

UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON

Faculty Senate Meeting

Wednesday, January 20, 2021

12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

***** Online meeting via Microsoft Teams *****

AGENDA

(subject to change)

1. Convene Meeting
2. Approval of Minutes: December 9, 2020
3. Report from and Discussion with the Faculty Senate President: [Jeronimo Cortina](#)
4. Report from and Discussion with the University of Houston System Chancellor and University of Houston President: [Renu Khator](#)
5. Update and Discussion with the University of Houston Vice President for Medical Affairs & Founding Dean of the College of Medicine: [Stephen J. Spann](#)
6. Report from and Discussion with the University of Houston System Senior Vice Chancellor and University of Houston Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost: [Paula Myrick Short](#)
7. Report from and Discussion with the University of Houston System Senior Vice Chancellor and University of Houston Senior Vice President for Administration and Finance: [Raymond Bartlett](#)
8. Report and Discussion with the University of Houston System Vice Chancellor and University of Houston Vice President for Research & Transfer Technology: [Amr Elnashai](#)
9. Senate Committee Chair Updates:
 - Norman Johnson, BFC Chair
 - David Shattuck, UC Chair
10. Motion for Consideration regarding the Washington, DC events of 1/6/2021: [Eduardo Aleman](#)

On January 6, 2021, a violent mob stormed the Capitol building in an attempt to overturn the results of the presidential election. The use of violence to undermine our republican institutions and disrupt the peaceful transfer of power was an attack on our democratic system of government. The Faculty Senate of the University of Houston strongly condemns this violent insurrection and the dangerous propagation of falsehoods that fomented it. The preservation of democracy is a matter that affects its members directly as citizens and educators. The hard work of finding common ground and unifying the country lies ahead.

11. New Business

12. Adjournment



Spring/Summer 2021 Faculty Senate Meetings

February 17, 2021

March 24, 2021

April 14, 2021 (Spring Faculty Assembly & Faculty Senate Meeting)

May 12, 2021

June 16, 2021 (if called)

July 21, 2021 (if called)

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The next [APeX Speaker Series](#) event features **Virmarie Correa-Fernandez, Ph.D.**, College of Education, on “**Addressing tobacco-related health disparities among Latinx adults: Community engagement and intervention research**” on:

Wednesday, January 27, 2021
At 12:15 p.m. via [Microsoft Teams](#)

