

Board of Trustees Report - January 2022

AMERICAN RIVER COLLEGE

Kristin Farlow, Classified Senate President

ARC's Classified Senate received critical updates at our January meeting today from our Vice President of Administrative Services regarding campus updates and operations from all areas of service. Classified Professionals continue to successfully pivot and remain flexible according to needs of our departments. Many Classified have expressed health concerns and protocols for check ins on the Student Services side of the house regarding "cleared" status with any in person walk ins from students or community members seeking assistance. Another concern is lack of staffing our areas when out sick/testing positive. ARC's Classified Senate is reevaluating our plans for our annual PD event in April, but we remain hopeful. Our communication post-convocation will receive a boost through e-News, our new podcast, and frequent updates to keep our constituency informed.

COSUMNES RIVER COLLEGE

Tiffany Clark, Classified Senate President

After a much-deserved break the Classified Senate returned to campus ready to serve students with expanded in-person hours and additional departments open for in-person services. On January 6th, an outdoor resource fair was hosted by EOPS, MI CASA, and TRIO with many other student support services in attendance. Students who stopped by received valuable information about how to avail themselves of the many different resources available to help them along their educational journey. Organizers reported that the event was a success.

As we know, this week finds us preparing for the start of the spring semester with our usual breadth of flex week offerings, culminating with Convocation. Classified Senate members are encouraged to attend workshops and activities as they are able. Everyone is also keeping a close watch on emails as we anticipate new developments related to campus operation guidelines in response to the ever-changing pandemic. While "flexibility fatigue" can be coined as a new frequently used phrase, folks are prepared to pivot as needed, remaining focused our shared goal of student success and health for all as a priority.

FOLSOM LAKE COLLEGE

Karla Lozano, Classified Senate President

Karla Lozano was elected Classified Senate President and assumed duties on December 16th, 2021, replacing Andrea Fuertes who moved to a position at SCC. In addition to the FLC main campus, we have more Classified staff on-ground this semester at our El Dorado and Rancho Cordova Centers. The FLC Classified Senate will continue to work on goals for this term to include increasing Classified staff engagement and also hosting an appreciation luncheon and workshop for our Classified Temporary employees.

SACRAMENTO CITY COLLEGE

Kevin Williams, Classified Senate President

Nothing to report at this time.