



FACULTY SENATE

VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY

Faculty Senate

Meeting Minutes

January 16, 2025, 3:30pm

Recording:

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Dr. Susan Boddie

Date: January 16, 2025	2025
Faculty Senate Attendance: Please initial to the right of your name. If you are a proxy for someone, please write proxy to the right of the Senator's name.	
Example: John Doe	JD
Example: Jane Doe	Proxy JD
College of the Arts	Initials
Kyoung-Im Park	Kyoung-Im Park
Joshua Pifer	JP
Hank Rion	HR
Joseph Mason	JM
Christen Dillon	CD
Chalise Ludlow	
Selena Nawrocki	SN
Susan Boddie	SB
CHIA-LING HO	CH
College of Business Administration	Initials
Luis Gonzalez	LG
Nathan Moates	NM
Taewon Hwang	TH
Lynn Crump	
Mary Beth Rousseau	MBR
Byeonghwa Park	BP
College of Education and Human Services	Initials
JT Cox	JT
Laverne Hill	LH
Kathy Nobles	KN
Changwoo Yang	CY
Karen Terry	
Jennifer Lambert-Shute	JLS
Taralynn Hartsell	TH
Jiyeon Jung	
Jienn You	JY
Mike Bochenko	MB

Cristina Calestani	Cristina Calestani
Odum Library	Initials
Jessica Lee	JL
Samantha Paul	SP
Retirees Association Representative (non-voting)	Initials
David Boyd	DB
Council on Student Affairs (non-voting)	Initials
Quinncy Thomas (COSA President)	QT
Megan Hancock (COSA Executive Committee Chair)	
Student Senators (non-voting)	Initials
William Burnett	
Visitors (non-voting) Please print your name	Initials
April Strevig	AS
Katrina McPhee	KM
Aleahna Chaine	AC
Shen Garrett	SG
Sheri Maxwell	SM
Michael Blake	
Leanne Salway	LS
CHALING HO	CH
Lynette Hepburn-Richardson	LHR
Alexus Garrett	AG
Darius Anthony	DA
Tayse Mastro	TM
Megan Mitchell	MM

Jodi Cronin	<i>Jodi Cronin</i>
Xiaoai Ren	<i>Xiaoai Ren</i>
Yunseon Choi	<i>Yunseon Choi</i>
Forrest Parker	
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	Initials
AJ Ramirez	<i>AR</i>
Ellis Logan	<i>Proxy SAB</i>
Meagan Wood Hopkins	
John Dunn	
Nandan Jha	<i>Nandan Jha</i>
Kelly Davidson	<i>KD</i>
Ryan Wander	<i>Ryan Wander</i>
Brandon Atkins	
Kristin Kirchner	<i>KK</i>
Liz Heath	
Shelly Yankovskyy	<i>S.Y.</i>
Zachary Karazsia	
Sebastian Bartos	<i>Sebastian Bartos</i>
Haley Sherman	<i>HS</i>
College of Nursing and Health Sciences	Initials
Mallory Lane	<i>Proxy SAB</i>
Knicole Lee	
Alene Dasher	
Lois Bellflowers	<i>Lois A. Bellflowers</i>
College of Science and Mathematics	Initials
Shantanu Chakraborty	<i>S.C.</i>
Tolulope Salami	<i>Tolulope Salami</i>
Don Thieme	<i>Don Thieme</i>
Krishnapriya Kottakkai	
Tom Manning	
Ahana Roy Choudhury	<i>Ahana Roy Choudhury</i>
Mitch Lockhart	<i>Mitch Lockhart</i>
Chunlei Liu	
Shaun Ault	<i>Shaun Ault</i>

