

California State University, Northridge
Faculty Senate Standing Committee on Extended Learning
Annual Report, August 2022 – June 2023
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Mission

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

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Membership

This committee shall consist of twelve members: nine members elected, one each by and from the eight Colleges and the Library; two members elected by the Senate; and one member appointed by the President of the University. (Revised 8/24/2021.)

Faculty Senate Committee on Extended Learning
 2021 - 2022 Roster

Member	Term	Dept./College	Phone	Mail	Office	Email
Blakey, Elizabeth	2020-23	Journalism / MCCAMC	3155	8311	MZ 324	Elizabeth.blakey
Ding, Yi	2020-23	University Library	3916	8327	OV 327	Yi.ding
Duarte, Stephen	2020-23	Health Sciences / HHD	5254	8285	JD 3350	Stephen.duarte
Eslami, Seyed Pouyan	2020-23	Acctg & Inf Sys / Bus & Econ	2461	8372	--	Seyed.eslami
Garcia, Monica	2020-23	Secondary Educ / COE	4999	8265	ED 2130	Monica.g.garcia
Katz, Gary	2021-24	Psychology / S&B	2964	8255	ST 326	Gary.katz
Nandikolla, Vidya	2022-25	Mech Eng / E&CS	2187	8295	--	Vidya.nandikolla
Watson, Tim	2021-24	Mod. Class. Lang. Lit. / HUM	5797	8247	ST 420	Tim.watson
-- VACANT --	--	College of Sci. Math - waived	--	--	--	--
<i>Senate Elected</i>						
Choudhary, Debi Prasad	2021-24	Physics & Astron. / S&M	7113	8268	EH 2108	Debiprasad.choudhary
Eng-Ziskin, Susanna	2021-24	University Library	4679	8327	UL 102D	Susanna.eng
<i>Presidential Appointee</i>						
Semmani-Azad, Zhaleh	2022-23	Management / Bus & Econ	2457	8346	--	Zhaleh.semmani

Meetings

2022 - 2023 Meeting Dates:

Sept. 21, 2022; Oct. 19, 2022; Feb. 15, 2023; March 15, 2023
and April 19, 2023.

All meeting agendas and minutes are on file with the Faculty Senate. All meetings were held via Zoom on Wednesday afternoons starting at 3:15 p.m.

Dean Joyce Feucht-Haviar met with the committee chair, Elizabeth Blakey (Journalism) on Wednesdays, two weeks prior to every meeting, to plan the agendas. The November meeting was cancelled, and the optional December meeting and the optional May meeting were cancelled as there were no programs to review or other business to consider.

New roster for 2022-2023, election of chair

In April and May 2023, elections results were received and the new roster for 2022-2023 was compiled. The College of Education and College of Science and Math waived their membership on the committee by not completing the nomination and election a member for their respective colleges. COE notified the Committee of the same. The Faculty Senate office was consulted on the waiver of COE, and it was determined to be acceptable under the rules. In light thereof, the CSM waiver was also accepted.

In May 2023, the election of the new chair was administered by Ms. Pemberton Hanna via email and electronic survey. Nominations were solicited, and members of the new roster for 2023-2024 voted anonymously. On May 16, 2023, Prof. Elizabeth Blakey, J.D., Ph.D., was re-elected by the members to serve as committee chair for another year.

Major topics considered:

1. Transition of CSUN's summer session to state-side funding and management
2. Open university and new access program for former CSUN students ("ASAP")
3. Partnership with American University of Bahrain
4. Entertainment Industry Management Program ("EIM")

Items and topics considered throughout the year:

1. Self-support as a purpose- and value-driven capacity of CSUN
2. Program development and programs planned to launch
3. Program enrollment and management, continuum of care
4. Program marketing
5. Policy of certificates as approved in 2021
6. ChatGPT and artificial intelligence, implications for higher education
7. International programs and MOU agreement types, friendship agreements

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Elizabeth Blakey

Chair, Faculty Senate Committee on Extended Learning, 2022-2023