



**FACCC Counselors Committee  
Friday, January 16, 2026  
Meeting Agenda and Notes**

Attending: Rene Lozano (chair), Sara Nieves-Lucas, Steve Bautista, Yvonne Portillo, Michelle Hittleman, John Noyola, Sinar Lomeli, Sabrina Barajas, Susan Finley

**Agenda**

**1. Check in**

A) Personal/Professional Check ins

B) Discussed plans/details for attending All Committee Meeting Day and A&P

**2. Update on Academic Renewal and Probation Committee**

Rene updated the committee on the work of this committee and the current issues that have surfaced. He also reassured the group that there is a commitment to move the policy recommendation forward to the BOG.

- a. Rene volunteered to write language addressing the re-evaluation of students who have been conferred AA degrees but may not have needed the D grades in the calculation of the min 2.0 GPA, 60 units, and/or needed the course(s) to meet a general education/major requirement.

**3. Transfer Counselors Conference - Details and Presentation Proposals**

## CalGETC and AB 928 Implementation Challenges

Discussed the interest/potential presentation proposal

Rene brought up the practice of campuses maintaining certifying LOTE for UC. Need to ask campuses if they are continuing this practice.

It was determined that a proposal would be submitted. A draft presentation proposal was created.

4. Follow-up - [CalGETC and AB928 Implementation Challenges](#) & Articulation and Transfer Caucus

Steve shared information on this ASCCC caucus and the call for folks to re-apply to participate. Rene shared that he has applied and encouraged other committee members to apply if they are interested.

5. FACCC Liaison [Report](#)

Susan shared updates from the FACCC Board and invited feedback or updates to share with the Board.

Other:

Applications are now being accepted to re-join the ASCCC Articulation and Transfer Caucus (ATC). Melain McIntosh leads this group from Compton College.

**Please complete the [Articulation & Transfer Caucus Membership Application](#) by Monday, February 2, 2026 at 5:00pm.**

Future Agenda Items:

**Next Meeting Date: June 30th: 2-3:30pm**

- a. AB 928 - Implementation Issues

- b. Sharing Challenges and Solutions
- c. Work with FACCC leadership on how to advocate and communicate our concerns. Rene will connect with Wendy/Susan re: Board support
- d. Possibly create a repository of issues and solutions
- e. ACTION: Steve will create a document to allow committee members to begin contributing to the list of challenges.
- f. AB934: Mandatory SEP completion by the end of the first year