

# Faculty Senate

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## Diversity Council

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#### Activity report

The Diversity Council met 2 times in person during the academic year and conducted other business by email.

#### Issues Addressed by the Council

Our main focus this year was to look over two different drafts and make suggestions and changes to the OSU Diversity Plan. We performed two different rounds of changes/edits and expected a third.

By request of the Executive Committee, Dianna Fisher met with the Executive Committee on February 27th to look over and suggest additional changes/additions to the Diversity Action plans. The Executive Committee suggested that Terry Ross pass the Diversity Action plan onto the students and Cultural Centers and again return it to the Diversity Council for the final round of edits. At this time, the Diversity Council has not received the plan back for final editing.

The Faculty Senate Diversity Council was also invited to participate in the presentations for the new Professor of Women Studies.

A Blackboard community site has been created for the Faculty Senate Diversity Council and will be handed over to the next Chair.

#### Membership – 2006-2007

Erika Castano	Valley Library
Antonio Torres	Food Science & Technology
Janet Nishihara	Educational Opportunities Program
Malinda Shell	Student Health Services
Kurt Peters	Ethnic Studies
Thuy Tran	Austin Family Business Program
Dianna Fisher, Chair	OSU Extended Campus

#### *Ex-officio members:*

Director of Community and Diversity (Terry Ross)  
 Director of Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity (Angelo Gomez)  
 DPD Director (Susan Shaw)

Student Members –

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Executive Committee Liaison – Lani Roberts