



**Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences  
PHILOSOPHY DEPARTMENT  
Tuesday, April 4, 2023**

**MINUTES**

- Members:**
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dean: Chris Gold | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Felipe Leon          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Michael Critelli            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Melissa Ramirez Noss |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Larry Fike       | <input type="checkbox"/> David Shever                    |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Randy Firestone  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Luca Struble         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Roberto Garcia   |  |
- Guests:**
- Sal Navarro
  - Cecelia Mataalii
  - Irena Zugic
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I) New BSS Associate Dean – Irena Zugic

II) Counselor’s Report – Sal Navarro

- First Gen Events
  - **Wednesday, May 31** - Grad Cap Decorating Event, In n Out will cater and a DJ will play music
  - **Wednesday, June 7** - Your Future is Flavorful - ice cream social for students who are graduating; we are currently in the process of getting various services to table at the event
  - **Friday, June 9** - Photo booth for students to take pictures prior to the commencement ceremony
- **Pride Week 5/3-6/3**
  - A variety events schedule to celebrate LGBTQI+ Students, faculty and staff. (See slide 4 for list of events)
- Transfer Center (see slide 5 for workshops and events)
  - **CSUDH Toro Day Open House** - Saturday, April 8, 2023: 10am-1pm
  - **UC Santa Barbara Tour** (Transportation will be provided by ECC) - Saturday, April 15, 2023 6:15am-5pm

III) Scheduling and Enrollment

- Average of 31 sections offered between Spring 2020 and Spring 2023
  - Fill rates have dropped slightly in Spring 2023.
  - Online sections have higher fill rates than other modalities
- Discussed students influence on scheduling classes in future semesters.
  - Decreased the number of on campus classes due to low fill rates

- More online sections
- Flexible schedule to meet student modality needs
- Avoid scheduling overlapping sections of a course or courses required for a major.

#### IV) Student Success and Gap Data

- Success rates range from 60-65% between Fall 2019 and Fall 2022.
  - Online sections have higher success rates than other modalities.
- Asian American and White students have remained above the average success rate.
  - Asian American Students dropped but have remained above average but have dropped slightly in Fall 2022.
  - White student's success rate has remained above average but have dropped slightly in Fall 2022.
- In Fall 2019-Fall 2022 Latinx students equity gap decreased slightly to -3.5 below average.
- Equity gaps for African American students has increased from Fall 2019 -17.2 to Fall 2022 -21.6.
  - Discussed how department can decrease equity gaps for African American students.

#### V) SLOs and Curriculum

- Spring 2023 SLOs
  - PHIL 103 SLO 3
  - PHIL 106 SLO 1
  - PHIL 113 SLO 2
  - PHIL 114 SLOs 1,2,3 (POLI assesses this)
- No curriculum due

#### VI) New Building and Offices

- The opening for the new building is tentatively scheduled for September 1, 2023. This date may change due to weather conditions.
- The dean is planning a soft move in during the Fall 2023 semester.
- Winter 2024 will be in new building if opening stays on schedule.
- Division council unanimously voted that will office selection will go by seniority.

#### VII) Announcements

- Rodolfo Otero will be offering a presentation on traditional healing.
- Presidential Scholars and Academic Awards 2023 – Due to VPAA April 28th.



Philosophy  
Department Meeting

Thursday, April 4, 2023

# Philosophy Department

## Reports and Announcements

# Salvador Navarro – BSS Counselor Report

A vibrant poster for the Black El Camino College Expo. The background is black with colorful abstract shapes in green, red, and yellow. Two stylized silhouettes of Black women with large, curly hair are the central focus. The text 'BLACK EL CAMINO COLLEGE EXPO' is prominently displayed in large, bold, multi-colored letters. Below the title, the date and time are listed: 'April 5, 2023 5:30-8 p.m. East Dining Room'. A list of features includes 'Application Assistance', 'Family/Support System Workshops', 'Resource Fair', 'Chat with a Counselor', 'Campus Tours', 'Enrollment Support', and 'Games & Free Food!'. At the bottom, there is contact information and a QR code labeled 'SCAN ME'.

**BLACK EL CAMINO COLLEGE EXPO**

**April 5, 2023  
5:30-8 p.m.  
East Dining Room**

Find out what El Camino has to offer at the Black El Camino College Expo! This event is in collaboration with the Black Student Success Center and is open to all individuals who identify as Black/African American and want to learn about the support and resources available at ECC.

**Free Parking in Lot C!**

**FEATURES**

- Application Assistance
- Family/Support System Workshops
- Resource Fair
- Chat with a Counselor
- Campus Tours
- Enrollment Support
- Games & Free Food!

**SCAN ME**

For more information, contact us at: [outreach@elcamino.edu](mailto:outreach@elcamino.edu) or call (310) 660-3487  
If you anticipate needing any type of accommodation, or have questions about the physical access provided, email [outreach@elcamino.edu](mailto:outreach@elcamino.edu) as soon as possible.

