



Faculty Senate

Faculty Senate Executive Committee (FSEC) Meeting

03 March 2026

9:00am, 135J Thomas Boyd Hall

Draft Minutes of the Meeting

Attendance

Present: Daniel Tirone (President), Parampreet Singh (Vice-President), Michelle Osborn (Secretary), Kyla Kazuschyk (Member-at-Large), Ken Lopata (Member-at-Large), Kristen Healy (Member-at-Large)

Absent: Inessa Bazayev (Past-President)

A regular meeting of the Faculty Senate Executive Committee convened at 9:01 am on March 03, 2026, in room 135J of Thomas Boyd Hall at the LSU campus, with the President being the Chair and the Secretary being present. There were no public comments. Minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as distributed.

President's Updates

1. Last week's meeting with Tirone, Singh, Osborn and the Chancellor was cancelled.
2. The Teaching at Scale panel put on by OAA, FS, and the Board of Regents) went very well and had a good turnout. A recording of the event is available on the FS website.
3. The CPHE evidentiary guidance is posted online and open to feedback. Comments are encouraged. For anyone who would like to remain anonymous, Tirone and Phil Auter (ULL FS) are putting together combined feedback that will not be attributed to any one individual.
4. Tirone and Singh received an email from Rebecca Burdette in CxC about meetings this week. This information will be distributed to Senators via email.
5. Tirone reported that the ACT proposal was passed at the Board of Supervisors meeting: scores will be required for students having a GPA less than 3.5 in Summer 2027 and all students by Summer 2028. There is no floor for admission, but the scores will simply be another piece of data to help place students in appropriate courses (e.g., math).
6. Tirone will be meeting with Jason French, LSU Chief of Staff, to discuss the new reporting structure regarding governmental relations.

Unfinished Business

1. The first item of unfinished business was **Nominating Committee**. Tirone will send out a reminder email. A slate of candidates needs to be introduced at the March FS meeting; individuals can still be nominated after, including on the floor at the March or April FS meetings.
2. The next item of unfinished business was **Committee and Board Appointments**. There have been no more appointments to the PS104 boards. The registrar is leaving and LSU will be initiating search; there is a need for a faculty member to serve on the search committee.

Osborn made a motion to approve Singh for this search committee. The motion was approved. FSEC discussed the needs for the course evaluation committee, potential faculty members, and the need to contact schools and departments to ask for recommendations.

3. The next item of unfinished business was **Attendance & FS GAI Surveys**. Tirone met with Kerri Tobin who was not opposed to appending the GAI survey to the attendance survey. The goal is to make the surveys available in late March or early April. Tirone has contacted OAA and the Academic Affairs Committee of the Student Government for help with distribution.

New Business

1. The first item of new business was **ASH Proposals**. FSEC discussed two proposals that were approved by ASH. After a report of the ASH committee's discussion, Healy made a motion to approve the proposal from the Integrative Community Studies program. The motion was unanimously approved. At their next meeting with OAA, Tirone and Singh will enquire about changes to policy that may direct discussion about the proposal about Latin honors. Singh made a motion to take the Latin Honors proposal up at next meeting. The motion was unanimously approved.
2. The next item of new business was **ILC Appeals Form**. After some discussion, Lopata made a motion to approve the form with amendments as discussed. The motion was unanimously approved.
3. The next item of new business was **National Transfer Student Planning Week**. Faculty participation was requested. Kazuschyk was appointed by unanimous consent.

Osborn made a motion to adjourn at 10:11 am. The motion was unanimously approved.

Respectfully Submitted,
Michelle Osborn, Secretary