SENATE MEETING SUMMARY September 10, 2015

- Welcoming remarks from President Loh.
- 2015 Board of Regents Faculty & Staff awardees were honored.
- Willie Brown, Senate Chair, provided an overview of new shared governance principles and procedures.
- Reka Montfort, Director, provided an overview of expectations of senators, senate meeting operations, and principles of shared governance.
- 2015-2016 Committee & Council Slates were approved.
- Provost Rankin provided an overview of the Strategic Plan update process.
 - Provost's Office survey to collect feedback from the campus is available through September 30th.
 - Draft Strategic Plan Update will be available the week of September 14-18
 - The final Strategic Plan Update is anticipated to be presented to the Senate in February 2016.
- Relevant Links
 - BOR Awardees:
 - http://www.senate.umd.edu/news/archives/2015BORAwardWinners.cfm
 - Shared Governance Principles & Procedures: http://www.senate.umd.edu/meetings/materials/2015to2016/091015/shared_governance_procedures.pdf
 - Senator Orientation: http://www.senate.umd.edu/meetings/materials/2015to2016/091015/sen ate orientation.pdf
 - 2015-2016 Committee & Council Slates http://www.senate.umd.edu/sms/index.cfm?event=publicViewBill&billId=526&context=c
 - Provost Rankin's Strategic Plan Update Presentation: http://www.senate.umd.edu/meetings/materials/2015to2016/091015/strategic-plan-update.pps
 - Provost's Office Survey http://www.provost.umd.edu/sp_survey