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# LGBTQIA+ Events:

## **PRIDE WEEK 5/30-6/3 (multiple locations)**

### **Tuesday, May 30<sup>th</sup>**

- Politicians/policy makers panel (Shay & Bri) (ideally SJC, but can be Zoom) (ideally 1:15-2:15, but can be anytime before 4pm)
  - Ted Lieu
  - President Thames
- Artist/Poet (Kenny) (SJC) (ideally 2:30-4:30)
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- Drag Bingo (Bryce & a host TBD) (SJC) (6:30)
  - Serve dinner

### **Wednesday, May 31<sup>st</sup>**

- Community member speakers (Shay & Bri) (ideally SJC, but can be Zoom) (ideally 1:15-2:15, but can be anytime before 4pm)
  - Dottie
  - Scott Houston
- Games & Karaoke (Theresa, Celina, Bryce, Shay, & Bri) (SJC) (Anytime after 1pm)
- Haag Hall Performances
  - Dance performance (Bryce) (7:15pm)
  - Gay Men's Chorus (8pm-9pm)

### **Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup>**

- Festival (10am-2pm)
  - Food truck (Bri)
    - Queer-run/owned
  - Drag performance
  - Talent showcase / open mic
    - Shay got an interest from the Trans Chorus LA
    - Dance
    - Singing
    - Spoken word
    - Etc.
  - Get into Drag booth (Celina)
    - Collab with Cosmetology & Fashion departments
  - Make your own pin/button

- Upcycling
  - Collab with Warrior Closet and Fashion
  - Make prom outfits if wanted
- Coming Out door
- Collab with clubs for booths
- Politicians for booths
- Departments/divisions for booths
  - Library hopefully
- Local businesses & community projects for booths
  - SB Center
  - SB PFLAG
  - SB Pride Paddle
  - Chamber of Commerce
- Dance class
  - Collab with Salsa club & Dance department (Bryce)
- Video games
  - Collab w/ video game club and Esports
- Movie night (Social Justice Center) (Lili & Shay) (6pm)
  - *But I'm a Cheerleader*
  - *Love, Simon*
  - *Given* (anime show)
  - Serve dinner

### **Friday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>**

- Leave campus (10am)
- LA LGBTQ Center tour (11am-1pm) (Issac)
  - Quiz on what was learned
- WeHo lunch (1pm)
- Queer-sites driving tour
- Theme: Queer Tourist

### **Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>**

- Prom (SJC) (7pm-12am ideally) (Lili, Theresa, & Issac)
  - Theme: Flag Colors
  - Coordinate with campus police
  - Collab with health center for condoms and dental dams

### **Lavender Graduation**

- Thursday, June 8<sup>th</sup> 6-8p.m., location and other details to come.

*\*Stay on the lookout for a flyer/ announcement coming from Marketing and Communication for both events*

## Transfer Center Events:

<https://www.elcamino.edu/academics/transfer-center/events-and-workshops/index.aspx>.

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## ECC Transfer Center Spring 2023 Drop- In Hours:

	IN PERSON DROP-IN @ Transfer Center	VIRTUAL DROP-IN
Mondays:	11:00am-12:00pm (Cancelled 4/10)	n/a
Tuesdays:	3:00-5:00pm (Cancelled 3/14 & 4/11)	n/a
Wednesdays:	n/a	9:00-10:30am (Cancelled 3/1 & 4/12)
Thursdays:	n/a	5:00-6:00pm (Cancelled 4/13)
Fridays:	Closed	Closed

# Career Services *Spring '23* Workshop & Events

Virtual registration links will be provided on our website no later than two weeks prior to the workshop/event

### March

- **Behavioral & Social Sciences Employer Tabling** - Wed, March 15: 10:30-2:30pm at the Student Services Plaza
- **Interview Workshop** - Thurs, March 16: 1:00-2:30pm (Zoom)
- **"I have no work experience"** - Tues, March 21: 2:30-3:30pm. In-person at the Communication Bldg. 206
- **Undecided Workshop** - Wed, March 22: 4:00-5:30pm (Zoom)
- **Resume Workshop** - Mon, March 27: 4:00-5:30pm In-person at SSB Lab 200
- **Industry & Tech Employer Tabling** - Wed, March 29: 10:30-2:30pm, In-person at the Student Services Plaza
- **Interview Workshop** - Thurs, March 30: 4:00-5:30pm In-person at at SSB Lab 200

### May

- **What Can I do with a Psychology Degree?** - Tues, May 2: 1:00-2:30pm. In-person at SSB Lab 200
- **Undecided Workshop** - Wed, May 3: 4:00-5:30pm (Zoom)
- **What Can I do with an ECC Business Degree?** - Thurs, May 4: 1:00-2:30pm. Zoom
- **Smart Goals Workshop** - Mon, May 8: 2:00-3:30pm In-person at the Communication Bldg. 206
- **Meta-Major Con** - Tues, May 9: 10:00-2:00pm In-person at the Student Services Plaza
- **Resume Workshop** - Wed, May 10: 1:00-2:30pm In-person at the Communication Bldg. 206
- **Undecided Workshop** - Tues, May 16: 5:30-7:00pm (Zoom)
- **Creative Arts & LCJ employer Tabling** - Wed, May 17: 10:30-2:30pm at the Student Services Plaza
- **Undecided Workshop** - Mon, May 22: 5:30-7:00pm (Zoom)
- **Working at Dreamwork** - Tues, May 23: 2:30-3:30pm (Zoom)
- **Interview Workshop** - Tues, May 23: 12:00 - 1:30 pm (Zoom)


