well as with the rest of the documents for the April 30 th meeting.
c. Elections Committee	There will be an election for the PT Faculty Senate seat. The senate president position has yet to be contested.
	Action requested: Please announce to your PT faculty divisional constituents that the PT faculty Senate seat for Fall 2018 is open to run. Please forward interest in running to Carolyn Holcroft at: holcroftcarolyn@foothill.edu
8. New Business (10+1 area(s) indicated)	
a. Senate President/Secre	Do we approve \$1140 (registration cost) from our Senate dues account to send 2 Senate Officers to the Spring Plenary?
tary Plenary registration	Moved: Marasco

	Seconded: Cormia
	Approved by the Body
9. Committee	See Committee reports document
reports	
10. Joint	Agenda
meeting	approved by consensus
with	
DeAnza	Plenary
	Purpose of the Joint Meeting is to prepare Senators for Plenary. We will
	review the resolution packet and discuss/flag/amend/pull the resolutions
	as needed.
	Resolutions
	See full resolutions packet for the Spring 2018 Plenary session here:
	https://asccc.org/sites/default/files/Resolutions%20Packet%20S18%20fo
	r%20Thursday%204-12-2018%20Final%20R.pdf
	*State and Legislative Issues
	6.01 S18 Oppose Proposed Consolidation of Categorical Program Funding
	Comment: The context of this in the Whereas' is going to necessitate a major
	shift in the current Governor's funding formula. 50% is on performance-based
	funding in the current Governor's budget, which would threaten student
	success by coalescing separate funds into one.
	Comment: There is still funding for categorical programs
	Comment: Accountability to whom?
	<i>Comment: Do we like the idea of consolidation? This resolution is in opposition</i>
	to the new type of consolidation
	Comment: This resolution will most likely be redone and perfected
	<i>Comment: If we trust that our decision-making processes are robust, then this</i>
	would be good. However, if it is not, then a categorically funded program may
	lose the protections to its fund
	Comment: Concerned about Programs that aren't as central to an outside
	agenda stay protected, and the students in these programs are protected as
	well.
	Show of hands – majority of Senators are opposed to a consolidation of
	categorical funds.
	*6.02 S18 Opposition to the Proposed California Online Community College
	District
	Consultation with the Chancellor's Office
	Comment: If this 115 th fully online College goes through, it would take away
	enrollment from the other Community Colleges
	Comment: Students from FHDA feel similarly
	<i>Comment: There is a great need for workforce-based immediate (just in time)</i>
	training, outside of the current style of the Community College. It is worth
	exploring reaching out to those students who are left behind by our current
	system.
	Comment: The reason so many Community Colleges are opposed to this, is that
	the Community Colleges are not invited as invested partners, and no

	 monies/support would be going to help Community Colleges to develop this type of Workforce training. Comment: If we want to oppose this and ask for money to help build this type of Workforce training at our own Colleges, we can't complain when we are asked to put on new initiatives in this area. Comment: This type of "just in time" training may also need to have an inperson component, and therefore should stay within the 114 current CCC system. Show of hands – majority are in favor of supporting this resolution. *Other resolutions flagged as important: 7.05 S18 Legal Interpretation of AB 705 (Irwin, 2017) There was a sense of support for this resolution as it seems further legal interpretation is necessary.
	7.06 S18 Support Students' Rights to Enroll in English as a Second Language 7.07 S18 Maintain Language Placement Tests as a Multiple Measure Option for English as a Second Language (ESL)
	*Curriculum 9.02 S18 Pathways to Meet General Education Requirements of Quantitative Reasoning 9.04 S18 Effective Practices in Online Lab Science Courses
	*Professional Standards 19.02 S18 Defining Collegiality in the Workplace
	Good of the Order 1) DeAnza College President Brian Murphy is retiring
	2) ASFC Students are organizing to protest class cancellations: Website
	sites.Google.com/view/fhstudentstakeaction Email
	<u>foothillstudentstakeaction@gmail.com</u> Contact: Ana Marcela Gueller/Amy Shannon
	Note: Thoughts on structure of FHDA Plenary joint meeting in the future Comment: Have a 3 hour joint meeting in the future, then have a separate meeting for our Foothill Senate Comment: Know which resolutions we will focus on in the future, so Senators
	can be prepared to discuss.
11. Announcem ents (limited to 3 minutes,	a. Action requested: The Part Time Faculty Celebration is coming up on April 5:30-8pm at Brittania Arms next to DeAnza College in San Jose: 3530, 1087 S De Anza Blvd, San Jose, CA 95129
Senate cannot take action)	Please announce to your constituents to sign up here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/7P2VV2V

a.	Part time faculty	Part timers, please RSVP by April 11 th to receive a gift from the senate. Everyone, please RSVP by April 12 th in order to secure a free dinner.
	celebra tion	Senators – please also RSVP at the above link^^
b.	GE Inform ation Compet	b. Survey to faculty coming out regarding information competency in select GE courses Micaela Agyare and Elaine Kuo
	ency Survey	c. Art Hand is retiring, and his position is not being backfilled. This position dealt with inter-library loans and processing print periodicals. These services will be interrupted for the time being.
		d. April 17 th , 12:30-1:45pm, President's Conference room. UndocuAlly meeting, focused on how we can best support our undocumented students.
		e. May 24 th 2-3:30pm Hearthside Lounge. Governance Redesign Town Hall
12. Adje nt	ournme	3:58pm