

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

ACADEMIC SENATE

UNIVERSITY COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC FREEDOM

Notice of Meeting

April 21, 2005

UC Office of the President, Room 12322

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

<http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/senate/ucaf>

Action	Item	Enclosure
Information/ Action	<b>I. Chair’s Announcements– <i>Patrick Fox</i></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Approval of November 18, 2004 meeting minutes</li> </ul>	
10:15-10:45 Information/	<b>II. Update from the Academic Senate Chair – <i>George Blumenthal.</i></b>	
Information/ Discussion	<b>III. Member Items and Campus Reports</b> All UCAF members are invited to report on or discuss local issues or topics of their choosing.	
	<b>12:00 to 1:00 - LUNCH BREAK</b> Discussion may continue over lunch.	
Information/ Discussion/ Action	<b>IV. Academic Freedom and Students</b> <i>Continuing discussion of the possible development of a University policy or statement related to academic freedom for students. With updates from Pat Fox and Barbara Epstein, who sit on a systemwide policy workgroup devoted to that issue. Additional background materials were included in the November agenda packet.</i>	
2:00-3:00 Information/ Discussion/ Action	<b>V. Corporate Influence on Research</b> <i>– With UCORP Chair Max Neiman (UCR), joining by phone at 2pm. Discussion of corporate influence, conflict of interest, and research integrity, as well as selection of members to serve on a joint subcommittee with members of the University Committee on Research Policy.</i>	
Information/ Discussion	<b>VI. CA Senate Bill 5—Student Bill of Rights</b> <i>SB 5 is proposed legislation that would require UC to adopt and implement a "Student Bill of Rights," a set of principles relating to academic freedom.</i>	