

Shared Governance
Release Time / Additional Responsibility

NOTE: These are for the Academic Years 2024-25 and 2025-26

College Senate (Framework proposal , approved 3/2024)

College Senate Compensation/Release Time Allocation	Hours Per Academic Year per framework	Hours per semester (/2)	Hours per week per semester (/16)	# of credits equivalent per semester
Professional/Classified Staff Senator	126	63	3.9	n/a
Faculty Senator	126	63	3.9	1.3
Committee Chair	144	72	4.5	1.5
Senate Officer	162	81	5.1	1.7
Senate President	1440	720	45.0	15.0

Hour Distribution

Hours allocated for Meetings: (9 meetings * 4 hours) 36
 Meeting Preparation during week of meetings: (9*2) 18
 Campus Advocacy/Representation: 1 hr per week (9*4): 36
 Up to 3 committees/councils/taskforces compensated: (3*1*9) 27
 Communication with Campus 1 hour per meeting = 9

Senators: $36+18+36+27+9= 126$ hours for 9 meetings = $126/9=14$ hours per mo = 3.5 hours per week

Committee/Council Chair: $126+18=144/9=16$ per month = 4 hours per week

Executive Council: $144+18=162/9=18$ per month/4.5 hours per week

President: Full release from full time responsibilities to manage statewide, senate activities and related senate/shared governance work.

Curriculum Congress (per semester) Proposal approved 5/24

College Curriculum Congress Compensation/Release Time Allocation	Hours Per Academic Year per framework	Hours semester (/2)	Approved AY 2023- Time commitment	Approved AY24 AR/RT time	Approved AR/RT time
Professional/Classified Staff	228	114	NA	NA	7 hours/week (114/16)
Faculty Representative	228	114	up to 35 hrs	1 credit RT/sem or 3 hr AR/sem	3 credit RT/sem or 9 hrs AR/sem
Sub-Committee Chair	36	18	NA	NA	1 hr RT or 1/3 credit RT
Curriculum Congress Officer	408	204	up to 132.5 hrs (5 months * 26.5 hrs/month)	3 credit RT/sem or 9 hr AR/sem	6 credit RT/sem or 9 hrs AR/sem + 3 credit RT
Curriculum Congress Chair	708	354	NA	NA	12 credit RT/sem m or 9 hrs AR/sem +9 credit RT