

President's Report

Fall 2023, SUNY Geneseo



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Annual plan and report

Promote the value of public higher education

SUNY's 4 pillars: student access & success; research & scholarship; DEI; economic development & upward mobility

Advise System Admin on policies

Support campus governance

Improve UFS processes

Mission statement

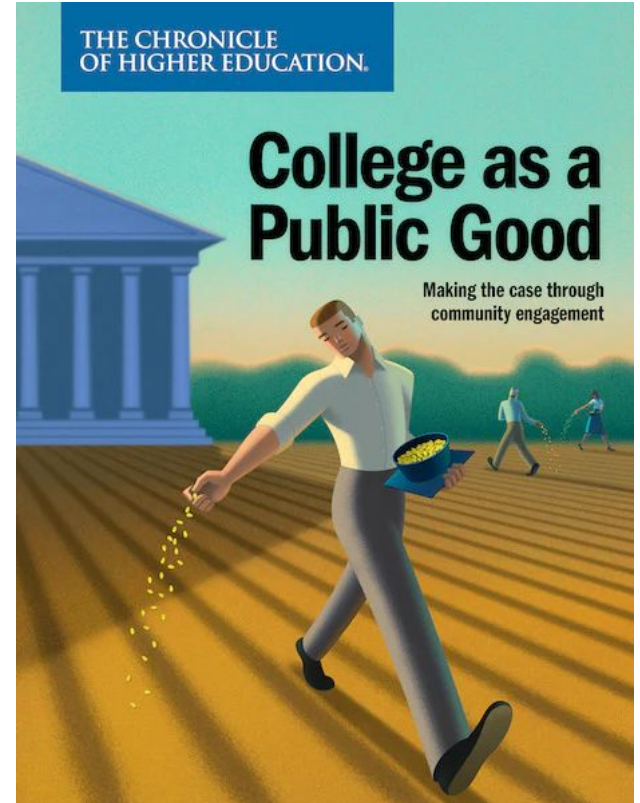
The **University Faculty Senate** is the principal shared governance body for the state-operated and statutory campuses of the State University of New York, serving as a deliberative body on educational policies and other professional matters and as a resource on governance for University academic and professional employees. The Senate provides feedback to the Chancellor, Provost, and other senior administrative officers of SUNY on policies and initiatives coming from SUNY System Administration, and collaborates with campus governance organizations across the system on governance matters affecting campuses and SUNY in general.

2023-2023 Goals and objectives

1. Promote the value of public higher education		
1a. Organize conference on public higher education as a public good.		Conference steering committee
1b. Focus 2023/2024 plenaries on themes related to the value of public higher education.		UFS President
1c. Support SUNY's budget advocacy.		UFS President and Executive Committee
2. Governance support of SUNY's strategic priorities: Student access and success		
2a. Promote policies that support student mental health and well being		Student Life Committee
3. Governance support of SUNY's strategic priorities: Research and scholarship		
3a. Host Graduate Research Conference		Graduate Programs and Research Committee
4. Governance support of SUNY's strategic priorities: Diversity, equity, and inclusion		
4a. Host DEISJ in the Curriculum conference		Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity Committee
5. Governance support of SUNY's strategic priorities: Economic development and upward mobility		
5a. Provide governance input for the STRIVE AI Task Force		UFS President
6. Advise System Administration on policies and procedures		
6a. Support seamless transfer through the actions of the Transfer Task Force		UFS President
6b. Provide governance input into the review and assessment of Digital Innovation Fund initiatives		UFS President
7. Support campus shared governance		
7a. Complete and pilot shared governance rubric		Governance Committee
7b. Revise Governance Handbook and format for online publication		Governance Committee
7c. Develop online repository of governance policies and other documents		Governance and Communication Committees
8. Improve UFS operations		
8a. Consolidate online presence into a new, redesigned web site		Communications Committee
8b. Incorporate membership guide and email lists into new website		Communications Committee and UFS Office
8c. Develop searchable database of UFS resolutions and responses		Governance and Communications Committees

