



The Intersegmental Committee of the Academic Senates - University of California - The California State University - California Community Colleges

**INTERSEGMENTAL COMMITTEE OF THE ACADEMIC SENATES (ICAS)
LEGISLATIVE DAY MEETING MINUTES
Tuesday, April 1, 2025**

Attendance

Academic Senate for California Community Colleges (ASCCC): Cheryl Aschenbach, President; LaTonya Parker, Vice President; Robert L. Stewart, Jr., Treasurer; and Krystinne Mica, Executive Director

Academic Senate of the California State University (ASCSU): Elizabeth Boyd, Chair; Adam Swenson, Vice Chair; Tracy Dawn Hamilton, Secretary; Beth Steffel, Immediate Past Chair; and Nola Butler-Byrd, Member-at-Large

University of California Academic Senate: Steven W. Cheung, Chair; Ahmet Palazoglu, Vice Chair; David Volz, ACSCOTI Chair; Monica Lin, Executive Director; and Brenda Abrams, Principal Policy Analyst

I. Consent Calendar

Action: The February 24, 2025 ICAS videoconference minutes were approved.

II. Preparation for Legislative Visits

Steven W. Cheung, Chair, ICAS and UC Academic Senate

Chair Cheung reviewed the list of visitors and highlights of their biographies. President Aschenbach and Chair Boyd determined which ASCCC and ASCSU representatives will handle the various talking points during each visit.

III. Visit with Senator Rosilicie Ochoa Bogh

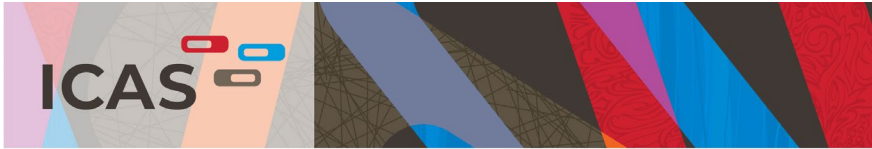
IV. Visit with Principal Consultant Mark Martin, State Assembly Budget Committee

Minutes were not taken during these discussions.

V. Debrief on First Guests

Members were invited to share their impressions of the first two visits.

Discussion: Guests touched on the importance of faculty engagement with legislators to ensure bidirectional communication was highlighted. The use of bond initiatives to help finance higher education was supported.



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- VI. Visit with Deputy Legislative Analyst Jennifer Pacella, Higher Education, Legislative Analyst's Office**
- VII. Visit with Assemblymember Dr. Corey A. Jackson**
- VIII. Visit with Assemblymember Mike Fong**
- IX. Visit with Legislative Director Ellen Green, Office of Assembly Member Marc Berman**
- X. Visit with Higher Education Advisor Karl Larson, Office of Lieutenant Governor Eleni Kounalakis**

Minutes were not taken during these discussions.

XI. Legislative Day Debrief

Members shared their impressions of today's visits.

Discussion: Members noted that several lawmakers were interested in student housing. In the future, ICAS might consider inviting a representative from the Legislative Analyst's Office to a fall meeting instead of Legislative Day. Several visitors mentioned an interest in programming that relates to the governor's Cradle to Career statewide initiative. Conversations touched on the need to continue streamlining the process of transferring from the CCC system to either a CSU or UC campus including improving pathways like the California General Education Transfer Curriculum. Another theme is how the three segments can together navigate the challenging fiscal and political realities. Yet another theme is how ICAS can showcase its accomplishments to members of the Legislature, either as a component of Legislative Day or an annual report that would be freely accessible to the public at large.

XII. New Business and Adjournment

There was no new business introduced.

Meeting adjourned at: 3:10 PM
Minutes prepared by: Brenda Abrams
Attest: Steven W. Cheung