

University Senate

Recommendation Regarding the Faculty Representative on the Board of Trustees

November 16th, 2022- Approved by the University Senate

The University Senate recommends that the Board of Trustees (the Board) of Montclair State University invite the Senate to nominate the Faculty Representative to the Board.

The Senate further recommends that the role of Faculty representative include the facilitation of communication between the Board and the University Senate.

Faculty participation in trustee meetings would be a positive change for both trustees and faculty members.

Rationale

The University Senate is the central shared-governance body of Montclair State University and serves as the principal custodian of shared governance for the University.

Through its elected membership, the University Senate represents a broad range of the Faculty. Moreover, the Senate has an established professional record of making nominations and conducting elections in order to compose its own members as well as to select and nominate members for other bodies.