



**Student Government Association
Executive**

**11/02/17
Minutes**

- I. Call to Order- 5:04pm**
- II. Roll Call**

Nejesea Brown, Brianna Egers, Maylene Angeles, Jackeline Reyes, Isabel Galindo, Nahshon Bolton, Elie Jean Pierre

Also In Attendance:
Donna Minnich-Spuhler, Dylan Johnson, Dena Janos, Adrianna Reyes, Zach Thomas, Matthew Mullins
- III. Approval of Agenda**

Brianna asked that her report be moved after Maylene's report; remove Monthly Reports from Brianna's report. Nejesea motioned to approve the amended agenda; 1st by Isabel, 2nd by Maylene. Approval unanimous.
- IV. Approval of Minutes**

Nejesea motioned to approve the minutes; 1st by Jackeline, 2nd by Isabel. Approval unanimous.
- V. Elie Jean Pierre, Vice President of JRB**
 - 1. Chartering of ACLS Club**

Elie motioned to table the chartering of ACLS Club until next meeting, 2nd by Maylene. Approval unanimous.
 - 2. Chartering of French Club**

Elie motioned to table the chartering of the French Club until next meeting, 2nd by Maylene. Approval unanimous.
 - 3. Summary of JRB meeting**

Elie mentioned that the JRB meeting was great, a lot was accomplished. He stated that during the meeting members discussed the monthly report as they are having a hard time completing them, not sure what to write. Elie also stated that Kwame advised members to write their duties in which they have actually completed. He mentioned that due to him not being trained he wasn't quite sure what to advised members to do. Maylene, Brianna and Jackeline gave Elie examples of what senators could include on their monthly report. VPs discussed training workshops and stated that members can make an appointment with him to discuss monthly reports further. Donna suggested having a collective workshop instead of individual workshops. Elie mentioned that in November his committee task will be going over the Constitution and looking for any mistakes it may contain. Also he volunteered to

attend club council to discuss JRB role pertaining to suspensions and sanctions. He received approval from Nejesea to attend in December. Elie stated that his committee will be reviewing the election guidelines issues. He also stated that his senators had issues with tasks that he delegated to them because they felt they weren't evenly dispersed. Dr. Rebi stated that he felt these task that Elie had given members were good.

VI. Nejesea Brown, Executive Vice President of SGA

1. Office Conduct

Nejesea mentioned what senators can do in the SGA Office (i.e. eat, do homework, meet, etc.). She stated that office hours are to be done in the computer lab and not in the e-board offices. Nejesea also stated that VPs can ask committee members to assist with task then go to other senators outside of their committee. Donna stated that office hours are to be done when the SGA Office is open from 9 am- 5pm. She mentioned that e-board members are allowed to stay longer. However, no one is to be in the office when the building is closed. That would be considered trespassing. Tamara mentioned that e-board members are allowed to do office hours until 7 pm once per week. Zach stated that the aforementioned is stated in the SGA Constitution.

VII. Nahshon Bolton, Vice President of Student Life

1. Tabling

Nahshon mentioned that his committee will be tabling at different residence halls. Also, his committee will have an Open Forum with Residence Life on 11/30 during common hour in UC168.

2. It's On Us

Nahshon mentioned the topic his committee will cover is "Online Dating". He stated that his senators came up with good ideas. Also, the It's On Us campaign will be held on 11/21/17.

VIII. Maylene Angeles, VP of Public Relations

1. Change in Outreach Event

Maylene mentioned that there has been a change in her committees outreach event due to the indecisive weather. They will focus on the holidays and move the sleep out to next semester. She stated that the SGA Holiday Party will take place the first week of December after senate. Also, during the holiday party SGA members will make hats for newborns or blankets for the children's unit and deliver to the hospital. She stated that members can take a bus on a Friday or Saturday to donate to hospitals in which they receive approval from. Lastly, Game Night will be held 11/30/17 @ 6:30 pm – 9:30 pm in the café.

IX. Brianna Egers, President of SGA

1. Voting on Senator of the Month

Brianna asked VPs who they felt should receive the senator of the month award. Wilnell, Tyreek, Kevin, Joel and Jaime were recommended. A secret ballot was taken and Joel and Wilnell were chosen.

2. It's On Us

Brianna mentioned that the It's On Us campaign will be held on 11/21/17 during common hour in the MPR. She stated that there will be 15 tables set-up for this event. She also stated that 8 organizations have responded in a timely fashion. She also discussed ways in which students can make their pledge to the campaign.

3. By-Law

Brianna stated charges to impeach Elie. She mentioned that this has to be done within 5 business days.

X. Advisor's Comments

Donna mentioned that a request was made for Title IX training to be given to student leaders. She stated that she discussed with Jaime to bring Michelle (Title IX liaison) or Theresa (Women's Center) to have training done for senators.

Donna stated that she has only received 1 request for excused absence to attend the NCSL Conference. She reiterated that professors make the decision on if absence will be approved. Donna stated that she would like to send the emails out the early part of next week.

XI. Old Business

Elie stated amendments weren't reviewed because he couldn't make copies due to paper being wrinkled.

Maylene mentioned that she will be staying next semester. However, if anything changes she will inform the e-board.

Isabel- 11/14 Provost will be attending senate to discuss new policy.

XII. Announcements

Matt- Amateur Radio Club has received their official radio id. There are currently 6 members that are licensed. Thanked everyone for their support.

Brianna- Escape room UC 168 & UC 171 from 2:00pm – 4:30 pm for Peer leaders.

Jackeline- Baking Competition for hurricane relief will be held next Thursday in the ballrooms from 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm.

XIII. Adjournment-

Nejesea motioned to end the meeting, 2nd by Jackeline. Meeting ended at 5:58pm.