Conference: Public Good State U

- National context
- Conference goals / objectives
- Conference format
- Save the Date (soon) - Nov 2024, Albany
- Activities building to conference
- National opportunities



DEISJ efforts

- SUNY Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Social Justice in the Curriculum Conference
 - Nov 3 & 4
 - U Albany conference center
 - 5 conference tracks
 - Workshops, keynote, contributed sessions
- SUNY Diversity Fellows
- SUNY CPD programming

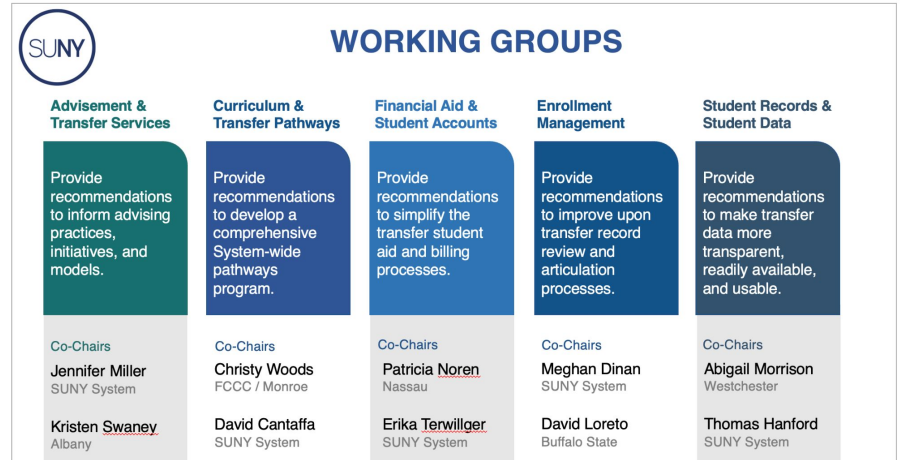
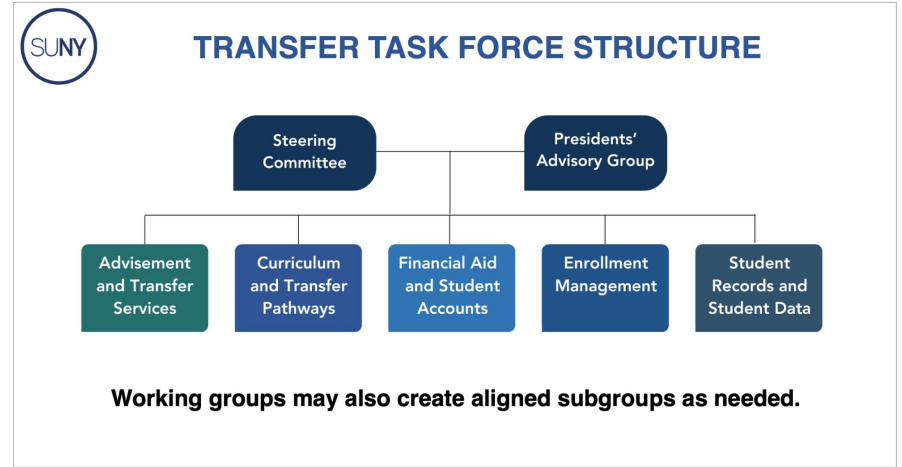
Other: PLA, Gen Ed (civic engagement), microcreds, etc



<https://bit.ly/DEISJconf>
<https://sunycpd.eventsair.com/deisj23/>

Transfer Task Force

- Seamless transfer history
- Student Mobility Steering Comm
 - Program caps
 - General Education policy
 - Transfer Paths
- Transfer Task Force
 - Challenges and goals
 - Task Force structure & composition
 - Comparison to past efforts
- Why transfer is important



Task forces and advisory committees

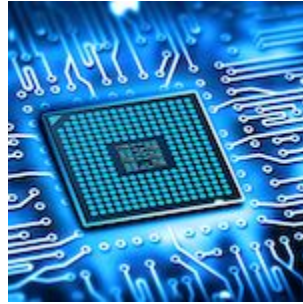
STRIVE task forces



AI



Biotech



Packaging



Healthcare



Cannabis



Sustainability



Digital

Microcredentials

Awards

[Friend of the Senate Award](#)

