

UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA
FACULTY SENATE OFFICE

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Faculty
FROM: Naval K. Modani *Naval*
Chair, Faculty Senate, Ext. 2804
DATE: February 23, 1996
SUBJECT: Faculty Senate Meeting - February 29, 1996
(Continuation of the Senate Meeting of February 22, 1996)

The Faculty Senate meeting on February 22, 1996 was recessed until February 29, 1996 to permit consideration of remaining business on the agenda.

The Faculty Senate will resume its meeting to consider the following business.

DATE: February 29, 1996
TIME: 4:00 p.m.
ROOM: PH 115

1. Roll Call
2. Announcements and Recognition of Guests
3. Committee Reports
4. New Business
 - a) Resolution 1995-96-8 (attached)
 - b) Resolution 1995-96-9 (attached)
5. Other
6. Adjournment

Resolution 1995-1996-8

Whereas, The faculty are in the best position to determine the length of time needed to present content in courses as designed and approved through the university curriculum process; and

Whereas, Current courses are designed for presentation of content over a full fifteen week semester plus a final examination class;

Be It Resolved, That a regular semester be composed of at least fifteen calendar weeks of instruction.

Resolution 1995-1996-9

Whereas, The practice of having a foreign language graduation requirement is not universal across Florida state universities; and

Whereas, Universities who do have a foreign language graduation requirement frequently determine the languages which meet this requirement at the department level, and

Whereas, Individual departments within the colleges are in the best position to determine if American Sign Language meets their requirement;

Be It Resolved, That college departments within UCF have the option to allow American Sign Language to meet the foreign language graduation requirements within specific degree programs