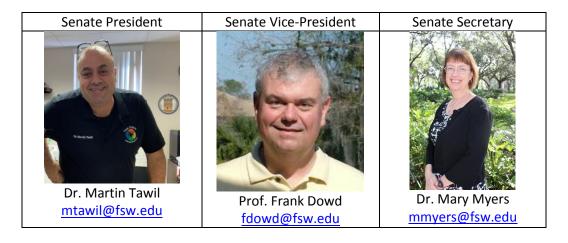


Dear colleagues,

### Welcome to a new academic year!

Faculty senate is here to support all of you! In an effort to keep you involved and updated we are providing you with details of our activities on a monthly basis:

• Your executive team :



## Committee/College updates:

OER committee -- Prof. Arenthia Herren (arenthia.herren@fsw.edu) is on the statewide committee studying textbook affordability, as Florida has mandated a look at reducing textbook costs. She is looking for volunteers for an FSW OER Committee, which will meet on the third Friday of the month between 10:00 and 11:00 AM. Please e-mail her directly if you are interested.

#### • Information Items:

- Calendar committee-- Dr. McClinton is chairing the Calendar Committee. We are seeking to better align the FSW Academic Calendar with that of surrounding school districts, most especially Lee County.
- Meet your reps:

Lee campus	Collier campus	Hendry/Glades campus
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Please feel free to contact us with your ideas, questions and concerns.

 Bylaws update: Dr. Tawil noted that the updated bylaws will be sent out to faculty for their vote. We are mandated to review and update bylaws as necessary every five years.

### • Faculty Updates:

- o Climate Survey will be sent to faculty most likely in October
- One Book One College initiative is trying to set up an ongoing committee

### New Business:

- o IT updates in banner (ADA compliant?)
- Jim Langlas Memorial Gazebo: Please see previously sent e-mail for more details and contact Christina (Tina) Ottman (<u>cottman@fsw.edu</u>; Ext. 33742; Collier N-226) to make a donation.

We hope you had a great first month of the fall semester.

Your faculty senate