### April

- **Smart Goals Workshop** - Mon, April 3: 1:00-2:30pm In-person at the Communication Bldg. 206
- **Jobs in healthcare** - Tues, April 4: 2:30-3:30pm In-person at the Communication Bldg. 206
- **Resume Workshop** - Tues, April 4: 1:00-2:30pm In-person at SSB Lab 200
- **Interview Workshop** - Wed, April 5: 1:00-2:30pm In-person at the Communication Bldg. 206
- **Business Employer Tabling** - Wed, April 5: 10:30-2:30pm, In-person at the Student Services Plaza
- **Linkedin 101** - Mon, April 17: 3:30-5:00pm (Zoom)
- **Smart Goals Workshop** - Tues, April 18: 5:30-7:00pm (Zoom)

### June

- **Undecided workshop** - Thurs, June 1: 12:00-1:30pm In-person at SSB lab 200

**To attend a workshop/event register at our website:**  
<https://www.elcamino.edu/support/careers/index.aspx>  
 or use the QR code




**Connect with us!!**

☎ (310)660-3593 EXT. 6137

📍 Communications Bldg., 206

📷 @ECCcareerservices



### Scheduling Counseling Appointments:

Students are now able to book appointments via this link:

<https://www.elcamino.edu/support/counseling/appointments.aspx>

### Spring 2023 Weekly Drop- In with BSS Counselors

Available both in person and on zoom during these dates and times for Spring 2023

Tuesdays: 12:00-1:00pm SSVc 272

Thursdays: 12:30-1:30pm SSVc 252

Students can check in at Counseling Front Desk or join online through zoom (flyer coming soon)

*\*Note: Drop in is limited to 10 minutes per student and does not include educational plans or transcript evaluations.*

### Meta Major Outreach

*Chat with a Counselor BSS*

**First Tuesdays of every month for Spring 2023: March 7<sup>th</sup> April 4<sup>th</sup> May 2<sup>nd</sup> June 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Location:** Between South Gym and Social Science Building

**Time:** 9am-11am

**DROP BY AND CHAT WITH A COUNSELOR**

For students whose major is in Behavioral and Social Sciences.

**Quick questions**

**Snack**  
juice or cookie

**Meet us!**  
Counselors

**9AM-11AM**

**MARCH 7TH  
APRIL 4TH  
MAY 2ND  
JUNE 6TH**

**BETWEEN THE SOUTH GYM  
AND SOCIAL SCIENCE BLDG.**

**QUESTIONS?**

310-660-3442

[www.elcamino.edu/support/counseling/index.aspx](http://www.elcamino.edu/support/counseling/index.aspx)



# Spring 2020-23 Section Count

Class	Spring 2020 (22 sections)	Spring 2021 (21 sections 59% fill)	Spring 2022 (22 sections 58% fill)	Spring 2023 (21 sections 71% fill)
101	10	9 (60%)	10 (55%)	9 (74% fill)
101H	1	1 (90%)	1 (87%)	1 (103%)
103	4	4 (46%)	3 (85%)	3 (74%)
105	3	3 (88%)	3 (69%)	3 (88%)
106	2	2 (59%)	3 (30%)	3 (53%)
107	1	1 (82%)	1 (80%)	1 (82%)
113	1	1 (13%)	1 (22%)	1 (24%)

# Enrollment and Modality (Week 3 snapshot)

## Spring 2022

Total Sections – 22 sections  
Seats Filled – 586  
Overall Fill Rate – 64% fill rate

Online – 13 sections, 88% fill rate  
On Campus – 6 sections, 24% fill rate  
Live Online – 1 section, 16% fill rate  
Hybrid – 2 sections, 45% fill rate

## Fall 2022

Total Sections – 21 sections  
Seats Filled – 646  
Overall Fill Rate – 72% fill rate

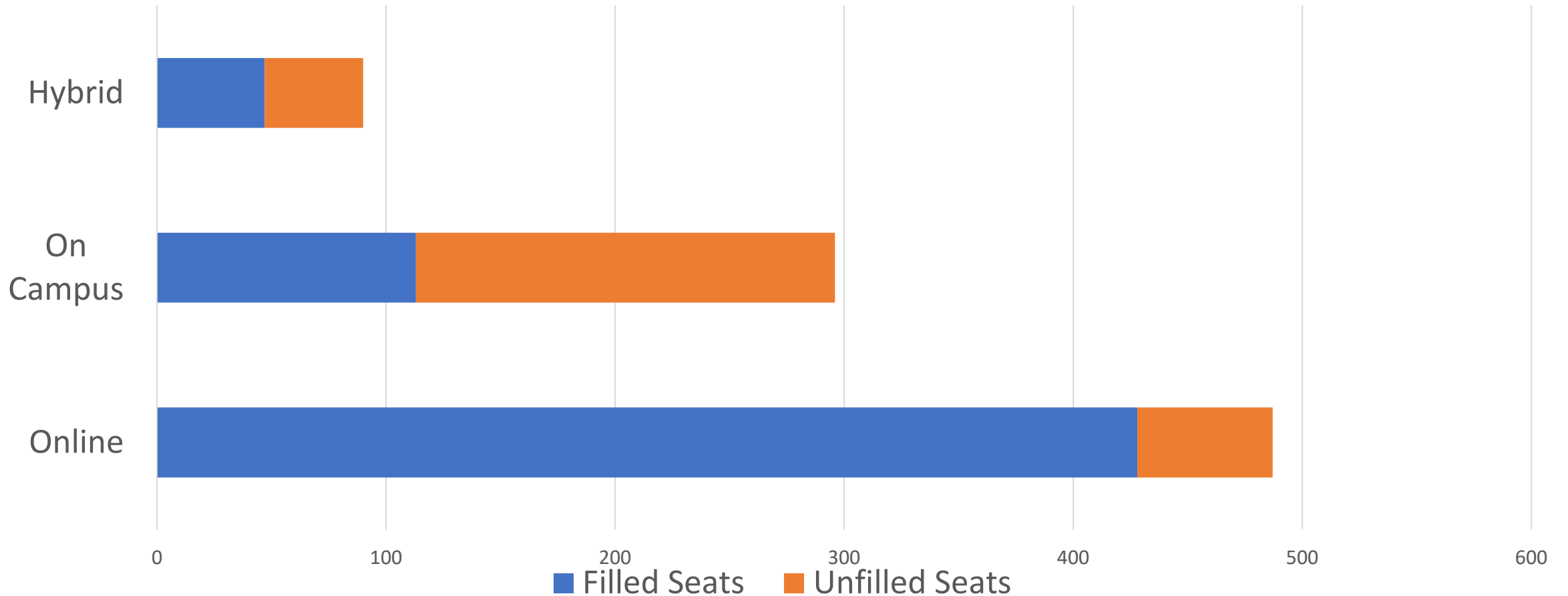
Online – 14 sections, 83% fill rate  
On Campus – 5 sections, 51% fill rate  
Hybrid – 2 sections, 44% fill rate

