



WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Faculty Senate

Senate Snapshot

Faculty Senate Meeting – April 2, 2026

Did You Know... Faculty Senators receive electronic copies of [Memoranda of Action](#) in advance of the MOA being presented for a vote on the floor of the Senate. Senators are charged with sharing the MOA information with their units and soliciting feedback and questions pertaining to the MOA.

Remarks from Faculty Senate President Amy Naugle

- President Naugle acknowledged Senators with expiring terms, noting newly elected Senators will be introduced at the next meeting.
- The Executive Board is seeking faculty to serve on the Faculty Senate councils and committees. If you or a colleague are interested, please contact the [Faculty Senate](#) office.

Remarks from Interim Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Christopher Cheatham

- Interim Provost Cheatham provided remarks on [academic excellence](#).

University Strategic Plan

- Comments were provided by Faculty Senate and University leadership regarding this month's focus area [Diversity, Equity and Inclusion](#).

Action Items

- [MOA-25/10](#): *Establish Minimum Undergraduate Credits in a Major or Minor Earned at WMU* was postponed for a vote at the April 30 meeting.

- [MOA-26/05](#): *Establish Equivalency Level Acceptance of American Council of Education Military Credit Policy* was approved.

Informational Items

- Elissa Allen, Chair, WMU Essential Studies Executive Advisory Committee, provided the [committee activity report](#).
- Keith Hahn, General Counsel, provided the annual Email Access report.
- Luke Kritzman, President, Western Student Association, provided an [update on the WSA activities](#).
- Dinner was provided by [Jack's Beans](#).

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