



In accordance with California's Code of Regulations, Title 5, ARC's Academic Senate is the organization whose primary function, as the representative of the faculty, is to make recommendations to the administration of a college and to the governing board of a district with respect to academic and professional matters.

"Academic and professional matters" means the following policy development and implementation matters:

- (1) Curriculum, including establishing prerequisites and placing courses within disciplines;*
- (2) degree and certificate requirements;*
- (3) grading policies;*
- (4) educational program development;*
- (5) standards or policies regarding student preparation and success;*
- (6) district and college governance structures, as related to faculty roles;*
- (7) faculty roles and involvement in accreditation processes, including self-study and annual reports;*
- (8) policies for faculty professional development activities;*
- (9) processes for program review;*
- (10) processes for institutional planning and budget development; and*
- (11) other academic and professional matters as are mutually agreed upon between the governing board and the academic senate.*

8/27/2026

3:00 P.M., Student Center Board Room

Meeting ID: 836 2610 4920

[Zoom link](#)

ARC Academic Senate Regular Meeting AGENDA

Preliminaries

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of the Agenda
3. Approval of the [Minutes](#)
4. Introduction of Guests
5. Public Comment Period (3 minutes per speaker)
6. President's Report

Consent Items

7. Approval of [Remote Attendees](#)
8. Draft [F26/F27 Program Review Chair Job Description](#)
9. Draft [F26-S28 Science Success Center Faculty Coordinator Job Description](#)
10. Unite Center Faculty Coordinator Positions:
 - a. F26/S28 [El Centro](#)
 - b. S27/F28 [Pride Learning Community Faculty Coordinator](#)

Decision Items (5-10 minutes maximum per item)

- None

Reports (5-10 minutes per item)

11. Davies Hall Site Plan Security Assessment - (Administrative of Justice Professor, Bill Wann)
 - a. Report in [PDF](#) and [Google Doc](#) format
12. Council Updates
 - a. Institutional Effectiveness Council - (Dr. Connie Ayala)
 - b. Operations Council (Sarah Lehman)
 - c. Student Success Council - (Caitlin Zumalt)

Discussion (10-15 minutes per item)

13. Updates Hiring Manual Task Group - (Vivian Dillon and Veronica Lopez)
14. Academic Senate Survey Results
15. Report Back (Feedback from College Areas)
 - a. Open Issues from any Previous Agenda Item
16. Report Out (Information from District Meetings and Other Areas)
 - a. District Academic Senate and District Meetings
 - b. Other areas
17. Items from College Areas for Academic Senate Consideration

Upcoming Meetings:

- District Academic Senate Meeting, Sept. 2nd, 3-5 pm, District Office Conference Room
- Board of Trustees Meeting, Sept. 9th, 3-5 pm, District Office Board Room
- ARC Academic Senate Meeting, Sept. 10th, 3-5 pm, ARC Student Center Board Room