## Spring 2023

Total Sections – 21 sections  
Seats Filled – 588  
Overall Fill Rate – 67% fill rate

Online – 12 sections, 88% fill rate  
On Campus – 7 sections, 38% fill  
Hybrid – 2 sections, 52% fill rate

# Spring 2023 Enrollment – Seats Filled and Unfilled



# Fall 2023 Scheduling

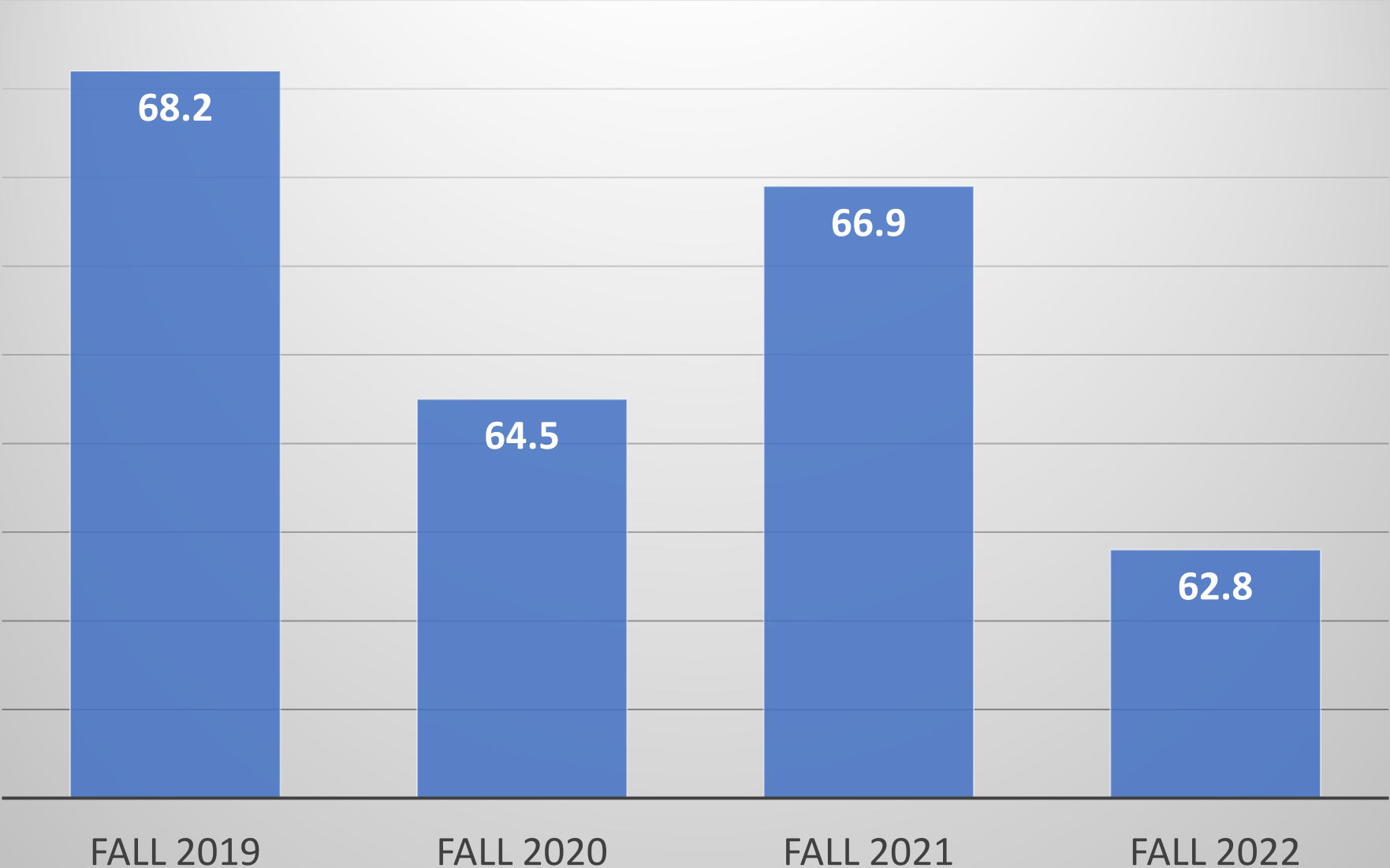
**Scheduling Priority:** Improve fill rates while maximizing student access to general education and major's courses in a strategically selected variety of modalities that reflect enrollment patterns and shifting student demand since the return to campus.

