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Senate Elections

Solicitation for nominations for Senate committees went out last night. All nominations should be returned to me by Friday, April 21.

Added Ombudsman, Auxiliary Enterprises Corp, and LC Association for Campus Activities to the request this year.

People should feel free to nominate themselves; Do not have to be a Senator to serve on a Senate committee

Governance Committee will use the nominations received to compile a slate of nominees to present to Senate meeting on May 3.

Nominations for Fulltime Faculty, Part-time Faculty, and Administrative Senators-at-Large have closed and are being tabulated. Only one person reported a problem with the electronic ballot. Thanks to John Dono and IT for their assistance. Final election will be conducted electronically in late April or early May.

Faculty Governance Leaders Meeting, March 31

Chancellor responded to questions about the state budget and efficiency report.

Changes in Math requirement for non-STEM majors were discussed; senior colleges will be affected more than they realize, since all colleges need to develop non-algebra alternative for Pathways by fall.

Lehman and Vice Provost Becker – were praised for our progress in developing Experiential Learning courses

There was discussion of online courses, including such issues as observations and evaluations, and how such courses can be made accessible to visually impaired and other students with disabilities.

Lehman near top in percentage of courses and programs offered online, and in help for faculty teaching online courses.

UFS Conference on Shared Governance -- Friday, April 28 at John Jay
Chancellor Millikan and Board Chairman Thompson active participants
Flyer circulated last night; faculty and administrators welcome; preregistration required.

Next meeting of Governance Committee: Thursday, April 6 at 9:00 in CA 201.