

Santa Monica College Academic Senate

Institutional Effectiveness Joint Committee Minutes

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 25, 2026 at 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

Location: SSC 336

Chairs: Kristin Lui-Martinez (Chair), Hannah Lawler (Vice-Chair)

Members: Tania Acosta, Jo Hao, Jose G. Hernandez, Jamar London, Elisa Meyer, Marisol Moreno, Kyle Strohmaier

Interested Parties Present: Vicenta Arrizon, Sherri Bradford, Jessica Krug, Daniel Rocha

I. Call to Order

- a. Meeting called to order at 1:05 pm.
- b. Tania Acosta, Jo Hao, and Jose G. Hernandez absent.

II. Public Comments

- a. None

III. Announcements/Chair's Report

- a. None

IV. Approval of Minutes

- a. Motion: Elisa Meyer; Seconded: Kyle Strohmaier
- b. Ayes: 5; Nos: 0; Abstain: 1

V. Information Items

- a. None

VI. Action Items

None.

VII. Discussion Items

- a. Reviewed the remaining 2026-2027 IE Framework and Metrics which focused on Financial Aid and support (applied for financial aid, unmet financial aid, ZTC, basic needs support, special program participation). Discussion included: difficulty in ascertaining campus ZTC adoption; Black and Latine students having the highest unmet financial need; and a high number of “unreported race/ethnicity” students using the basic needs supports.
- b. Discussed ways to engage the campus in a Student-Centered Funding Formula (SCFF) information session. Ideas included a type of “data dive” where one metric is discussed and participants are asked to reflect on their area and how they could help increase the metric.

VIII. Adjournment

- a. Committee adjourned at 2:30 pm.

Next scheduled meeting:

Wednesday, March 11th