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Study week one step closer to passage

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The Study Week resolution is only one step from becoming reality, having only to pass through the Academic Council for further clarification or regimen.

The resolution passed the Faculty Senate last week with an interpretation added by the Academic Standards Committee.

According to Steve Evenson, CSUN Senate President, there was steady opposition to the resolution within the

Faculty Senate but, Evenson said, "They realized the principle was good and that it was workable. Even those that debated against it—the majority of them ended up voting for it."

"The main objections were workability and how it's going to be enforced."

According to Evenson, policy will be printed in the catalogs and time schedules in order to keep students informed.

"We're happy," Evenson said. "We think it's a policy that will benefit the students in the long run."

Evenson expressed

confidence that the Academic Council will approve the resolution unchanged. He said the council generally accepts the recommendations of the Faculty Senate. The Academic Council includes the top administrators in the university.

Evenson speculated that the resolution will become policy next Fall.

"Our major goal," Evenson said, "Was to eliminate hour-long, sit-down, written, one-third or one-fourth of your grade examinations the week before finals. We wanted

to mainly awaken teachers that they were giving students tests the week before finals and that it was harming not only the students' grades but the performance in their classes overall and therefore the academic quality of the institution."

Another resolution CSUN sent to the Faculty Senate, the bookstore resolution, is pending and should be considered by the Academic Standards Committee next week, Evenson said.

The Bookstore Resolution urges that the administration and Faculty

Senate adopt a standardized policy for the university-wide use of textbooks and that each academic department should select identical texts for each section of lower level courses.

The resolution came about after a study by Ed Paladino, Barnes and Noble Farwest Regional Manager, and Burt Teh, MSU Director, found that many courses such as History 101 or Psychology 101 have different texts in different sections, and that if a professor stops teaching here or changes texts, the sell-back value

of the text is reduced by 20% to 40%.

The current buy-back policy of Barnes and Noble is to pay 50% of the retail price for any text re-adopted for upcoming terms but only 10% to 30% for those texts which are not re-adopted.

According to Evenson, it was to CSUN's advantage that the resolution was referred to the Academic Standards committee because the students have a very large presence on it, but there is a delay on the resolution because the committee is buried in work.

Las Vegan running for V.P.

by karen splawn

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The 1988 Presidential election is on the horizon, and voters might be slightly surprised to discover there's more than two parties grabbing for the top prize.

The Libertarian Party is also running a presidential ticket.

Texas Ron Paul is the presidential and Andre Marrou, a Las Vegan studying for his Political Science Masters at UNLV is the vice presidential candidate.

It all came together politically for Marrou in the mid-70's in Anchorage, Alaska when he was handed a Libertarian brochure by a party

member.

"I was astounded because this was exactly what I believed," said Marrou.

What Marrou said he believed in and still does is that government should be highly limited.

Marrou was 'baptised' at a September, 1976 meeting. He has been gung ho on his party's message of "complete freedom" ever since.

Marrou, who once served in the Alaskan House of Representatives, said that America was founded on Libertarian ideals.

"We do not claim to have invented anything new," he said. "Thomas Jefferson and George Washington would have been libertarians because

of their opposition to big government."

Marrou said he feels that the current policy in the Persian Gulf is "dead wrong."

He also feels the U.S. should stay out of other countries' troubles, as well as out domestic.

Marrou points out that in 1980 then presidential candidate Ed Clark received 950,000 votes, more than Eugene McCarthy's 720,000 for president in 1976.

"McCarthy got 10 times more publicity than Clark," he said.

While Marrou said he has "no illusions" about his chances of winning, he said that, "we're going to surprise a lot of people out there."

CARS

Registrar's office by the December 14 deadline.

A computer scheduler determines the student's class schedule and automatically prints it along with a bill.

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The schedule and bill should arrive approximately January 6, complete with a stamped return envelope. Students can then mail their payment or pay in person at the cashier.

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