

February 24, 2026

MEMBERS OF THE REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY
MEMBERS OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE, SAN DIEGO DIVISION

SUBJECT: March 3, 2026 Representative Assembly Meeting

Dear Colleagues:

The fourth Representative Assembly meeting of the 2025-26 academic year is scheduled for Tuesday, March 3 at 3:30 p.m., in the Liebow Auditorium of the [Biomedical Sciences Building](#) (2nd floor).

All Senate members are welcome to attend. If you are a Senate member who is not an Assembly Representative and you plan to attend the meeting, it would be appreciated if you would please RSVP to the Academic Senate Office at academicsenateoffice@ucsd.edu. We ask meeting participants to arrive at 3:15 so we may begin promptly at 3:30.

The *Notice of Meeting* (agenda) and all pertinent documents are available on the following webpages.

- (1) On the Senate's homepage under Assembly/Council Meetings, on the lower right side of the page. <http://senate.ucsd.edu>
- (2) On the Representative Assembly-Schedule page. <http://senate.ucsd.edu/committees/representative-assembly/schedule>

Chancellor Pradeep K. Khosla and Executive Vice Chancellor Elizabeth Simmons will address the Assembly, Professor Emeritus Richard Madsen will present on the Emeriti Association, UCSD Retirement Association President Kim Signoret-Paar will present on the Retirement Association, Interim Chief Information Officer Kevin Chou will provide an update on IT initiatives, and Thurgood Marshall College Provost Leslie Carver will provide an overview of the colleges. In addition, the following will be considered:

- Proposal to establish a BS in Economics-Public Policy/Master of Public Policy contiguous degree program
- Proposal to amend San Diego Divisional Regulation 715, Requirements for the Ph.D. Degree at San Diego

I ask that you please review the meeting materials in advance of the meeting and send questions to academicsenateoffice@ucsd.edu with the agenda topic number in the subject line of the email by noon on Friday, February 27. Your questions will be shared with the presenters so that they may be prepared to discuss them in advance.

Primary Representatives and Alternate Representatives should coordinate their attendance and voting for this meeting. Both may attend; however, Alternate Representatives may only vote in the absence of the Primary Representative. Please coordinate who will attend and cast votes, in advance of the meeting. Your participation matters. I look forward to seeing you on March 3.

Sincerely,

Rebecca Jo Plant

Chair, Academic Senate, San Diego Division