[Ram Chugh/Senate Outstanding Service Award](#)

[Carl P. Wieszalis UFS Fellow Award](#)

[Senator Emeritus Award](#)

[Chaddock & Cramer / UFS Outstanding Mentoring Award](#)

[SUNY Shared Governance Award](#)



Looking ahead



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Fall 2023 Plenary

When: October 19–21

Where: SUNY Geneseo

Who: Senators, Executive Committee, CGLs, UFS Fellows, invited guests

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Winter 2024 Plenary

When: January 18–20

Where: online, through Zoom

Who: Senators, Executive Committee, CGLs, UFS Fellows, invited guests

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Spring 2024 Plenary

When: April 4–6

Where: Cornell University

Who: Senators, Executive Committee, CGLs, UFS Fellows, invited guests

[Agenda](#)

Friday
10/20/23
SUNY
GENESEO

7:00am		Shuttle/Drive to SUNY Geneseo
7:30am	- 8:30am	Breakfast
8:30am		Call to Order and Introduction of Campus President UFS President Keith Landa
8:30am	- 8:45am	Campus Welcome SUNY Geneseo President Denise Battles
8:45am	- 8:50am	Board of Trustees Chair Merry! Tisch
8:50am	- 11:00am	SUNY Presentation and Q&A Chancellor John King
11:00am	- 11:15am	Break
11:15am	- 12:00pm	President's Report UFS President Keith Landa
12:00pm	- 12:15pm	Move to Lunch
12:15pm	- 1:15pm	Lunch
1:15pm	- 1:30pm	Move to Meeting
1:30pm	- 1:45pm	Exec. Committee Report & Resolutions Intro. UFS VP/Sec. Jan Trybula
1:45pm	- 2:10pm	A Session with the Author - <i>It's Not Free Speech: Race, Democracy, and the Future of Academic Freedom</i> . Should academic freedom extend to white supremacist pseudoscience? The short answer is no...The longer answer is a bit more complicated...Michael Bérubé Edwin Erle Sparks Prof. of Literature Assoc. Head, Dept. of English Pennsylvania State University
2:10pm	- 2:30pm	Q&A with Michael Bérubé Moderator: Bruce Simon
2:30pm	- 2:50pm	Academic Freedom Discussion UFS Governance Chair Bruce Simon
2:50pm	- 3:00pm	Break
3:00pm	- 4:00pm	Provost's Report SUNY Provost in Charge Shadi Sandvik
4:00pm	- 4:05pm	Call for Nominations of VP/Secretary Position Nominations Chair
4:05pm	- 4:25pm	SA Report SA President Alexander Ruiz
4:25pm	- 4:45pm	CUNY Report Chief of Staff Matthew Cotter
4:45pm	- 5:00pm	UUP Report UUP President Fred Kowal
5:05pm	- 5:15pm	Announcements & Adjourn UFS President Keith Landa
5:15pm	- 5:30pm	Move to Dinner
5:30pm	- 6:00pm	Cocktails
6:00pm	- 8:00pm	Dinner
8:00pm		Shuttle/Drive to Doubletree Hotel

Saturday
10/21/23
SUNY
GENESEO

7:00am		Shuttle/Drive to SUNY Geneseo
7:30am	- 8:30am	Breakfast
8:30am		Call to Order UFS President Keith Landa
8:30am	- 9:30am	Committee Reports (5-minute recap each)
9:30am	- 9:50am	Governance Committee Discussion on Campus Representation Governance Chair Bruce Simon
9:50am	- 10:00am	Break
10:00am	- 11:45am	Discussion and Voting of Resolutions Jan Trybula
11:45am	- 12:00pm	Closing Announcements and Adjourn
12:00pm	-	Boxed Lunch Grab and Go
12:30pm	-	Shuttle to Doubletree (for those traveling on AMTRAK or Airplane)

