

UNIVERSITY SENATE TERM 2020-21 PREVIEW

ACTIONS TAKEN SINCE JULY 1ST

- Transition to new Senate President and Secretary
- Meeting of the Senate Ad-hoc Committee on COVID-19 Preparedness
- Membership on University Flex Teams preparing for Fall Return to Campus
- Formation of new Senate standing Committee on Promoting and Facilitating Equity and Understanding

UPCOMING BUSINESS

- New Graduate Certificate Programs in the College of Engineering
- Policy Updates on Chair Review/Renewal Procedures
- Digital Badging Program
- Selection of Senate Members for the Benefits Advisory Committee

OBJECTIVES FOR SENATE TERM 2020-21

- Continued responsiveness to the changing circumstances of the ongoing pandemic
- Proactively creating initiatives, policies, and procedures that further University strategic goals to build a strong, resilient campus community
- Forward thinking with an emphasis on strategic planning and an action plan
- Increase constituent buy-in and participation with the mission of the Senate through improved communication
- Increase dialogue and coordination with other campus bodies