

**TEXAS COUNCIL OF FACULTY SENATES
FALL MEETING
OCTOBER 28-29, 2011**

PROGRAM

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2011 - Salon F,G,H

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| 11:00 A.M. – Noon | Orientation for New TCFS Members |
| 1:00 P.M. – 1:15 P.M. | Welcome – TCFS, TACT and AAUP Presidents |
| 1:15 P.M. – 2:30 P.M. | Panel Discussion “Texas Legislature and Texas Higher Education”
<i>Moderator: Lavelle Hendricks, TAMU Commerce</i>
<i>Grover Campbell, Vice President for Governmental Relations,</i>
<i>University of Houston System</i>
<i>Sean Cunningham, Vice Chancellor for Governmental Relations,</i>
<i>Texas State University System</i>
<i>Gwen Grigsby, University of Texas Austin Governmental Relations</i>
<i>Michael O’Quinn, Vice President for Government Relations,</i>
<i>Texas A&M University</i> |
| 2:30 P.M. – 2:45 P.M. | Legislative Report (TACT) – Representative Donna Howard |
| 2:45 P.M. – 3:45 P.M. | Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board Update
<i>Lucy Heston, Program Director, Academic Programs (THECB)</i> |
| 3:45 P.M. – 4:00 P.M. | Break |
| 4:00 P.M. – 5:30 P.M. | TCFS Roundup Reports |
| 5:30 P.M. – 6:00 P.M. | University Systems Meetings - Lone Star I and II |
| 6:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M. | TCFS Business Meeting |
| 7:00 P.M. | Banquet – Lone Star II and III
<i>Cary Nelson, President, American Association of University Professors</i> |

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2011

Assembly of State Conferences AAUP Advocacy Workshop

8:30-9:00 **Coffee and Registration**

9:00-10:00 **“Seven Myths about Academic Freedom and Tenure,”** Greg Scholtz, Director of Programs in Academic Freedom, Tenure, and Governance

10:00-11:00 **“Faculty Handbooks and Shared Governance,”** Puri Martinez, Vice Chair of the Assembly of State Conferences

11:00-11:15 Coffee

11:15-12:15 **“Government Relations,”** Brian Turner, Secretary

12:15-1:15 **Lunch**

“A Faculty Agenda for Hard Times,” Cary Nelson, AAUP President

1:15-2:15 **Governing Boards,** Lynn Tatum and Peter Hugill

2:15-3:15 **“Chapter Development and the State Conference,”** Donna Potts, ASC chair, Judith Johnston, ASC past chair; Joerg Tiede, AAUP membership committee; chapter development ad hoc committee

3:15-3:30 Break

3:30-4:30 Academic Freedom, Jeff Kraus, Member at large

4:30-5:30 Shared Governance, Faculty Senates, and AAUP, Charles Smith, Treasurer