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Susan Boddie		Brandon Atkins	
		Kristin Kirchner	
College of Business Admin.	Proxy Name (print)	Liz Heath	Jessica Lee
Luis Gonzalez		Shelly Yankovskyy	
Nathan Moates		Zachary Karazsia	Chris Dillon
Taewon Hwang		Sebastian Bartos	
Lynn Crump		Haley Sherman	
Mary Beth Rousseau	Nathan Moates		
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		Mallory Lane	Lois Bellflowers
College of Ed. & Human Serv.	Proxy Name (print)	Knicoe Lee	
JT Cox		Alene Dasher	
Laverne Hill		Lois Bellflowers	
Kathy Nobles			
Changwoo Yang		College of Sci. & Math.	Proxy Name (print)
Karen Terry		Shantanu Chakraborty	
Jennifer Lambert-Shute		Tolulope Salami	
Taralynn Hartsell		Don Thieme	
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Jienn You		Tom Manning	Tolu Salami
Mike Bochenko	Mike Bochenko	Ahana Roy Choudhury	
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		Samantha Paul	

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Agenda:



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Items in **bold print** are items that require action by the Faculty Senate. Other items are for information only.

- 1) Call to Order – Forrest Parker
- 2) Declaration of proxies obtained prior to the meeting and request of proxies for those not given from Senators in attendance – Karen Terry

- a) Please send an email to Karen Terry (katerry@valdosta.edu) regarding proxies a minimum of one (1) week prior to the scheduled Faculty Senate meeting or as soon as possible if an unexpected absence needs to occur.

3) Approval of the minutes of the November 21, 2024, meeting of the Faculty Senate.

- a) See link here for minutes for all Faculty Senate meetings: <https://www.valdosta.edu/senate>

4) President's Report – Forrest Parker

- a) Committee chairs: Please send annual reports to Forrest Parker (fparker@valdosta.edu)

5) Updates from the Office of the President and Academic Affairs- Dr. Richard Carvajal and Dr. Sheri Noviello

6) Permanent Committee Reports

- a) Academic Committee (fs-stat-ac@valdosta.edu) – Sheri Gravett; Find agendas and minutes here: <https://www.valdosta.edu/academics/registrar/academic-committee.php>
- b) Committee on Committees (fs-stat-coco@valdosta.edu) – Samantha Paul
- c) Faculty Affairs (fs-stat-fa@valdosta.edu) – Tolulope Salami
 - i) Administrative Review Tool - Update
- d) Faculty Grievance Committee (fs-stat-fgc@valdosta.edu) – John Dunn

7) Standing Committee Reports

- a) Academic Honors & Scholarships (fs-stand-ahs@valdosta.edu) – Ellis Logan
 - i) President's List Proposal - Update
- b) Academic Scheduling & Procedures (fs-stand-asp@valdosta.edu) – Taralynn Hartsell
- c) Athletic Committee (fs-stand-ac@valdosta.edu) – Kathy Nobles
- d) Diversity and Equity Committee (fs-stand-dec@valdosta.edu) – Ryan Wander

- e) Educational Policies (fs-stand-ep@valdosta.edu) – Zachary Karazsia
- f) Environmental Issues (fs-stand-ei@valdosta.edu) – Don Thieme & Chia-ling Lynn Ho
- g) Faculty Scholarship (fs-stand-fs@valdosta.edu) – Jennifer Lambert- Shute
- h) Internationalization and Globalization (fs-stand-igc@valdosta.edu) – Jiyeon Jung
- i) Library Affairs (fs-stand-la@valdosta.edu) – Meagan Wood Hopkins
- j) Student Affairs (fs-stand-sa@valdosta.edu) – Susan Boddie
- k) Technology Committee (fs-stand-tc@valdosta.edu) – Mallory Lane

8) Unfinished Business

- a) Administrative Review Tool
 - i) Report given by Faculty Affairs Committee
- b) President’s List Proposal
 - i) Remanded to the Academic Honors and Scholarship Committee

9) New Business

10) General Discussion

11) Adjournment

Reports and agenda items due to president (fparker@valdosta.edu): January 30

At the request of the Faculty Senate Executive Committee (fsec@valdosta.edu) any actions sent to the president (fparker@valdosta.edu) for possible inclusion in the Senate agenda should be accompanied by a written document with the rationale and purpose of the decision. The Executive Committee requests that these documents be submitted via email attached as Word documents.

Proxies sent to secretary (katerry@valdosta.edu): February 13th

Next Faculty Senate meeting: February 20th, 3:30 p.m.

Attachments

- A. Faculty Senate Calendar 2024-2025
- B. Faculty Senate Minutes 11-20-2024