## **Goals/Factors**

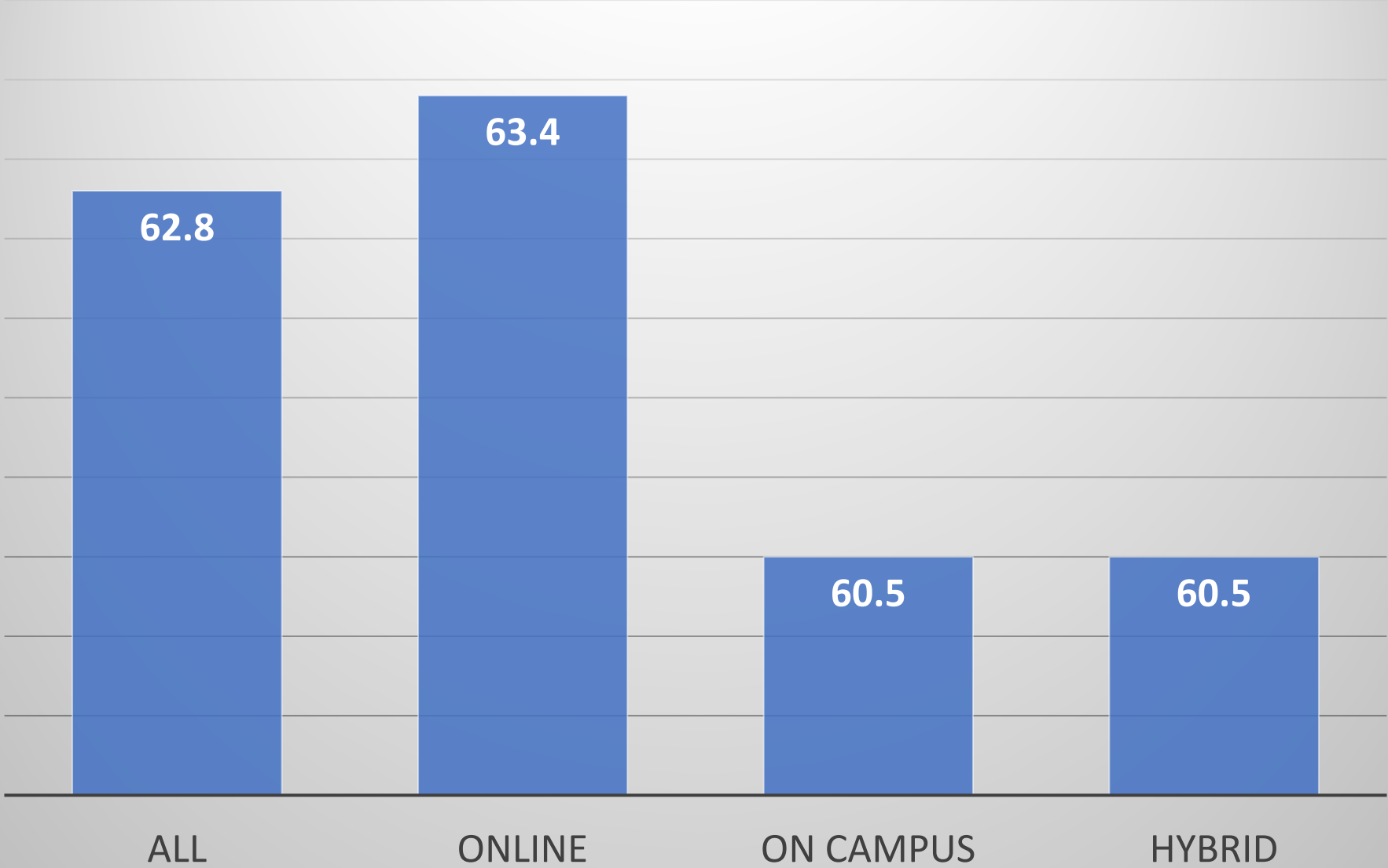
1. Strategically schedule fewer on campus sections, so we don't have multiple sections of a course with very low enrollment yet we still maintain a variety of on campus options for students (Spring 2023 BSS on campus fill rate 54%).
2. Maintain online sections (Spring 2023 BSS online fill rate 87%).
3. Avoid scheduling overlapping sections of a course or courses required for a major.
4. Modest demand for on campus and hybrid classes will support the expectation that faculty be teaching on campus 2 days a week in Fall 2023. In Spring 2024, it is possible that will increase to 3 instructional days a week on campus.
5. All classes must comply with the block schedule.



