

Senator Orientation Evaluation

Senator Orientation held August 16th, 2023

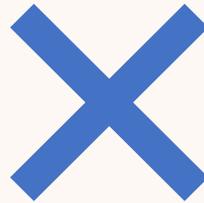
50/89 respondents

29 reported attending the Orientation
(approximately 60 Senators attended
the orientation)

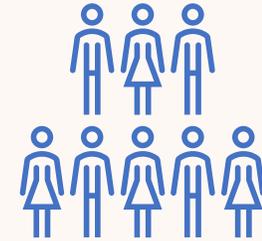
Attend Next Year's Orientation?



YES 85% (40)



No 15% (7)



Total
responses: 47

Best Timing for Next Year's Orientation

Day or two before classes begin – 76% (35)

First day of classes – 15% (7)

Another time – 9% (4)

- After second week of classes in the afternoon
- After the first week, but before the first Senate meeting

Worth your time to attend?



YES – 89% (25)



SOMEWHAT –
7% (2)



NO – 4% (1)

Session Value



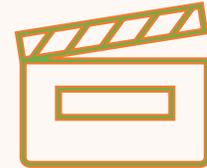
Purpose of University Senate:

somewhat (3)
valuable (14)
highly (11)



Meeting Procedures:

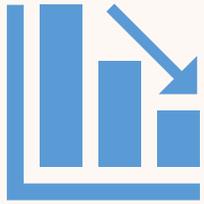
somewhat (4)
valuable (11)
highly (13)



Taking Action:

somewhat (5)
valuable (10)
highly (13)

Venue



Poor: 0



Good:
21% (6)



Excellent:
79% (23)

Reception

OK – 8% (2)

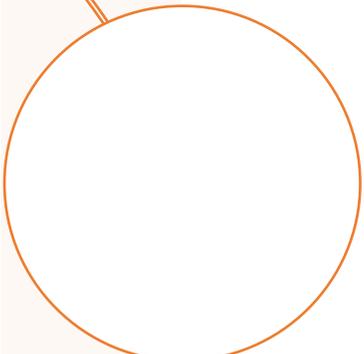
GOOD – 31% (8)

EXCELLENT – 62% (16)

Summary of Comments

- Meeting other Senators/talking informally (16)
- Information/taking action (10)
- Online discussions (Padlet) (1)
- Connecting with President Roberts and Provost Nathan (1)
- Food and Drink (1)

Sample Comments



“Getting informed and meeting other new and current Senators; gathering as a group likely creates some sense of familiarity which is good for setting a cohesive culture.”



“As a new senator it was helpful to feel welcomed into the position and to meet other senators to talk about their experiences.”