Hartnell College Academic Senate
2007-2008 Year End Report

The following are some of the many achievements of the Academic Senate during the 2007-2008 school year:

- Participation on the Reorganization/Transformation Committee
- Approval for Implementation of Accuplacer assessment testing
- Service on a variety of Hiring Committees
- Established Basic Skills Initiative Task Force
- Monitored and provided feedback regarding implementation of guaranteed schedule
- Adopted Senate and Campus ethics statements
- Increased communication with Hartnell College Board
- Participated in a joint HCFA/Senate Task force to define faculty chairs and discipline realignment
- Established Tenure Review Process Revision Task Force
- Worked closely with the HCFA, CSEA, Classified and Student Senates
- Established a budget
- Updated hardware and software in the HCAS office
- Achieved resolution on the faculty interns issue
- Organized convocation and January flex day activities

Passed the following Resolutions:

- Resolution 5.08 Regarding Establishment of Emergency Response and Planning Committee
- Resolution 4.08 Regarding Replacement Full-time Faculty Hiring
- Resolution 3.08 Regarding Distance Education
- Resolution 2.08 Regarding Commitment to Develop and Adopt a New Shared Governance Process
- Resolution 1.08 Regarding Hartnell College General Education/Institutional Outcomes

Student Learning Outcomes (SLOS)

- Creation of SLO Website
- Establishment of SLOs for revised courses
- Establishment of SLOs for new courses
- Participated in a joint SLO/Senate retreat
- Adopted the Core Competencies as institutional outcomes

Program Planning and Assessment and the Educational Master Plan

- Purchased and began planning for implementation of program review module of CurricuNET
- Participated in the Accreditation progress

Making better use of the HCAS website (completely redesigned)
  - Used for meeting documents
  - Archive

Curriculum
  - 847 course outlines
- Began implementation of CurricUNET
- Curriculum development workshops throughout the fall semester

Shared governance
- Workshops with Leon Baradat on shared governance
- Revision of Board Policy 2005 on faculty role in shared governance
- Assessment of shared governance process
- New structure
- Handbook
- Committee fair and sign ups
- Resolutions
- Co-sponsored town hall meetings
- Shared governance website
- Senate voice on college groups at every level