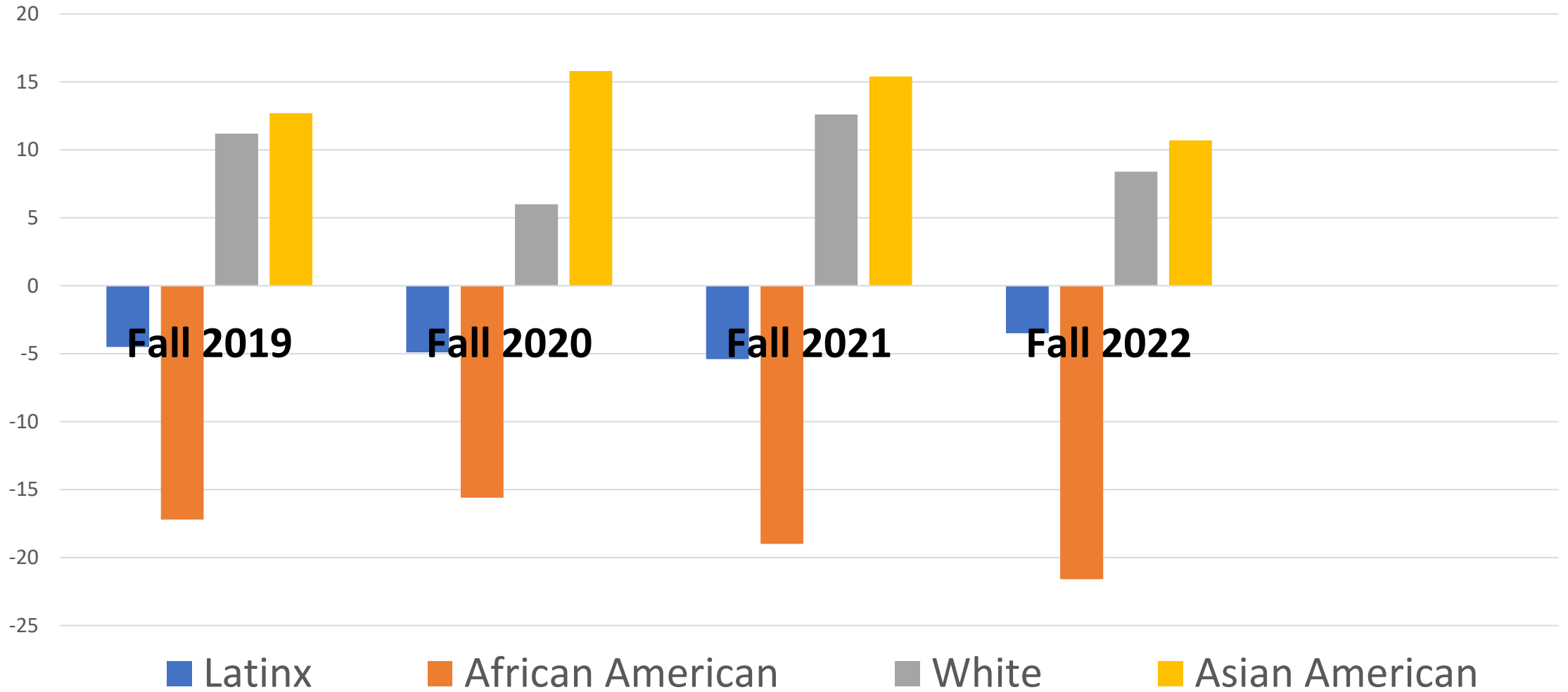
# Success – Philosophy Fall 2019-2022



# Success by Modality – Philosophy Fall 2022



# Success Gaps – Philosophy - Fall 2019-2022



# PLOs/SLOs and Curriculum

## Spring 2023 - Randy

PHIL 103 SLO 3

PHIL 106 SLO 1

PHIL 113 SLO 2

PHIL 114 SLOs 1,2,3 (POLI assesses this)

Gateway Course Assessment through Canvas. Simplifies the process with a standard assessment and allows for disaggregation, which is required by accreditation.

## Curriculum

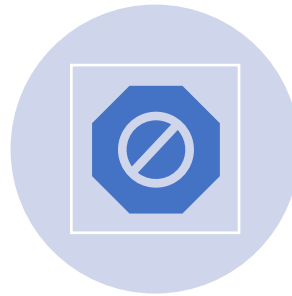
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# SOCS Building Move and Offices



Construction is delayed – the building will possibly be ready to be occupied on September 1, 2023



Will avoid disrupting instruction with the move.



Possible instruction to begin in new building Winter 2024.



