

## **Spring 2016 Faculty Senate Report for College Council**

### **Jennifer Redinger UFS Senator**

- Peter Knuepfer provided a year-end report of the Senate's president, Peter Knuepfer, about the resignation of the chancellor at the end of the coming academic year, the SUNY budget, the program in Applied Learning, and some significant activities of the Senate.
- Chancellor Zimpher provided a recap on the New York State budget for SUNY.
- Provost Cartwright provided a recap and PPT on SUNY's strategic agenda.
- Eileen McLoughlin, Vice Chancellor for Financial Services, A detailed itemization of the New York State budget.
- President of the SUNY Student Assembly, Thomas Mastro, presented on the activities of the Assembly over the past academic year.
- Senator from Stony Brook College spoke about the differences in the perspective of the budget between faculty and staff.
- The representative from SUNY University Faculty Senate Committee on Ethics and Institutional Integrity reported on their activities and accomplishments over the past few years.
- Senator of Buffalo State detailed some significant activities and developments at the University of Buffalo.
- The Senate's Graduate Research Committee offered a report of the results of a research project by on the resources needed to increase faculty engagement in research.

\*See attachment for activities of the plenary not mentioned in this list.