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- **Academic Program Highlights**: “A Student Experience: Develop an Education Plan” Tina Giron and counseling faculty
  - Deconstructing double counting, transfer patterns, and articulation with schools and programs
  - Emphasis on how important it is for students to meet with counselors to navigate choice of courses and all the unique situations that students encounter when working to get a degree
  - Some barriers to students getting into our courses and transferring
  - Importance of students getting updated Ed Plans semester by semester
  - Importance of looking at Assist.org and requirements noted at transfer university for majors

**Consent Agenda:**

- [Revisions to Faculty Hiring Procedures Proposed by Columbia College](#) - Approved

**REPORTS:**

**Associated Students Senate Report**: Alexis Zaragoza

- Basketball 7-9
- Martin Luther King Jr award this Saturday, CAT 7-9pm
- Tue Jan 23rd
- Wed and Thursday Club Rush East and West

**Outcomes Assessment Workgroup Report**: Nita Gopal

- No Report

**President’s Report**: Curtis Martin

- Requesting feedback from Academic Senate and engagement in guided pathways discussions.
- First Time in College (FTIC) has new co-chairs: Belen Robinson and Hans Hauselmann
- Rob Stevenson: We asked for faculty-driven process for guided pathways, so this begins on opposite Thursdays of Academic Senate in in the Staff Dining Room, MJC East Campus (Redefining Pathways is first topic)
  - Extensive discussion and Q&A on Guided Pathways
  - A major goal for semester is creating meta-majors so we can create a Safe First Year for Students
  - May Retreat (look for announcement)

**SENATE BUSINESS:**
A. Vote for Academic Senate Executive Members, 2018-2019 (Parliamentarian, Secretary, Legislative Analyst)
   a. Parliamentarian: Steve Amador
   b. Secretary: Andrew Kranzman
   c. Legislative Analyst: Hans Hauselmann

B. Resolution FL17-B: Board Policy 4-8067, 1st reading, motion failed

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Spring 2018 Academic Senate Meeting Dates
January 18, February 1, February 15, March 1, March 15, April 5, April 26
All meetings are in Library 55 East Campus (Library Basement) and begin at 3:45 P.M.

Paving the Path Sessions (MJC East, Staff Dining Room)
January 25: Demystifying Guided Pathways
February 8: Aligning our Practice: From courses to programs
February 22: Sense-Making: Putting apples with apples or Logical Program Groupings
March 8: Creating a Safe First Year: Meta-majors and Common-First Semester Schedules
March 22: Aligning Curriculum and Outcomes with Transfer Institutions
April 12: Holistic Advising: Bringing Instructions and Student Services Together

Save the Date for Working Retreat on Guided Pathways: May 1, 2, 3