

To:	Dana Nakano, Speaker of the Faculty
From:	Mirta Maldonado, Chair, Committee on Committees, 2021-2022
Date:	May 12, 2022
RE:	Annual Report of the Committee on Committees, 2021-2022

First, I would like to give my thanks and appreciation to the members of the 2021-2022 Committee on Committees. These members include:

Mirta Maldonado, Chair, CAHSS Daniel Soodjinda, COEKSW Tyler Schafer, CAHSS Jessica De Silva, COS Sijing Zong, CBA Dana Nakano, Speaker Koni Stone, Speaker-elect

I am very grateful for all of their hard work and service towards the goal of faculty representation on various campus committees, thereby continuing with the principles of shared governance. Additionally, I would like to thank Ms. Minerva Perez for all of her work, assistance, and support for the Committee. She has done an invaluable job of keeping us on track, organized, and informed and also contacting faculty, staff, and administrators as needed. She has made it possible for me to do my job as the Committee Chair and for that I am most grateful. The Committee would also like to acknowledge that the campus senior administration has made an outstanding effort to work with this Committee in the spirit of shared governance. We have worked well together and maintained a friendly and cordial working relationship. We are very appreciative of this, and we hope that the positive dialogue and atmosphere will continue in the future.

Committee Appointments

As of May 12, 2022 the Committee on Committees made a total of **118 appointments** and recommendations in the 2021-2022 academic year. These appointments and recommendations spanned across **39 committees**, subcommittees, ad hoc/search committees, boards, and working groups. We understand that some of these committee assignments can be challenging because of the time commitment. We are grateful that many of our colleagues willingly agreed to serve on these committees even when faculty already have a high workload.

The **committees** to which we provided **100 appointments and recommendations** include (number of individuals are in parentheses):

- Instructional Designer Search Committee (1)
- Enrollment Management Committee (1)
- Support Unit Review Committee (1)
- Academic Technology and Learning Committee Fall 2021 COEKSW representative (1)
- Faculty Affairs Committee Fall 2021 representative (1)
- Instructional Related Activities (1)
- Community Equity Research Center Fellows Search Committee (1)
- University Budget Advisory Committee (1)
- Student Fee Advisory Committee (1)





- Events Workgroup (1)
- Student Communication Workgroup (1)
- Commencement Committee (2)
- Dean of Extended and international Education Search Committee (5)
- Dean of College of Education Kinesiology and Social Work Search Committee (5)
- Faculty Director for Advising and Learning Cohorts Search Committee (2)
- Chancellor's Doctoral Incentive Program (CDIP) Committee (2)
- Campus Master Plan Committee (1)
- Alternative Transportation Committee (2)
- Associate Vice President of Academic Affairs Search Committee (5)
- Faculty Fellows Search Committee (2)
- Dean of College of Business and Administration Search Committee (5)
- Covid Campus Consultation Team (2)
- Commencement Committee (5)
- Ad Hoc Committee on Diversity, Equity, and Belonging in Faculty Governance (14)
- Ad Hoc Committee on Lecturer Representation in Faculty Governance (9)
- Ad Hoc Committee on the Status of the Stockton Campus (10)
- Director of Athletics Search Committee (2)
- Faculty Affairs Committee Spring 2022 representative (1)
- Vice President of Business and Finance/CFO Search Committee (3)
- Special Program Review Committee (3)
- Faculty Director of General Education Search Committee (3)
- AVP of Human Resources Search Committee (3) pending
- CSU Stanislaus Dining Advisory Committee (2) pending
- UIRB (3) pending
- Subcommittees of the UEPC (9) pending

Committee Preference Forms

This year, we received **147** Committee Preference Forms, a decrease from **196**. Thank you to each faculty member who submitted these forms as they make the work of the Committee easier. Committee on Committees struggled to assemble a Spring ballot that included multiple names for each position, and this task has repeatedly been a struggle in recent years. In some cases, the Committee had difficulty in securing even one individual to run for a given position. The difficulty in getting volunteers may be a result of faculty concerns regarding workload and available time to commit to committees, and also a result of the simple increase in number of committees. We believe that finding faculty willing and able to serve on committees will continue to be a challenge but we are hopeful for change in the future.

Respectfully submitted, Mirta Maldonado Chair, Committee on Committees, 2021-2022