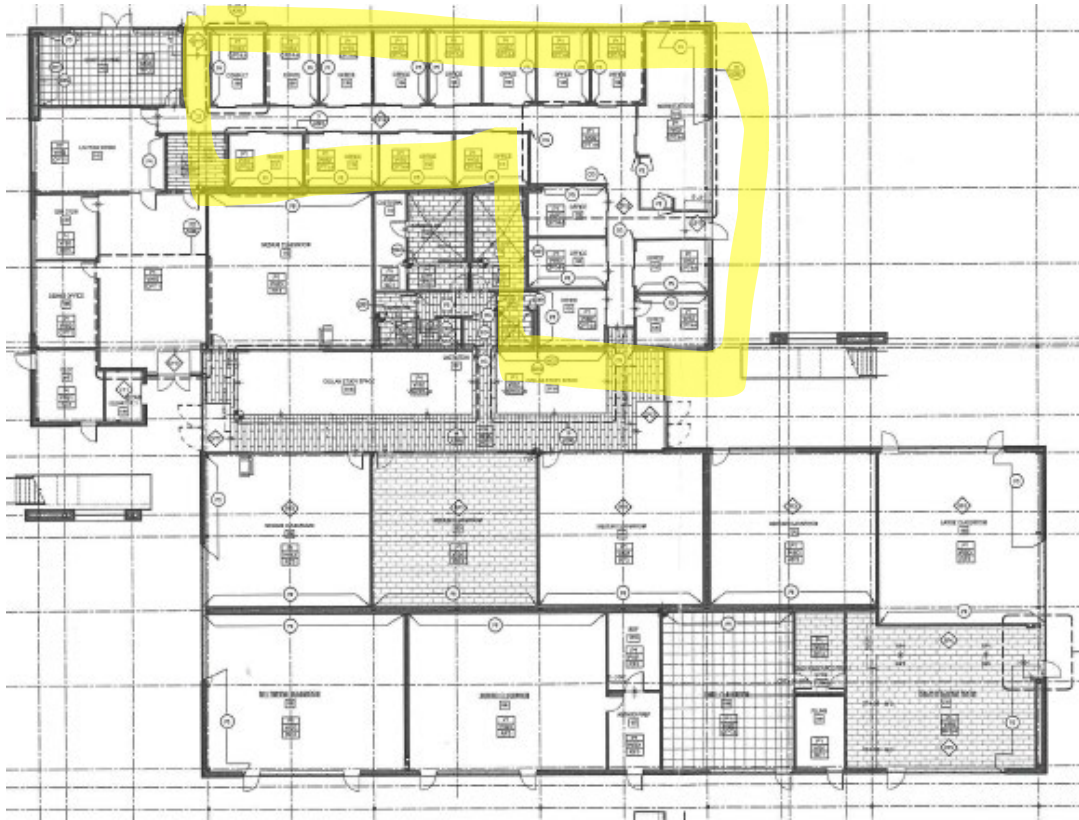
This may all change given weather or other construction delays.

# Office Selection Procedure - Seniority

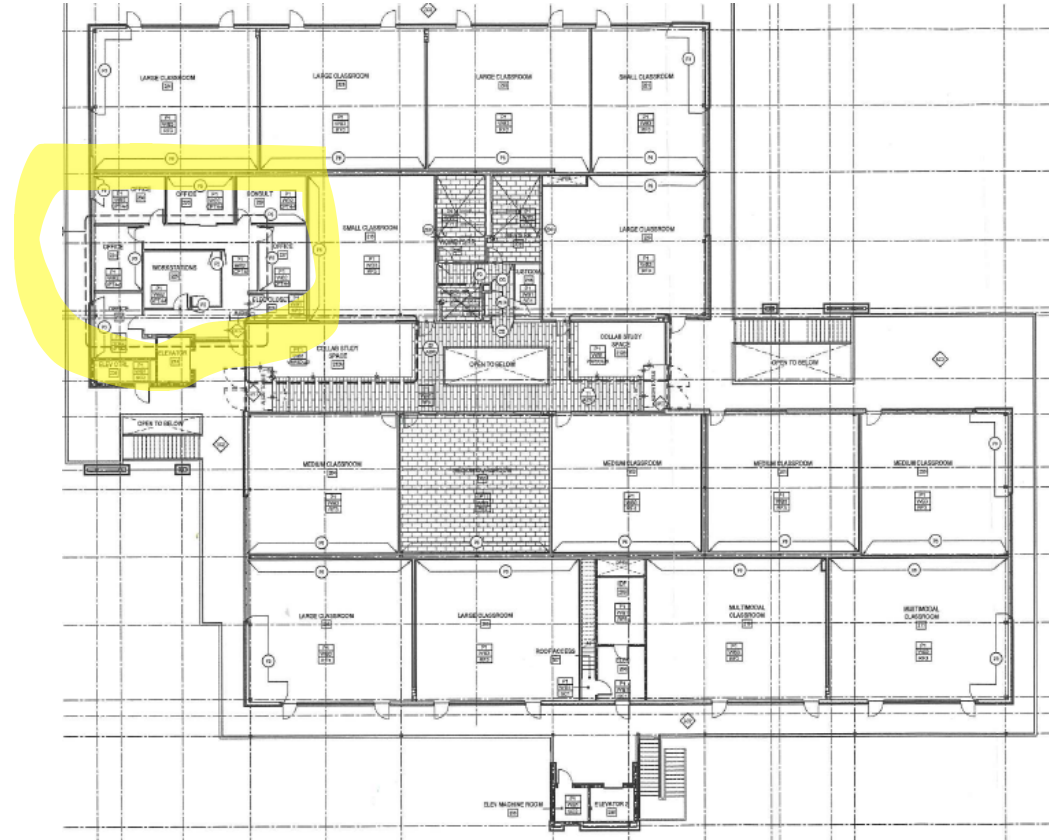
By seniority, faculty members will select a roommate and an office beginning with the most senior faculty member and proceeding according to seniority.



