

Faculty Senate

2.4.22

11:30-11:40 Sign-in; quorum; approve [minutes from 1.14](#)

11:40-11:50 Announcements

11:50-12:00 Provost Updates

12:00-12:30 What Faculty Should Know About Student Accommodations Requests (officers from DSP, OTL, Title IX office)

12:30- 12:55 Title IX Conversation (officers from Title IX office)

12:55- 1:20 Task Force on Supporting Signature Work @ DU (Office of Associate Vice Provost for Public Good Strategy and Research)

1:20-1:30 Vote on FEAC seat (see below for ballot content)

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- Wait to be recognized before taking floor:
 - raise your Zoom-hand under 'Reactions' [or under 'Participants' if you have the older version of Zoom)
 - Or chat to front

- Calling on people in order or based on who has not yet spoken, etc.
- 1-minute timer; please stop talking when your time is up; you will hear the timer go off

OTL (Office of Teaching and Learning)

Leslie Alvarez: Director

Ellen Hogan: Accessibility Technologist for Learning and Instruction

DSP

Joshua Kaufman: Director

EO/Title IX

Emily Babb: Associate Vice Chancellor for Equal Opportunity & Title IX/Title IX Coordinator

Molly Hooker: Deputy Title IX Coordinator

Stuart Evans: Deputy Equal Opportunity Coordinator/Senior Investigator

Some framing points before we start...

According to the CDC, 61 million adults in the U.S. identify as a person with a disability, roughly one in four people.

The roughly one in four ratio is also reflective of the number of undergraduate students who interact with DSP during their enrollment.

Some framing points before we start...

With the support of Provost Clark, the OTL currently has a temporary position to support faculty with accessibility and student accommodations.

- **Ellen Hogan**, Accessibility Technologist for Learning and Instruction. Ellen's charge is to assist faculty in implementing accommodations in the classroom, regardless of modality. Being that she is only one person, Ellen prioritizes the most resource intensive accommodations first, for example, for faculty working with students who have vision loss, blindness, deafness.

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- The OTL also has an Instructional Designer (ID) designated as Instructional Designer of Accessibility and Universal Design for Learning (UDL), **Paula von Kretschmann**. Paula can help with a variety of accommodations delivered through Canvas. Her expertise in UDL means that she can assist with proactive strategies so that your Canvas shell and course practices are set up to address the most common DSP accommodations, reducing the need for additional work on a student-by-student basis.

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All OTL Instructional Designers (and your own area's Instructional Designer, if you have one, e.g. Daniels, Morgridge, UCOL) can help with the most common accommodations, like setting up an exam in Canvas with extended testing time.

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Also to note: DSP has been approved and is in the final stages of bringing on 2 additional Accommodations Specialists.

