

Institutionalization of SLOs/GEOs Resolution 2009 – 05

Whereas, the Academic Senate is the organization whose primary function is to make recommendations with respect to academic and professional matters as defined in Title 5, Article 2, section 53200.

Whereas, faculty roles and involvement in the development, evaluation, and use of results of SLOs (Student Learning Outcomes) and GEOs (General Education Outcomes) are essential to the process.

Whereas, GOAL #2 of the college is that the college will prepare students for success through the development and support of exemplary programs and services.

Whereas, the Academic Senate adopted the goal that at least 75% of all active courses will have at least two SLOs with a means of assessment and criteria for success by June 2009.

Whereas, the Academic Senate recognizes the value of student learning and general education outcomes in the development and support of exemplary programs and services.

Resolved, the Academic Senate recommends that the development of and the evaluation of SLOs and GEOs become an integral part of the College commitment to student success.

Resolved, the Academic Senate recognize that faculty involvement in the development and evaluation of SLOs/GEOs be directed by language in the faculty contract as of May 2009.

Resolved, the Academic Senate recommends that the college use SLOs and GEOs in the planning and budget process of the college.

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This resolution was withdrawn by the author on May 21, 2009.