## 171025 Council Meeting Talking points

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- I'm new and learning.
- Report attached.
- We are big, bottom heavy, and international, and all are getting more so.
- Issues with getting bigger: need to hire much and quickly!
- Issues with being bottom-heavy: this may affect what each of us does, and may shift the weight within the department.
- Issues with getting more international: ESL, culture, we are more like a private university hence we can't give Fs.
- Prerequisite enforcements: Profs should be careful about granting exceptions; we should re-check all course requirements.