Agenda for the General Session
Thursday, May 21, 2015
12:30 PM
Faculty and Staff Center
855 N. Vermont Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90029

I. Call to Order

II. Adoption of the Agenda (1 minute) – J. Freitas

III. Approval of the Minutes of Previous Meetings (5 minutes) – J. Freitas
   a. Minutes of the May 7, 2015 meeting

IV. Public Comments – 5 minutes per speaker

V. Consent Calendar (5 minutes)
   a. Authorize Executive Committee to Act on Behalf of the Academic Senate During Summer
   b. Curriculum Approvals
      i. Title 5 Course updates – see spreadsheet
      ii. New Courses
         1. New courses – ASL 025 Conversational American Sign Language ECD # 30669
         2. FRENCH 022 Fundamentals of French II ECD # 43583
         3. KIN 237 Boot Camp I ECD # 39075
         4. KIN MAJ 134 Advanced Lifesaving ECD # 40030
         5. BASIC SKILLS 083CE GED Preparation: Literature and the Arts
         6. BASIC SKILLS 084CE GED Preparation: Mathematics
         7. BASIC SKILLS 085CE GED Preparation: Science
         8. BASIC SKILLS 086CE 35 Basic Math Skills
      iii. New programs
         1. AS-T in Chemistry
         2. Skills Certificate - Patient Care (Radiologic Technology)
      iv. Advanced course status – none
      v. Course archives – see spreadsheet
      vi. Course reinstatements – see spreadsheet
      vii. Course changes – see spreadsheet
      viii. Combined course requests – none
      ix. Certificate/Program changes – see spreadsheet
      x. Honors addenda – none
      xi. Distance education addenda – see spreadsheet
      xii. Student learning outcomes – see spreadsheet

VI. Action Items

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c. Resolution 14-S15: Support Approval of the Revised LACCD Course Curriculum Approval Procedures in Administrative Regulation E-65 – A. Pavlik

VII. Notice/Discussion Items (Immediately following Action Items)

a. Art/Architecture and Media Arts Departments Merger Viability Study Report – D. Ruiz


c. LACC Integrated Planning Handbook – D. Wanner

d. Resolution on Reviewing and Recommending the Adoption of a Plagiarism Prevention Program – H. Manos

e. Staff and Organizational Development Coordinator Job Announcement – J. Freitas

f. College Council Operating Agreement – J. Freitas

VIII. Guests/Special Presentations – Time Certain 1:30

a. Bond Construction Projects: Response to Senate/AFT Resolution 04-S15, Building Delivery Methods – President Renee Martinez, Mr. John Dacey, Attorney for Build LACCD

IX. Special Reports (10 minutes)

a. Accreditation Report – D. Wanner


c. AFT Report – S. Hendricks

X. Associated Student Government (5 minutes) – D. Allsop

XI. Senate Standing Committee Reports (25 minutes)

a. Educational Policies and Program Integrity – D. Ruiz

i. Student Learning Outcomes

ii. Distance Education

iii. Program Review and Effectiveness

iv. Hiring Prioritization Committee

b. Department Chairs Caucus – B. Vasquez

c. Professional Development – C. Park

i. Book Program – A. Maeck

d. District Academic Senate – J. Freitas/A. Pavlik

i. LACC resolution on return of bond reserves adopted by DAS

ii. LACC amendments to requisite policy adopted by DAS

iii. DAS Election Results: President – Don Gauthier (Valley); 1st VP – Angela Echeverri (Mission); 2nd VP – Elizabeth Atondo (Pierce); Secretary – John Freitas (City); Treasurer – Alex Immerblum (East)

e. Constitution and Bylaws – K. Gray

f. Academic Rank – H. Plotquin

g. Elections – B. Vasquez

h. Fellowship – K. Miller

i. Next department for senate lunch – Foreign Languages...thank you English/ESL!

XII. Officers Reports (15 minutes)

a. President’s Report – J. Freitas

i. Executive Committee – J. Freitas

b. Vice President’s Report – A. Pavlik

i. Curriculum Committee

c. Treasurer’s Report – J. Bhakta

XIII. College Council and Special Committee Reports (25 minutes)

a. College Council – J. Freitas

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XIV. Announcements (5 minutes)

a. Open Forum for the Viability Study of the Merger of the Art/Architecture and Media Arts Departments, Thursday, May 28, TBA
b. Graduation – Tuesday, June 9, 5:00 at the Greek Theatre. Faculty reception at 3:00
c. ASCCC Faculty Leadership Institute, June 11-13, San Jose Marriott
d. ASCCC Curriculum Institute, July 9-11, Doubletree Anaheim-Orange County

Find out what's going on at LACC through “This Week at City” at http://lacitycollege.edu/calendar/ThisWeek.html
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XV. Adjournment – Next meeting is Thursday, June 4, 12:30.