

Classified Senate - President's Report

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District Executive Council: 7/13/2015 - Next Meeting is 8/10/2015

Cuyamaca VP Ari Ahmadian served on DEC in the President's place.

District Strategic Planning & Budget Council: 7/13/15 Meeting was cancelled. Next Meeting is 8/10/2015

Classified Leaders Meeting: Next Meeting is 8/26/2015

- This meeting has been scheduled to go back to occurring once a month.

Upcoming Events:

- Chancellor Classified Senate Award – Start writing your nominations now! Deadline is 10/1/15.
<http://www.gccd.edu/classified-senate/chancellors-award.html>
- Classified Senate Executive Board Retreat – 9/11/15.

Classified Senate Re-Structure:

Dear Classified,

I encourage you to vote for the proposed structure of localizing the Senates. During my term as President, as well as the six years as whole that I have served, it is clear to me that change needs to happen. The three sites of our district are different. Allowing our leaders to drill down and focus on their own site will only make them stronger.

In re-structuring, I hope the value of Classified Senate soars and we get more volunteers and leaders that would be willing to serve. We have already gained support from our Chancellor to give our leaders release time. I think this is a great start.

What Classified Senate does:

- Promote shared governance.
- Provide an opportunity to develop individual leadership.
- Employee Recognition.
- Provide a means of communication between classified staff and the district.

Why I volunteer:

- Getting involved, being part of the big picture.
- Working with new people. I have worked and met so many different people with this opportunity.
- Being part of a community. There are 113 Classified Senates in California.
- Learning something new.

It has been a pleasure serving you as President. I look forward to what the new term has to bring and hope more of you decide to join me. Take care!

Respectfully Submitted,

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