

ACADEMIC SENATE AGENDA

April 23, 2025 | 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm | Room 21147 + Zoom for visitors

Agenda Item - Zoom information at end of agenda

LPC Mission Statement

Las Positas College is an inclusive, learningcentered, equity-focused environment that offers educational opportunities and support for completion of students' transfer, degree, and career-technical goals while promoting lifelong learning.

LPC Planning Priorities

- Establish a knowledge base and an appreciation for equity; create a sense of urgency about moving toward equity; institutionalize equity in decision-making, assessment, and accountability; and build capacity to resolve inequities.
- Increase student success and completion through change in college practices and processes: coordinating needed academic support, removing barriers, and supporting focused professional development across the campus.
- Establish a knowledge base and appreciation for health and wellness in the workplace; create a sense of urgency about wellness; prioritize wellness in decision-making, assessment and accountability; and build capacity to support wellness.

Academic Senate

Quorum: 7

Non-Voting Members:

President: Ashley McHale

Student Government: Sophia Sucato Faculty Association: Heike Gecox

Voting Members:

Secretary: Collin Thormoto
Treasurer: Catherine Suarez
BSSL: Robin Roy, Collin Thormoto
A&H: John Kelly, Catherine Suarez
STEM: Anita Bhatia, David Montelongo,

Jennifer Siders PATH: vacant

Student Services: Ryan Eckles, Julie

Nguyen

Part Time Representatives: Valerie

Connors, Jeff Judd

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Review and Approval of Agenda
- 3. Review and Approval of Minutes (March 26, 2025)
- **4. Public Comments (3 minutes):** This time is reserved for members of the public to address the Academic Senate. Please limit comments to 3 minutes. In accordance with the Brown Act, the Academic Senate cannot act on items not already on the agenda.

5. Consent Items

- 5.1 Viticulture and Winery Faculty Hiring Committee: Craig Kutil
- 5.2 Curriculum approvals: 3.3.25, 3.17.25, 3.31.25 (see attachment)
- 6. Action Items

7. Reports (5 minutes each)

- 7.1 LPC Student Government (Sophia Sucato)
- 7.2 CTE (Melissa Korber)
- 7.3 SLO (John Rosen)
- 7.4 Program Review (Karin Spirn)
- 7.5 CEMC/DEMC (Ashley McHale)
- 7.6 Faculty Association (Heike Gecox)
- 7.7 District Technology (Jeff Judd)
- 7.8 Professional Development (David Powers)
- 7.9 Guided Pathways (Nadiyah Taylor & Jill Carbone)
- 7.10 UndocuAlly (David Montelongo)
- 7.11 Global Engagement Task Force (Katie Eagan)
- 7.12 A.I. Honesty (Catherine Suarez)
- 7.13 Treasurer (Catherine Suarez)
- 7.14 President (Ashley McHale)
- 7.15 Divisions
 - BSSL (Robin Roy, Collin Thormoto)
 - A&H (John Kelly, Catherine Suarez)
 - STEM (Anita Bhatia, David Montelongo, Jennifer Siders)
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- 8. Wellness Break (5 minutes)

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9. Old Business

9.1 Classified Appreciation Event: May 14, 2025

10. New Business

- 10.1 CLPCCD Zero Waste Initiative Implementation Project
- 10.2 Academic Senate Executive Elections & Constitution/Bylaws Ratification
- 10.3 Final Exams under a Compressed Calendar

11. Good of the Order/Announcements

12. Adjournment

13. Next Regular Meeting: May 14, 2025

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