# Academic Senates' Reports to the LRCCD Board of Trustees October 2022

### District Academic Senate (DAS) President, Alisa Shubb, Reports:

- DAS discussed online proctoring and the racism and violation of student privacy associated with use of Proctorio
- DAS approved that charter for a task group that will develop criteria and set guidelines for determining optimum class sizes focusing on instructors' ability to engage as equitable practitioners.
- DAS approved revisions to our Bylaws clarifying voting membership, member roles, and determining quorum.
- DAS is reviewing proposed changes to Dual Enrollment regulations.

For information about academic senate activities at the district, college, or state level please use the following links:

- o District Academic Senate (DAS)
- o ARC Academic Senate
- o <u>CRC Academic Senate</u>
- o FLC Academic Senate
- o SCC Academic Senate
- Academic Senate of California Community Colleges (ASCCC)

### **ARC Academic Senate President, Carina Hoffpauir, Reports:**

- ARC's accreditation site visit was successful, and we are hoping for possible commendation on how we
  include student voices in college decision making.
- We are working with departments on a process for handling full-time faculty hiring requests in accordance with LRCCD's criteria for critical needs.
- We have engaged faculty in providing feedback on ARC's 90-Day Outreach Plan.
- Three faculty coordinators have been selected to oversee the PRISE and PRIDE learning communities and the Prison Re-Entry Program (PREP). Our PREP team was awarded a \$382,500 grant from the State Chancellor's Office as part of the Rising Scholars Network Program.

## **CRC Academic Senate President, Scott Crosier, Reports:**

No report

# **FLC Academic Senate President, Eric Wada, Reports:**

- We are working on prioritizing requests for full-time faculty positions that meet the district criteria of needed for accreditation and/or for program viability.
- As the district works towards expanding dual enrollment opportunities, the faculty remain interested in
  ensuring that discussions center equitable access and importantly that the college and district are ready to
  support student persistence and success.
- Our college accreditation site visit went well, and we are thankful for the good collaboration across campus to make the accreditation process go well.
- We will be reviewing our Senate constitution and by-laws this year.

# SCC Academic Senate President, Sandra Guzmán, Reports:

- Our college has an interest in better understanding, and contributing to the review of, Long Term Temporary Employee guidelines.
- SCC looks forward to hosting our State Chancellor Gonzalez, Los Rios Trustees, and many more at our Undocumented Student Center Grand Opening on Thursday, October 20th .
- Our Senate looks forward to meeting with Chancellor King regarding the SCC White Paper in the coming weeks.
- We are working on prioritizing requests for full-time faculty positions that meet the district criteria of needed for accreditation and/or for program viability.
- Senate bylaws and constitution are under review.
- The process and timeline for Faculty Coordinator positions is in review.