



Board of Trustees

Los Angeles Community College District
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AGENDA

ADDENDUM

ORDER OF BUSINESS - REGULAR MEETING

Wednesday, January 12, 2011

First Public Session 11:30 a.m.

Closed Session 12:30 p.m.

Second Public Session 3:30 p.m.

Los Angeles City College
Camino Theatre
855 N. Vermont Avenue
Los Angeles, California 90029

XV. Reports and Recommendations from the Board

- BT1. Resolution – Writing Center at Los Angeles Valley College be Officially Named the Zuckerman Writing Center **(Revised)**
- BT2. Resolution – Conferral of Honorary Degree Upon Daisaku Ikeda–2010 **(Revised)**
- BT3. Resolution – Conferral of Honorary Degree Upon Kaneko Ikeda–2010 **(Revised)**
- BT6. Conference Attendance Authorization



Board of Trustees

Los Angeles Community College District

ACTION

REVISED

Com. No. BT1

Division

Board of Trustees

Date: January 12, 2011

Subject: **RESOLUTION – WRITING CENTER AT LOS ANGELES VALLEY COLLEGE BE OFFICIALLY NAMED THE ZUCKERMAN WRITING CENTER**

The following resolution is presented by Trustees Scott-Hayes and Field:

WHEREAS, Marvin S. Zuckerman began his association with Los Angeles Valley College in 1966 as an hourly instructor and then became a regular full-time faculty member in the English Department in 1976 and then the Chairperson of the English Department from 1982 to 1997; and

WHEREAS, Marvin S. Zuckerman has authored many scholarly works, including but not limited to, WORDS, WORDS, WORDS, BETTER COLLEGE READING, that have assisted colleagues and students alike in learning about and developing an appreciation for the languages of English and Yiddish; and

WHEREAS, Marvin S. Zuckerman was instrumental in the college receiving a substantial grant in the amount of \$1 million to establish the college's first Writing Center, a place dedicated to assisting Los Angeles Valley College students in understanding how to write; and

WHEREAS, Marvin S. Zuckerman was essential in institutionalizing the Writing Center as an independent department with dedicated staffing within the college and expanding the mission of the Center to support writing across the curriculum; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That in honor of Marvin S. Zuckerman's dedication to student success and commitment to improving literacy, the Writing Center at Los Angeles Valley College be officially named the Zuckerman Writing Center.

Chancellor and
Secretary of the Board of Trustees

By _____ Date _____

Candaele _____	Pearlman _____
Field _____	Santiago _____
Mercer _____	Scott-Hayes _____
Park _____	Tong _____
	Student Trustee Advisory Vote



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ACTION

REVISED

Com. No. BT2

Division

Board of Trustees

Date: January 12, 2011

Subject: **RESOLUTION – CONFERRAL OF HONORARY DEGREE UPON DAISAKU IKEDA – 2010**

The following resolution is presented by Trustees Scott-Hayes and Field:

WHEREAS, Throughout the 1980s and 1990s, Dr. Daisaku Ikeda's peace proposals addressed such themes as the power of dialogue, the adoption of a Universal Declaration Renouncing War, and the need for mutual respect in cultural exchange; and he further cited the important role of the United Nations in maintaining global security, while challenging it to become more representative of the people, rather than just nation states; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ikeda, who has attained the status of a world-renowned Buddhist scholar and peace activist, has made it his personal mission to engage in more than one thousand five hundred (1,500) dialogues for peace with noted world leaders, such as Dr. Arnold Toynbee; Nobel Laureate and former President of South Africa Nelson Mandela; former United States Secretary of State Henry Kissinger; former Soviet Union President, Mikhail Gorbachev; civil rights leader, Rosa Parks; and Dr. Elise Boulding; and

