

Staff Senate Report to the Faculty Senate – January 2022

The Staff Senate met December 14, 2021 at 2:30 via TEAMS.

We observed a moment of silence in memory of Wes Partin, Director of Transfer Services. A celebration of his life will be held next Wednesday, January 19, 2022 in the SAC East Gym from 1-4. Open visitation from 1-3, memories & remarks 3-4.

We received an update on the new University Branding rollout from Kim Butterweck. Link to the new brand: [Our Brand — Brand Identity & Visual Standards \(louisville.edu\)](https://louisville.edu/brand)

We held a healthy discussion regarding shared governance.

Interim President, Lori Gonzalez joined us and emphasized we are a student first campus. She supports staff who support students. Hiring for the VP for Diversity, Equity & Inclusion candidates are remaining in the search and it is moving forward. Staff asked what we can do to support the president, and she answered - keep doing our jobs and tap into our optimism.

Officer and Committee reports followed.

The meeting summary has not been made available, yet.

The Staff Senate does not meet in January and our next meeting will be Tuesday, February 8, 2022 at 2:30 and will be on TEAMS.

Respectfully submitted,

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