

MONTGOMERY COLLEGE GOVERNANCE
Faculty Council
April 2, 2026

Attendees:

- Members Present: Jana Anderson, Diego Hernandez, Heather Hughes, Barbara LaPilusa, Lucia Li, Carlos Molina, Tamesha Robinson, Atul Roy, Richard Shaw, Sally Silberman, Harry Singleton, Maria Sprehn, Joseph Stumpf, Rachel Sullivan, Megan Van Wagoner, Brandon Wallace, Charmaine Weston
- Members Absent: Juan Esparza-Trujillo, Atul Roy, Richard Shaw, Marianne Wysong
- Proxies: Anestine Theophile LaFond for Atul Roy, Joseph Stumpf for Richard Shaw, Charmaine Weston for Diego Hernandez.
- Guests: Sharon Anthony, Nawal Benmouna, Sarah Campbell, Amanda Darr, Shinta Hernandez, Elizabeth Kirby, Anestine Theophile LaFond, Julie Levinson, Elysse Meredith, Katie Mount, Hoa Nguyen, Tiffany Ray-Patterson, Yvette Taylor, Carolyn Terry
- Council Liaison: Deidre Price
- Governance Director: Clevette Ridguard

Call to Order. The regular meeting was called to order by Tamesha Robinson, Chair, at 12:04. There was a quorum to conduct governance business.

Approval of Minutes.

Charmaine Weston moved to approve minutes as written. Brandon Wallace seconded.

Constituent Concerns.

Vice chair Charmaine Weston presents updates on constituent concerns.

Academic Affairs Update.

Dr. Price provided updates on closing meeting changes and the introduction of two commencement ceremonies.

Guest Speakers.

Dr. Tiffany Ray-Patterson, Senior Vice President for Student Affairs, presented on the “Student Life Cycle”, as well as an Enrollment Management update.

Sharon Anthony, Germantown Campus Dean, Elizabeth Kirby, Dean of Student Affairs TP/SS, and Julie Levinson, Dean of Student Affairs TP/SS updated the council on Starfish and the Advising Redesign.

Chairs Report.

Chair Tamesha Robinson reports. Full report will be submitted on Faculty Council Teams site.

Committee Reports.

- RV Faculty Senate. A discussion on faculty contribution to student success; stronger for PTF. 4/30 is next RV faculty senate meeting.
- GT Faculty Senate. Presentation from Paul Miller on digital accessibility.
- TPSS Faculty Senate. No report.
- Curriculum Committee. Harry Singleton reports. 3/6 was deadline for last chance to submit revisions (2 proposals considered) and others on the consent calendar. 4/3 is deadline for new or shelved courses. Schedule goes live on 4/10; only editorial changes thereafter.
- General Education Committee. Maria Sprehn reports. General Ed committee met 3/30 and preparing for 4/10 Spring Showcase on the Germantown campus, open to students.
- Academic Regulations Committee. Diego Hernandez reports. No meeting held; no current work, but soliciting suggestions for any upcoming Academic Regs proposals or proposed revisions.

● Old Business

Faculty Council subgroup on civic engagement will continue its work and updating the AMP group.

Adjournment. Harry Singleton moves to adjourn. Diego Hernandez seconds. Council meeting adjourned 1:54

■ *Any presentations or supporting documents shared at this meeting will be available on the Faculty Council AY2025-26 Teams site.*

Respectfully submitted, J.Stumpf