

Meeting Title:	Faculty Senate
Meeting Owner:	Evelyn Porter, <i>Faculty Senate President</i>
Meeting Objectives:	Collect faculty opinions and official positions to be communicated to university administration
Date:	Tuesday, February 10 th , 2026
Time:	2:30-4:30 PM
Location:	CB 104 & MS Teams

Time	Item(s)	Owner(s)
2:30	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Silent Roll Call Approval of Minutes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evelyn Porter, <i>Faculty Senate President</i>
2:35	Academic Affairs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wayne Vaught, <i>Provost</i>
2:50	Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Champions of UVU & Campus Climate Survey 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elisa Huhem, <i>Program Director, Office of IEE</i>
3:00	Policy Comment/Discuss <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Policy 203- Employee Fringe Benefits (Kedric Black) Policy 365- Consulting Leave & External Employment (Drew Burke & Kat Brown) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jennifer Shubert, <i>Faculty Senate Policy Liaison</i> Policy Stewards
3:15	Voting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Policy 633- Faculty Performance Evaluation & Feedback (Kat Brown) 	
3:20	Non-Policy Items <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Policy 639- Adjunct Faculty Drafting Committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evelyn Porter, <i>Faculty Senate President</i>
3:25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commissioner Landward Update 	
3:35	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Search Committee Letter 	
4:05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Freedom 	
4:20	Good of the Order	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All
4:30	Adjourn	

Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 24th, CB 104 & Teams @ 2:30-4:30 PM

Announcements

Champions of UVU

- Champions of UVU (already live and accepting nominations): https://uvu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bg827to0EGrxwb4?Source=SFNW
- Criteria for Champions of UVU Award: https://www.uvu.edu/engagement-and-effectiveness/docs/final_2026_champions_of_uvu_criteria.pdf

UVU Spring 2026 Campus Climate Survey

- Campus Climate Survey (opens Feb 11th): https://uvu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9MLXiL14VrIHksC?Source=FS
- Will be open from Feb 11-March 6th

Presidential Search Feedback: To submit feedback to the Board with regards to the Presidential Search email UVUpresidentialsearch@ushe.edu or <http://ushe.edu/uvu-presidential-search-feedback>

3rd Annual Symposium on Teaching and Learning: *Joy in Teaching*, March 26–27, 2026

PROPOSALS ARE DUE FEBRUARY 20th

Discover fresh ideas, inspiring practices, and renewed purpose at UVU's 3rd Annual Symposium on Teaching and Learning, hosted by the Faculty Senate's Advancement of Teaching Committee in partnership with the Office of Teaching and Learning. This two-day virtual event brings faculty together to share experiences, explore innovative approaches, and reflect on the joy at the heart of teaching.

[Symposium Website](#)

[Submit Call for Proposal](#)

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Faculty Senate Email: Faculty Senate has a generic Faculty Senate email address: facultysenate@uvu.edu.

Provost Questions: If you would like to submit questions for the Provost to address at the next Senate meeting, please email facultysenate@uvu.edu.