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West's Institutional Student Learning Outcomes:

**Critical Thinking, Communication, Quantitative Reasoning,  
Self Awareness/Interpersonal, Civic Responsibility,  
Technological Competence, Cultural Diversity, Ethics, and  
Aesthetics**

Eloise Crippens  
Academic Senate Past President

### Welcome to West!

As president of the Academic Senate, it is a privilege to welcome you to West Los Angeles College, **"The College in the Hills"**.

*"A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops." Henry B. Adams*

West Los Angeles College Academic Senate endeavors to serve the faculty locally, district wide and statewide. Our goal locally and statewide is to

1. Ensure all faculty of the governance responsibilities that include but are not limited to providing representation on all college and district committees related to Ed Code and Title 5 mandates.
2. Ensure the effective participation of faculty in the joint development of institutional policy, e.g., minimum qualifications and equivalencies, faculty hiring procedures, tenure review, faculty service areas, and faculty evaluation procedures.
3. Serve as the official spokesperson and advocate for the faculty in academic and professional matters.

Additionally, we also encourage all faculty to participate in all senate meetings and activities as well as college events.

***"Education is the key to unlock the golden door of freedom." George Washington Carver***

### Important Documents

- [Annual Planning/Budget Cycle , 2005 \(MS Word file\)](#)
- [Integrated Master Plan \(Acrobat/.pdf files\):](#)
  - [Vol 1: Educational Plan](#)
  - [Vol 2: Facilities Plan](#)

### Executive Board:

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[2007 Flex Day - Photos](#)

[Educational Master Plan \(Approved May 22, 2007\)](#)

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### Business:

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### College President's Report

- [April 23, 2007](#)

### Areas of Interest

- [AB1725](#)
- [Academic Integrity](#)
- [Accreditation Self Study](#)

### Links

- [Academic Integrity](#)
- [Academic Senate FAQs](#)
- [Accountability Reporting for Community Colleges \(ARCC/AB1417\), WLAC](#)

- [District Strategic Plan](#)
- [Environmental Impact Report \(EIR\)](#)
- [Leadership Retreat Summaries \(Acrobat/.pdf files\)](#)
  - [2006, Fall: Summary, Evaluation](#)
  - [2006, Spring: Summary, Evaluation \(Cover letter\)](#)
  - [2005: Summary](#)
  - [2004: Summary](#)
  - [2003: Summary, Evaluation](#)
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#### Summary and Comparisons

- [Academic Senate for the California Community Colleges \(ASCCC\)](#)
- [College Masterplan](#)
- [District Academic Senate \(DAS\)](#)
- [FACCC](#)
- [FPIP \(Faculty Prioritization\)](#)
- [LACCD Board Rules](#)
- [LACCD Faculty Services](#)
- [Payroll Calendar](#)
- [Staff Development](#)
- [Title 5](#)
- [WLAC 2005-06 Annual Summary](#)

#### FORMS

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- [Travel Expense Claim](#)
- [Equivalency Application \(Minimum Qualifications\)](#)
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- [Request for Travel Advance](#)

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