

**Student Government Association**

**Executive Board**

**2/09/2024**

**Minutes**

1. **Call to Order:** 1:04pm
2. **Roll Call**

Na’seyah Coley, Teddy Lockhart, Ezekiel Frasier. Sowmya Kovvuri, Sehaj Osan, Kyle Bautista, Ariadna Giraldo

**Also in Attendance:**

Jaime Oyola, Vickie Jengo, Luis Aquilar and Angelina Reyes

1. **Approval of Agenda**

Na’seyah asked members to look over the agenda to see if anything needed to be added and or removed. Teddy asked for his report to go after Kyle’s report to give the VP of SAPB time to arrive. Na’seyah motioned to approve the amended agenda, 1st by Ariadna 2nd by Sehaj. Approval unanimous.

1. **Approval of Minutes**

Na’seyah asked members to look over the minutes to insure what was said is stated correctly. Na’seyah motioned to approve the minutes as is 1st by Ariadna 2nd by Teddy. Approval unanimous.

1. **Ariadna Giraldo, VP of Allocations**
2. **Weekly Allocations Update**

Ariadna mentioned that 3 clubs had money allocated for their event. They are as stated: SVO $1895; SABLE $2879.20; International Student $153.88 & $298.67.

1. **Sehaj Osan, VP of Student Life**
2. **Dining Committee Update**

Sehaj mentioned that she met with dining services on Wednesday, and she discussed the dissatisfaction of the sloppy joe’s that were served over the weekend. Keith stated that he received complaints as well. He mentioned that they will be doing polls to receive feedback from students. Sehaj stated that her committee is thinking of doing a tabling event to push out the survey/polls.

1. **Kyle Bautista, VP of Public Relations**
2. **PR Updates**

Kyle mentioned that the SGA Fair will be rescheduled for 3/26 or 4/9. Public Relations will do a tabling event next week. Also, PR is keeping Instagram engaged. He stated that Club Fair was good, and he received 30 signatures of students that are interested in SGA.

1. **Teddy Lockhart, President of SGA**
2. **SAPB Discussion**

Teddy stated that this discussion is for everyone in attendance to get clarity of statements that were said but not true. He mentioned that he is aware that those statements really upset members of SAPB, and he nor any e-board member set out to cause friction of any sort. Teddy expressed wanting to have a conversation with SAPB but that has not occurred yet. Teddy reiterated that there was a miscommunication that happened and if a discussion is to occur SGA will reach out to schedule a meeting when the time comes. Angelia as well as Vickie mentioned that they hope that if there is ever an issue that someone come to them instead of them hearing it from an unreliable source. Teddy mentioned that he would like to shift to support each other like otherschools do. He feels that would be beneficial. Luis asked how should minutes be done? Ezekiel gave him a sample of how minutes should be done. Jaime stated that when SAPB is passing money an advisor must be there. Jaime also mentioned that they must meet quorum for them to vote. As well as having an accurate count. Luis asked if they should conduct meetings the same way that it is stated in Robert’s Rules. Jaime answered yes that’s exactly how.Teddy suggested having a separate constitution meeting to update and making changes to their constitution. SAPB members agreed and asked if they can be notified a week in advance if meeting will be in person.

1. **Sowmya Kovvuri, VP of Academic Affairs**
2. **Provost Meeting Recap**

Sowmya mentioned that she had her 1st Provost meeting on Wednesday and the following was discussed:

* Conference was successful.
* Forums and surveys. Provost gave suggestions about future forums and surveys. Advise that she contact Linda Rosalind.
* Promote forums and surveys through text messages.
* Policies (no credit pass policy)
* UCC changes fall 2025.
* How to organize UCC to recruit on transcripts.
* Student body to have award system for Professors.
* Provost feels that she should be on Faculty Senate agenda.

1. **Advisor’s Comments**

Jaime mentioned that Allocations picked out 3 senators for the budget committee. Stated that him and Ariadna need to make changes to the financial guidelines before semester is over so that it can be voted on.

1. **Old Business**

Teddy mentioned that the part of the constitution that is currently suspended needs to be figured out as soon as possible.

1. **New Business**

Ezekiel mentioned that he will do the suspension amendment today and will provide the update next week.

1. **Announcements**

**Ezekiel** stated that 2 new clubs will attend e-board next week (Fashion Club and Education Club). Ezekiel mentioned that he will do a public speaking event during senate so that senators know how to project their voice and speak louder and clearly.

**Na’seyah** mentioned that during the retreat she would like to do a leadership transition activity at the end. She stated that she needs a plan on how to conduct this and she will send out a google meet for the e-board to discuss.

1. **Adjournment:** 1:51pm