Welcome to the ASSC!

By enrolling at Solano Community College, you have become a member of the Associated Students of Solano College. The ASSC provides students with the ability to actively engage in all aspects of college life: social, academic, and administrative.

The ASSC Senate is our representative board and is comprised entirely of students like you! We are a fully chartered advisory body for the College, and we represent the student interest in everything from finance and budget planning to hiring committees. We even have an advisory vote on the Board of Trustees. The ASSC also manages all student clubs and activities, and maintains a budget to fund student events. Participation in student government is open to all students in good standing! The only requirement is enrollment in Political Science 50 (PLSC 050).

The Senate is presided over by an Executive Board comprised of a President, Vice-President, Student Trustee, Legislative Advocate, Treasurer, Secretary, and Public Relations Officer. Although anyone enrolled in PLSC 050 may be appointed a position, four executive roles -- President, Vice-President, Student Trustee, and Legislative Advocate -- are by election only. If you are interested in these leadership positions, you can find out more by visiting us online at www.solano.edu/assc, visiting the Student Development Office (Room 1425, across from the bookstore) or by contacting the Director of Student Development, Mostafa Ghous, at mostafa.ghous@solano.edu.

The ASSC Senate meets every Tuesday at 12:30pm, and our meetings are open to the public. Our agendas are posted regularly on our website, as well as in the ASSC Workroom window (Room 1406) and on the Student Center Bulletin Board (Building 1400, in the lobby.) Come by and see what we’re all about!
Student Government Elections

Every year the Associated Students of Solano College holds elections for four positions in Student Government: President, Vice-President, Student Trustee, and Legislative Advocate.

The President and Vice-President, who must run as a joint ticket, preside over the Student Senate meetings. The President meets regularly with the President of the College, manages student committees, proposes the ASSC budget, and makes sure the Senate adheres to policy documents, parliamentary procedure, and the Brown Act. The Vice-President assists in these duties, and runs the Inter-Club Council (ICC.)

The Student Trustee acts as the vote of the students at all SCC District Governing Board meetings on the first and third of the month. He or she is the liaison between the student body and the Board of Trustees.

The Legislative Advocate reports to the ASSC on federal and state legislative affairs affecting students and the college. He or she also represents the College at national, statewide, and regional student meetings, and serves as the chairperson of the Political Activities Committees.

Together with the Secretary, the Treasurer, and the Public Relations Officer, the Executive Board guides and facilitates the actions of the ASSC Senate.

If you’re interested in any of these positions, you can find out more about the exact duties and qualifications for each office as well as the election process itself at www.solano.edu/assc. If you choose to run, you can declare your candidacy by filing out a form at the Student Development Office – see the calendar to the right for deadlines.

ASSC Election Calendar
Fall 2012
(pending approval)

August 22nd to September 7th:
Declaration of Candidacy Filing Period*

September 13th:
Mandatory Candidates’ Meeting

September 17th to September 21st:
Campaign Week

September 19th and September 20th:
Mandatory Candidates’ Assembly
9:30AM – 11:00AM in Student Union Cafeteria

September 24th to September 27th:
Election Week**

October 1st:
Ballot Counting

October 2nd:
ASSC Ratification of Election Results

October 15th to October 18th:
Run-Off Election (if necessary)

*Forms available in the Student Development Office during regular Student Development Office hours. Forms must be submitted in person, directly to the ASSC Advisor or his designee.

**Polls open from 9AM to 1PM during the day, and from 6PM to 8PM in the evenings.