Academic Senate Goals for 2017-18

These goals were first generated during the AS Planning Session on August 9 and then clarified at the AS Council meeting on August 15. We note that 80% of our time will be spent on the usual tasks of AP/BP’s, initiatives and plans, faculty prioritization, and the like. We would like to select a few goals on which to focus for the 20% of our time that we hope we can dedicate to other tasks of our choosing.

To prioritize these goals please choose THREE of the following for the Academic Senate to focus on this coming year. (All ten goals will be included within the AS goals for 2017-18.)

1. Maximize support of part-time faculty

The AS acknowledges that pay and work conditions are the purview of AFT but it would like to maximize its support within its academic and professional purview

1. Increase faculty awareness of and participation in the Academic Senate
2. Promote ASCCC plenaries and institutes within AS Council and send more of its members

(funding required for the second part)

1. Strengthen participatory governance processes for grant and categorical funding
2. Ensure faculty leadership in the college’s Guided Pathways exploration
3. Ensure the needs of Moorpark College are fully represented during the 2018-19 Allocation Model discussions
4. Support increased enrichment experiences for students on and off campus
5. Monitor the new administrative organization and work to strengthen Moorpark’s philosophy of integrating academic and student services
6. Reconsider the membership of the AS Council and its standing committees in consideration of division and department reorganizations
7. Consider and work towards new methods to increase FTES at Moorpark College