WHEREAS, For his humanitarian endeavors in a range of fields, Dr. Ikeda has been a recipient of numerous honorary doctorates and awards, including the United Nation Peace Award, the Rosa Parks Humanitarian Award, the National Order of the Southern Cross of the Republic of Brazil, the United States Congressional Award, the Honorary Cross of Science and the Arts from the Austrian Ministry of Education, the Medal of the Grand Officer of Arts and Letters from the French Ministry of Culture, the Grand Officer Award from the President of the Italian Republic, and the World Poet Laureateship from the World Poetry Society, the Order of Friendship from Russia, and an Honorary Doctorate from the University of Guam; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Ikeda has donated a significant collection of books to the West Los Angeles College (WLAC) Library and through the College's Value Creating Society student club has hosted several exhibits promoting peace, culture, and education such as the Artists as Peacemakers, Victory Over Violence, and Building a Culture of Peace for the Children of the World; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Daisaku Ikeda has dedicated more than sixty (60) years of his life to the promotion of peace, culture, and education through his committed efforts as a leader of SGI, and he continues to serve as an inspiring example of how one person's committed efforts can transform the lives of millions of people around the world, including those of us here at West Los Angeles College; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees of the Los Angeles Community College District hereby ratifies the award of the degree of Associate of Arts, *honoris causa*, to Dr. Daisaku Ikeda, with all the honors, privileges, and duties pertaining thereto.

Chancellor and
Secretary of the Board of Trustees

By _____ Date _____

Candaele _____	Pearlman _____
Field _____	Santiago _____
Mercer _____	Scott-Hayes _____
Park _____	Tong _____ Student Trustee Advisory Vote



Board of Trustees

Los Angeles Community College District

ACTION

REVISED

Com. No. BT3

Division

Board of Trustees

Date: January 12, 2011

Subject: **RESOLUTION – CONFERRAL OF HONORARY DEGREE UPON KANEKO IKEDA – 2010**

The following resolution is presented by Trustees Scott-Hayes and Field:

WHEREAS, Kaneko Ikeda values education and culture as the prerequisites for the creation of true peace in which the dignity and fundamental rights of all people are respected, a belief which is fully supported and encouraged by her loving husband, Daisaku Ikeda, and their two sons; and

WHEREAS, In light of her worldwide endeavors supporting educational programs, Kaneko Ikeda holds the well-deserved title of Honorary Professor at Soka Women's College of Japan, the University of Flores in Argentina, and Fujian Teachers University in China, as well as an Honorary Doctorate of Law from the Chinese Culture University of Taiwan; and

WHEREAS, Kaneko Ikeda is the recipient of numerous honors, awards, and accolades from organizations found throughout the world and is an active member of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Board of Sponsors at Morehouse College and the Advisory Board of Directors for The Non-Violence Project in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Ikeda has donated a significant collection of books to the West Los Angeles College (WLAC) Library and through the College's Value Creating Society student club has sponsored several exhibits promoting peace, culture, and education such as the Artists as Peacemakers, Victory Over Violence, and Building a Culture of Peace for the Children of the World; and

WHEREAS, Kaneko Ikeda has dedicated more than sixty (60) years of her life to the promotion of peace, culture, and education through her committed efforts as a leader of Soka Gakkai International (SGI), and she continues to serve as an inspiring example of how one person's committed efforts can transform the lives of millions of people around the world, including those of us here at West Los Angeles College; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, Upon the recommendation of the West Los Angeles College Academic Senate, that the Board of Trustees of the Los Angeles Community College District hereby ratifies the award of the degree of Associate of Arts, *honoris causa*, to Kaneko Ikeda, with all the honors, privileges, and duties pertaining thereto.

Chancellor and
Secretary of the Board of Trustees

By _____ Date _____

Candaele _____	Pearlman _____
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Mercer _____	Scott-Hayes _____
Park _____	Tong _____ Student Trustee Advisory Vote



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ADDENDUM

Com. No. BT6

Division

Board of Trustees

Date: January 12, 2011

Subject: **CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE AUTHORIZATION**

- A. Authorize payment of necessary expenses for Kelly Candaele, member of this Board of Trustees, to attend the Community College League of California Annual Legislative Conference to be held on January 23-24, 2011 in Sacramento, California.

Chancellor and
Secretary of the Board of Trustees

By _____ Date _____

Candaele _____	Pearlman _____
Field _____	Santiago _____
Mercer _____	Scott-Hayes _____
Park _____	Tong _____
	Student Trustee Advisory Vote