

In this issue:

- ◆ Follow-up from previous meeting
- ◆ Academic Reorganization
- ◆ Faculty Reassigned time
- ◆ Master Plans
- ◆ UF Grade

What is College Leadership Council?

College Leadership Council (CLC) serves as the central, cross-campus governance body responsible for advising the President on strategic issues, projects, and proposals with significant cross-institutional impact.

CLC Committees: www.sunyocc.edu/college-leadership-council

- ⇒ Programs and Academic Support Committee
- ⇒ Student Success Council
- ⇒ Institutional Effectiveness Committee
- ⇒ Data Governance Committee

At the April 17, 2026 meeting, the following agenda items were covered:

- Dean Michael O'Connor presented on the potential academic reorganization in Humanities & Social Sciences and Philosophy and Mathematics and Natural Sciences. This will be presented to the Board of Trustees at their retreat. It does not require a vote of the board for approval.
- Dean O'Connor also provided an overview of faculty release time and the current status of the same.
- Dr. Agatha Awuah, Interim Provost, presented on the Academic Affairs Master plan; Dean Justin Pritchard presented on the Professional Development Master Plan; and Monifa Wilcox, Vice President of Human Resources, presented on the Recruitment and Retention Master Plan. All plans were endorsed by CLC with small modifications. The plans will be presented to, and voted on, by the Board of Trustees at the meeting on May 12, 2026.
- Dr. Hilton provided a brief overview of the Middle States recommendation and collegial advice, commenting that he would discuss these further with Olin Stratton, Faculty Senate President, as they determine who will be responsible for this moving forward.
- There was a brief update on the Banner Saas project and timeline.
- Olin Stratton provided an update on the UF grade which faculty approved at their meeting on March 30.
- The CLC members discussed the numerous faculty and non-faculty committees on campus and reporting structures of the same. Work will continue on this at the May meeting, including the potential for a few of these committees to begin reporting to CLC.
- Julie Hart reminded members to complete the CLC assessment for 2026 as the results will be discussed at the May meeting.
- More conversation took place about D2L orientation. There is work that can be done in D2L to make this training more obvious to students and encourage their participation in the same. This will be an ongoing conversation at CLC.

