

Election of Chair Elect

Dates and procedures will be announced at Feb 13 meeting

February 25, 2014 -(Tuesday) - Formal nominations for the position of Chair-elect of the Faculty Senate are due to the Executive Secretary by 5 PM

February 27, 2014 (Thursday) – candidates announced to Senate

February 28, 2014 (Friday) – ballots sent to all senators

March 25, 2014 (Tuesday)– ballots due

March 27 (Thursday)– Chair elect announced

March 28 (Friday) – if no clear majority and second ballot will be distributed with the names of the top 2 candidates in accordance with the Senate ByLaws.

April 4 (Friday) – second round of ballots due 5 PM

April 10 (Thursday)– Chair elect announced

Eligibility

Section 1 C of Senate Constitution

Chair Elect The Chair Elect of the Senate shall be elected by and from the membership* of the Senate, from among those individuals who have served in the Senate within the previous four academic years or those who have served on the Steering Committee in the previous four years. The Chair Elect shall assume the duties of the Chair in the absence of the Chair.

**I.e., both continuing Senators and those whose terms are expiring are eligible for election.*

Procedures

- Ballots will be sent to a dedicated e-mail.
- Ballots will be placed on CD/DVD which will be signed and sealed
- March 26th, the CD/DVD will be opened by the Executive Secretary and the President of ASWSU and the ballots counted.
- March 27th results announced to the Senate

Section III #4 of Senate ByLaws

All elections of officers shall take place by a majority of those present and voting. If no candidate secures a majority, a run-off election shall be conducted between the two candidates with the highest number of votes.