

## President's Report

### Faculty Senate

April 23, 2012

- **CSU named among top 100 workplaces in Metro Atlanta.** Thanks for all you do. This comes at a time in which stresses are up and compensation has not reflected the great work of our colleagues—making this an incredible tribute to your great work. Details can be found at [http://ajc.topworkplaces.com/survey/ajc\\_12](http://ajc.topworkplaces.com/survey/ajc_12) More than 1,000 companies were nominated or asked to participate in the 2012 contest by the Journal-Constitution and its partner, Workplace Dynamics, after employees across the metro area responded to print and online solicitations that began appearing in October. Workplace Dynamics then surveyed 188 metro companies that agreed to participate— 20 more than last year. Each company required a survey response rate of at least 35 percent for employees based in metro Atlanta. Of large companies, Clayton State was rated 15<sup>th</sup>. Again, thanks for making this possible, and helping us serve the learning of our students, our faculty, our staff and our community each day.
- **Space allocation discussions** The Facilities review committee has been meeting, and will not be making recommendations to me and the campus leadership (Administrative Council) for a few days. Concerning Faculty Hall and current plans, all colleagues whose offices were previously there will be returned. While several colleagues/programs have made requests to be considered for locating in that facility (colleagues not previously assigned to that space), at this point, there are only requests. The openness in the process reflects our commitments to increase transparency a few years ago. As of now, no decisions have been made. Reports will be shared as they are available.
- **Budget Process** There was a campus open meeting on the budget on Friday morning. Budget reports are due to the System office on Monday, April 30 (the university only received allocation numbers and tuition levels on Tuesday, April 17—there good work is to be applauded. As discussions continue with the Planning and Budget Advisory Committee, we will share them with campus.
- **Questions** Please send them to me at [timhynes@clayton.edu](mailto:timhynes@clayton.edu)