

Subject: Academic Senate Resolution on SLO Coordinators

The following resolution was unanimously passed by the plenary of the Academic Senate Fall 2006:

2.02 F06 Student Learning Outcomes (SLO) Assessment Coordinators Rory O'Brien, Cabrillo College, Area B Whereas, Student Learning Outcomes (SLO) are an academic and professional matter and fall under the purview of local senates, and SLOs speak to the very core of curriculum and program review; Whereas, There are approximately 90 faculty reassigned as SLO/Assessment Coordinators throughout the California Community College System; Whereas, Academic Senate resolutions and advice to local senates included creation of faculty SLO/Assessment Coordinator positions with reassigned time; and Whereas, Many faculty serving as SLO/Assessment Coordinators would benefit from additional training in assessment and faculty development; Resolved, That the Academic Senate for California Community Colleges take a leadership role by providing organizational support, including organizing regular meetings, providing faculty training, and facilitating networking, for SLO/Assessment Coordinators throughout the state; and Resolved, That the Academic Senate for California Community Colleges encourage local colleges and their districts to provide financial support for their SLO/Assessment Coordinators. MSC Disposition: Local Senates Assigned: Accreditation Ad Hoc Committee