FACULTY LEGISLATURE MINUTES  
January 10, 2019

The Faculty Legislature of the Santa Barbara Division met in Library Conference Room 1575 at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 10, 2019, with Chair Henning Bohn presiding. The meeting was attended by 40 voting members, 9 ex officio members, and other interested parties.

Announcements by the Chancellor (from the slides presented)
Thank you to Senate Chair Henning Bohn and to all of our faculty colleagues for your commitment to shared governance. We are excited for winter quarter!

Student Updates
Fall 2019 Applications
• 93,342 first-year applicants
  o Average GPA: 3.95 (50% have 4.0 or higher)
  o California residents: 66,038 (71%)
  o Domestic nonresidents: 10,628 (11%)
  o International nonresidents: 16,676 (18%)
  o Underrepresented minorities: 26,831 (29%)
  o First-generation: 30,435 (33%)
• 18,367 transfer applicants (17,897 last year)

Fall Freshmen Applications at a Glance: 2009-2019

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Top 10 Best Colleges for Transfer Students
Money magazine names UC Santa Barbara among the Top 10 Best Colleges for Transfer Students, based on a combination of the 4-year and 6-year graduation rate, as well as the share of transfer students

2019 Regional Receptions
San Jose February 24
Washington, D.C. March 9
New York City March 10
Orange County March 16
Los Angeles March 17

2019 Spring Insight
Campus-wide open house welcoming admitted students, prospective students, and their families will take place on Saturday, April 13

Campus Updates and Highlights
Las Varas Ranch
In December we announced the acquisition of Las Varas Ranch, a 1,800-acre agricultural property located six miles west of our campus.

This land was gifted to our campus through the tremendous generosity and unique vision of philanthropist Charles T. Munger, who is interested in the long-term benefit of our campus. We are most grateful to him for blessing our campus with a gift that will benefit our campus for generations to come.

For a long time, UC Santa Barbara will maintain the property in its current state as a working ranch.
Ocean Road Housing Project
The Ocean Road project, approved as part of our Long-Range Development Plan, will ultimately provide up to 540 units – some for rent, some for sale – for campus staff and faculty. The 16-acre parcel extends from El Colegio Road to the coastline.

New Classroom Building Project
UC Regents in November approved the preliminary plans for our new classroom building

National Book Award
Professor Jeffrey Stewart’s biography of Alain Locke receives the 2018 National Book Award for nonfiction

American Book Award
Robert and Liisa Erickson Presidential Chair in English Ben Olguin wins American Book Award for “Altermundos: Latin @ Speculative Literature, Film and Popular Culture,” anthology of Lation speculative fiction

National Academy of Inventors
Dean Rod Alferness is named to the National Academy of Inventors

Linguistic Society of America
Professor of Linguistics Marianne Mithun, acclaimed for her work with Native Americans, is elected to serve as the 95th President of the Linguistic Society of America

Fellows of the American Association for the Advancement of Science
Craig Carlson
Ram Seshadri
Bruce Luyendyk
Oran Young
Trevor Hayton

Fellows of the American Mathematical Society
Professor Hectoe Ceniceros
Professor Zhenghan Wang

Army Research Office Young Investigator Award
Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering Bolin Liao receives Army Research Office Young Investigator Award

National Science Foundation CAREER Award
Assistant Professor of Materials Christopher Bates receives NSF CAREER Award

All Gaucho Reunion
Save the Date April 25-28, 2019
2019-20 Governor’s Proposed State Budget
- 7% increase of $240 million in ongoing State General Fund
- $10 million ongoing funds to permanently support enrollment of 1,000 additional resident students previously supported by one-time funds
- $138 million one-time funds for deferred maintenance
- $15 million one-time funds to support expanded degree completions and certification programs at UC extension centers
- “These investments are provided with the expectation that tuition will remain flat, access will be increased, and time to degree will improve”

Isla Vista Update
2018 Halloween Concert with Young Thug
“The largest crowd gathering was on Saturday night outside the Thunderdome where students lined up to attend a UCSB student-only concert.” – KEYT

Halloween 2018

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Information from the Sheriff’s Office and UCSB Police Department

Thank you!

Announcements by the Chair
Chair Bohn reported on the items that are currently under consideration by the Academic Council, including the ongoing Elsevier negotiations. It was expected that there would be continued access through January at no cost, but faculty were advised that it was not likely that there would be a successful outcome anytime soon. The Library will assist with the provision of article content in various ways.

Academic Council continues to discuss the criteria for implementation of the systemwide Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG). There is some concern about the impact that UCSB will experience, particularly given that UCLA, UCB, and UCSD do not have local TAGs. It is anticipated that a large number of students may apply, but without the intention of actually enrolling at UCSB, which will make it more difficult to project enrollment yield. Proposed criteria will be disseminated for systemwide review. A task force has been formed to explore standardized testing within the admissions process.
The report of the Task Force on Universitywide Policing is currently under review. There is a possibility that each of the campuses will be asked to form an advisory board to assess policing practices and make recommendations to the Administration. Further revision of Bylaw 336 is also being reviewed by the campuses.

Consent Calendar

Minutes of the October 25, 2018 meeting

**Motion:** To approve the minutes of the October 25, 2018 meeting

The motion was seconded, and approved by unanimous voice vote.

**Action Item: Committee on Diversity & Equity, Faculty Diversity Award**

The Committee on Diversity and Equity proposed the establishment of an Academic Senate sponsored Faculty Diversity Award.

**Motion:** To establish a Faculty Diversity Award to be overseen and administered by the Committee on Diversity and Equity

The award was established via voice vote

The motion was seconded and carried by majority voice vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 p.m.