## University Senate Chair Report March 28, 2023

Congrats to former Senate Chair Mary Virnoche. She was a finalist for the Faculty Trustee of the CSU. Though she was not one of the two names forwarded to the Governor (Romey Sabalius, the current Faculty Trustee, and Darlene Yee-Melichar, from SFSU were chosen), she represented Humboldt very well during her interview with the ASCSU.

## Systemwide Updates

As mentioned in previous reports, the Intersegmental Committee of the Academic Senates (ICAS) has adopted the proposed Cal-GETC transfer curriculum. ICAS is now working through implementation details. There has been much confusion on how this affects our GE curriculum. To be blunt, it doesn't.

- The law, AB928, speaks only to transfer curriculum. It is silent on the curriculum for non-transfer students.
- The approval of Cal-GETC is completely separate from changes to CSU GE Breadth

There will be discussions between the ASCSU and the Chancellor's Office about whether Cal-GETC should usurp CSU GE. The Chancellor's Office has indicated that there should only be one lower division GE pattern for both transfer and non-transfer students. However, such a change is not inevitable. ASCSU resolution AS-3615-23/AA, *On separation of Cal-GETC and CSU GE Breadth,* opposes it. This resolution is in first reading and if you have strong feelings about this resolution or any of the other first read ASCU resolutions (see Stephanie's ASCSU report), please email Stephanie Burkhalter or me.

The ASCSU has asked through a formal <u>resolution</u> for additional input from the campuses on the CSU 2030 Project. The purpose of this project is to attempt to envision the future of the CSU, the challenges it may bring and to engage policy makers in conversations about possible ways in which those challenges might be met. Feedback can be provided directly through the <u>ASCSU "CSU 2030" Feedback Portal</u>, or shared with me as the CSU senate chairs have also been tasked with providing input.

## Campuswide Updates:

Provost Capps (acting as President Jackson's designee) approved Resolution 22-22/23-FAC - Resolution on the Individualized Degree Program.

Both Sense of the Senate Resolutions to support MMIP were submitted to the appropriate legislative portals as well as distributed to their intended recipients.

As always, let me know if you have questions or concerns. Thanks, Monty