



**Student Government Association
Senate
Minutes**

- I. Call to Order- 5:03pm**
- II. Roll Call-** Please see attached
- III. Approval of Agenda**

Agenda was amended to add welcome address under Brianna's report as well as moving Nejesea's report under Brianna's report too; remove the appointment of Briana Butler from Maylene's report; remove Nejesea's report; add Mildaury and Yusef to Isabel's report after her appointments; change Yelitza DeLeon's appointment to an at-large member of Academic Affairs; change Flor Barraza's name to Matt Barraza under Isabel's report. Brianna motioned to approve the amended agenda; 1st by Jackeline, 2nd by Mildaury. Amended agenda approved.
- IV. Brianna Egers, President of SGA**
 - 1. Welcome Address**

Brianna welcomed all members of SGA back. She mentioned that she hoped they all enjoyed their break and that she is glad they all returned.
 - 2. Appointment of Bernardo Almonte as JRB Senator**

Bernardo was in attendance and stated reasons of why he would like to be appointed as a Senator of JRB. Current Senators asked questions in which Bernardo answered thoroughly. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Camelis, 2nd by Marvin. Appointment approved 28-0-1.
 - 3. Appointment of Adriana Reyes as At-Large Member of JRB**

Adriana was not able to attend the SGA meeting. Therefore, Nejesea spoke on her behalf and stated reasons of why Adriana would like to be appointed as an At-Large Member of JRB. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Ahmir, 2nd by Leo. Appointment approved 29-0-0.
 - 4. Appointment of Kwame Mavour as At-Large Member of JRB**

Adriana was not able to attend the SGA meeting. Therefore, Nejesea spoke on her behalf and stated reasons of why Adriana would like to be appointed as an At-Large Member of JRB. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Ahmir, 2nd by Leo. Appointment approved 29-0-0.

5. Appointment of Leandra Carmona as Senator of JRB

Leandra was in attendance and stated thorough reasons of why she would like to be appointed as a Senator of JRB. Current Senators asked questions in which Leandra answered thoroughly. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Ama, 2nd by Jaser. Appointment approved 29-0-0.

V. Maylene Angeles, VP of Public Relations

1. Appointment of Daniela Chica-Torres as Senator of Public Relations

Daniela was in attendance and stated thorough reasons of why she would like to be appointed as a Senator of Public Relations. Current Senators asked questions in which Daniela answered. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Danielle, 2nd by Joel. Appointment approved 29-0-0.

2. Appointment of Natasha Santa as Senator of Public Relations

Natasha was in attendance and stated reasons of why she would like to be appointed as a Senator of Public Relations. Current Senators asked questions in which Natasha answered. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Matt, 2nd by Sharne. Appointment approved 29-0-0.

3. Appointment of Steffany Rios as At-Large Member of Public Relations

Steffany was not able to attend the SGA meeting. Therefore, Maylene read the bio she submitted on why Steffany would like to be appointed as an At-Large Member of Public Relations. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Joel, 2nd by Jaser. Appointment approved 29-0-0.

VI. Isabel Galindo, VP of Academic Affairs

1. Appointment of Kevin Sedano as Senator of Academic Affairs (Science & Health)

Kevin was in attendance and stated thorough reasons of why he would like to be appointed as a Senator of Academic Affairs. Current Senators asked questions in which Kevin answered thoroughly. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Nejesa, 2nd by Paola. Appointment approved 29-0-0.

2. Appointment of Karly Inserra as Senator of Academic Affairs (Science & Health)

Karly was in attendance and stated reasons of why she would like to be appointed as a Senator of Academic Affairs. Current Senators asked questions in which Karly answered. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Joel, 2nd by Jaime. Appointment approved 29-0-0.

3. Appointment of Yelitza DeLeon as Sat-Large Member of Academic Affairs (Humanities & Social Science)

Yelitza was not able to attend the SGA meeting. Therefore, Isabel spoke on her behalf and stated reasons of why Yelitza would like to be appointed as an At-Large Member of Academic Affairs. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Dena, 2nd by Andrew. Appointment approved 29-0-0.

4. Appointment of Matt Barraza as Senator of Academic Affairs (Education)

Matt was in attendance and stated reasons of why he would like to be appointed as a Senator of Academic Affairs. Current Senators asked questions in which Matt answered. Brianna motioned to approve the appointment; 1st by Paola, 2nd by Danielle. Appointment approved 29-0-0.

5. Mildaury Santos & Yusef Justices -Winter Break Update

- i. Mildaury stated that during the break he met with the Dean of the Business College to discuss ways on how SGA can promote the business school. Yusef stated that he discussed PE credits as well as students being Peer Mentors and how it's 10 % of 1 class. However, the class is needed in order to graduate. For further clarification please see Mildaury or Yusef.

VII. Nahshon Bolton, VP of Student Life

1. Joint Open Forum

Nahshon did a slideshow presentation on his upcoming joint forum with Academic Affairs. He discussed what duties need to be met before and during the forum. The open forum will be held on 2/5/18 in the MPR @ 4:00pm – 6:00pm.

VIII. Advisor's Comments

Donna- welcome back to all SGA members; she mentioned that alternative spring break is coming up and spots fill fast; next week will be the opening for Black History Month; Pioneer Appreciation week is currently going on; tomorrow (1/24/18) