



Santa Monica College  
Associated Student Board of Directors  
2016 Student Leadership Development Training Retreat  
1900 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica, 90405  
August 21, 22, & 23, 2017

**Santa Monica College**

**August 21, 2017**

Training: 8:00am-12:30pm LS 152

(Lunch<sup>1</sup>: 12:30pm-2:00 pm)

Training: 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm Pool Sun Deck

Training: 3:00pm-6:00 LS 152

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**Agenda**

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**Day One Agenda: SMC Leadership and Communication**

- I. Welcome
  - A. Introductions
  - B. Public Comments
- II. The Basics—*Nancy Grass*
  - A. Constitution and Bylaws
  - B. Office of Student Life
- III. Communication and Leadership—*Nancy Grass*  
\*Note: We will take a break from 10:10 to 10:25 for the Solar Eclipse.
- IV. The Brown Act and Legal Status of the Associated Students and the Board of Directors  
—*Bob Myers*

Lunch with President's Ambassadors and College Staff—*Pool Sun Deck*

- V. Participatory Governance and DPAC—*V.P. Michael Tuitasi*
- VI. Parliamentary Procedure—*Nancy Grass*
- VII. Student Leadership and Academic Responsibilities—*Benny Blaydes and Jeff Gordon*
- VIII. Team Building Activity—*Nancy Grass*

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**August 22, 2017**

Training: 8:00am-10:15 am LS 152

Training: 10:30-11:30 pm Cayton Lounge

Lunch<sup>2</sup>: 11:30pm-1:15 pm Bike Ride and Metro

Training: 1:15pm -4:00pm Cayton Lounge

Training: 4:00pm-6:00 LS 152

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**Day Two Agenda: Being an SMC Student Leader**

- I. Public Comments
- II. Myers Briggs Assessment—*Vicki Rothman*
- III. Title IX Overview and Workshop—*Lisa Winter*

Lunch with President's Ambassadors—*Bike and Metro Field Trip*

- IV. Heavy Lifting: Being a Positive Deviant in Challenging Times—*Michael Jackson*
- IX. Amphitheater Update—*Lizzy Moore*
- X. Team Building Activity—*Nancy Grass*
- V. Working with the Media—*Ashanti Blaize, Sharyn Obsatz and Redelia Shaw*

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Training: 8:00am-12:30pm LS 152

Lunch<sup>3</sup>: 12:30pm-1:30pm Cayton Lounge

Training: 1:30pm-6:00pm LS 152

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**Agenda Day Three: Student Leadership in Action**

- I. Public Comments
- II. Administering Your Organization—*Nancy Grass*
- III. Event Planning—*Linda Sullivan*
- IV. A.S. Budget 101—*Mitch Heskell and David Dever*

Lunch—*Cayton Lounge*

- V. Conflict Management Styles—*Nancy Grass*
- VI. Decision Making and Standard Agenda—*Nancy Grass*
- VII. A.S. Board Visioning and Goal Setting—*Jennifer Chen and Directors*

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