

California State University, Northridge
Faculty Committee on Extended Learning
Annual Report AY 2020–2021

I. OVERVIEW

Mission

The Faculty Senate Standing Committee on Extended Learning studies the policy areas and makes recommendations affecting continuing education.

Extended Learning Committee

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<https://www.csun.edu/extended-learning-committee>

Membership

This committee shall consist of twelve members: nine members elected, one each by and from the eight other Colleges and the Library; two members elected by the Senate; and one member appointed by the President of the University.

II. MEMBERS

Faculty Senate Committee on Extended Learning 2020 -2021 Roster

Committee Member	Term	Committee Role	Department / College
Joyce Feucht-Haviar (Dean, Extended Learning; Ex-officio, non-voting member)			
Li, Bingbing	2020-21	Presidential Appointee	Manufacturing Systems Eng & Mgmt E&CS
Blakey, Elizabeth	2020-23	College Representative	Department of Journalism AMC
Ding, Yi	2020-23	College Representative	University Library
Duarte, Stephen	2020-23	College Representative	Health Sciences HHD
Eslami, Seyed Pouyan	2020-23	College Representative	Accounting & Info Sys College of Business
Garcia, Monica	2020-23	College Representative	Special Education EDUC
Guillory, Ivan	2018-21	Senate Appointee	Kinesiology
Katz, Gary	2020-23	College Representative	Psychology S&BS
Kim, Stephanie	2018-21	College Representative	Linguistics HUM
Liu, Li	2019-22	College Representative	Computer Science E&CS
Shen, Yannan	2019-22	College Representative	Mathematics S&M
Tyutina, Svetlana	2018-21	Senate Appointee Committee Chair (2020-21)	Modern & Classical Lang & Lit HUM

III. MEETINGS

2020–2021 Meeting Dates

All meetings were conducted virtually through Zoom.

Date	Day	Time	Notes
September 16, 2020	Wednesday	3:15 - 5 p.m.	Orientation
October 14, 2020	Wednesday	3:15 - 5 p.m.	
November 18, 2020	Wednesday	3:15 - 5 p.m.	
December 16, 2020	Wednesday	3:15 - 5 p.m.	Optional meeting
February 17, 2021	Wednesday	3:15 - 5 p.m.	
March 17, 2021	Wednesday	3:15 - 5 p.m.	
April 14, 2021	Wednesday	3:15 - 5 p.m.	
May 12, 2021	Wednesday	3:15 - 5 p.m.	Optional meeting

The March 17, 2021 meeting was cancelled, as there were no items submitted for discussion and the meeting date fell on the week of Spring Break. The optional December and May meetings were cancelled since there were no programs to review or other business to consider.

Dean Joyce Feucht-Haviar met with the committee chair approximately two weeks prior to every meeting to plan the agendas and discuss any updated from the Faculty Senate on items previously discussed by the committee.

Major Items of Consideration

a. Orientation to Tseng College / Overview and discussion of Tseng College components:

- Updated Tseng College Organizational Charts / Introduction of New Tseng College Staff Members
- Graduate & Professional Education and Services
- Program Development
- Distance Learning Programs
- International Programs & Partnerships
- University Access Programs
- Administration, Finance & Support Services
- Marketing & Communications
- Goals for 20/21 for Self-Support at CSUN
- COVID-19 impact

b. Items and topics considered throughout the year:

1. Policy Work

- Proposal for a new Advanced Learning Professional Development Certificate – discussion at the Graduate Studies Committee level, Fall 2020 // at the Senate level – Spring 2021 – policy passed and signed by the President.
- New program proposals – committee-level discussion: New Option in Engineering Management Master’s Degree: Data and Data Analytics with a Focus on Using Data to Lead Organizational Change and Innovation

2. Programs and Initiatives

- Impact of COVID-19 on self-supporting programs at CSUN
- International programs at CSUN during COVID-19 (Impact of COVID on international programming •All Things International Page – International Agreements Process overview •Virtual summer/semester opportunities)
- The Distinctive Approach to Program Development and Program Support at CSUN Self Support and its Impact on Student Success
- ReLay strategic planning
- Responding to the changing demands for post-degree education in rapidly changing fields Developing degrees with embedded certificates
- CSUN’s Fully Online Degree and Certificate Programs: Advantages and Distinctions (*Basic Principles of CSUN’s Approach to Crafting Online Degree and Certificate Programs * Distinguishing Features of CSUN Fully Virtual Degree and Certificate Programs * On-Time Graduation Rates and National Test Outcomes document)
- Badging system

c. Internal:

- Approval of the committee member semester leaves
- Election of Stephanie Kim as Chair Pro Tempore for Fall 2020
- Approval of the updated quorum policy
- Election of Yi Ding as the Committee Chair for 2021-2022

Respectfully submitted,
Svetlana V. Tyutina, Chair

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