

**SANTA CLARA UNIVERSITY
FACULTY HANDBOOK
SECTION 2.10**

2.10 Faculty Senate

The Faculty Senate shall consist of:

- (1) all active regular faculty except for administrators at or above the level of dean of a school or college;
- (2) all active Senior Lecturers;
- (3) all other faculty on greater than half-time appointments who receive an academic year contract, except visiting faculty.

Its purpose is to develop and to express the opinion of the faculty on academic and professional matters, to facilitate participation of the faculty in forming the policies of the University, and to make the collective experience and knowledge of the faculty available to the President. It is governed by its own Bylaws, which are given in Appendix A.