# SOCS Office



First Floor



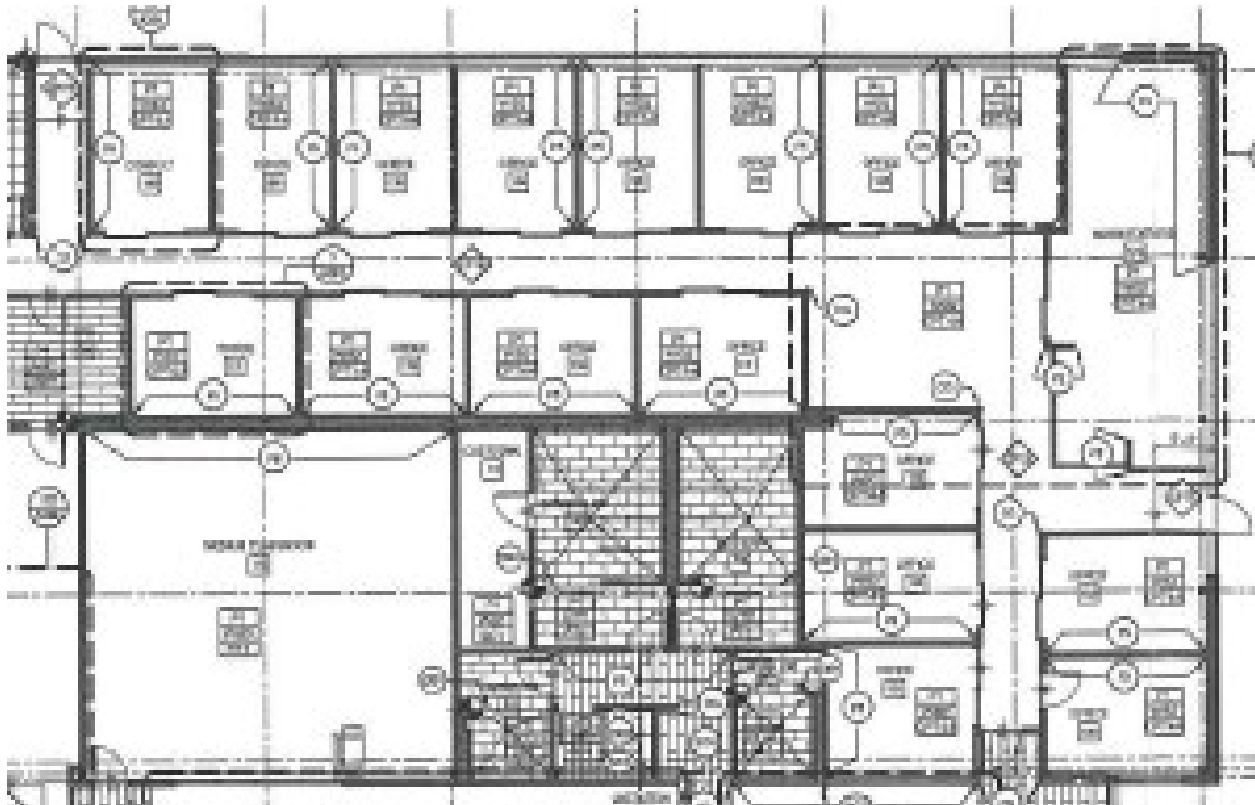
Second Floor

# Selection Procedure – BSS Offices

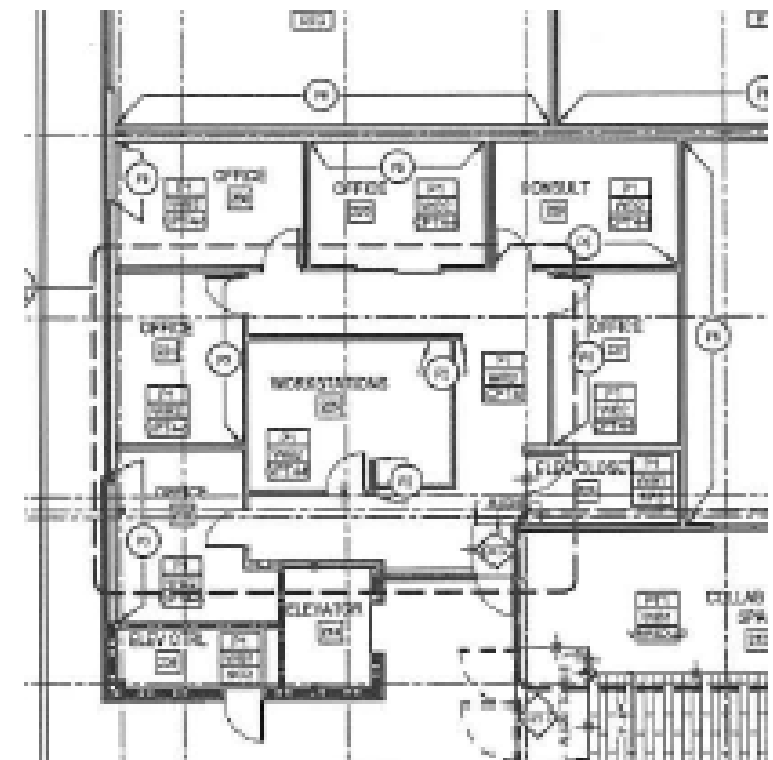
21 Offices that accommodate 42 faculty

Fall 2023 will have 39 FT faculty in SOCS Building.

First Floor – 15 available offices



Second Floor – 6 available offices



# Reports and Announcements

