

UMKC Faculty Senate Agenda
Tuesday, 3:00 -5:00 October 1, 2024

Zoom:

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1. Opening Business: Torres (5 minutes).

a. Call to Order and Approval of Sept. 17, 2024

b. Approval of Agenda

2. Announcements & Updates: New Policies and Shared Governance Torres, Shiu (15 minutes)

a. Compliance Training Completion Required for Merit Increase Eligibility

b. Faculty Leave May Affect Merit Increase

c. Summer Pay

d. Role of Faculty Senate Members and Shared Governance

3. Improving Retention, Persistence, and Graduation-Discussion within Units (20 minutes)

Please submit a summary of answers to Senate Chair after the meeting.

4. Committee Elections (15 minutes): Peterman

5. Committee Reports:

UBC & FSBC Update (15 minutes): Olsen

Safety: White-Lewis

4. Missouri Online (5 minutes): Jackson

6. Dean's Review Committee: Discussion: Shiu (15 minutes)

7. End of Meeting

Small Group Discussion in units or units with similar structures:

How can Senate members encourage participation in the senate and shared governance?

How can units support student retention/graduation:

a. In classes

b. Promoting majors or enrollment in your school/unit?

c. Preventing dropping out of class or university?

d. with professionalizing advising? Has this helped? How can it be improved?

e. Recommendations for improving systems that faculty use to support students?

For example, UMKC Connect.