

***Faculty Senate Agenda  
Special Session  
August 18, 2021  
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.***

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- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Minutes – 5 minutes
- III. Presidential Update – Joseph Simpson – (5 minutes)
- IV. Special Session Business
  - A. Introduction (James Finley, 5 minutes)
  - B. Resolution calling for faculty to be able to move courses online, hold online office hours, and attend meetings virtually (James Finley, 10 minutes)
  - C. Resolution to ensure that students, faculty, and staff have the option to practice social distancing in classroom and other university settings (Daniel Delgado, 10 minutes)
  - D. Resolution to initiate a mandatory testing protocol with repercussions for faculty, staff, and students who do not participate and to incentivize vaccination on campus (Katherine Bridgman, 10 minutes)
  - E. Resolution calling for local institutional control over COVID-19-related decisions (James Finley, 10 minutes)
- V. Announcements- 5 minutes
- VI. Adjournment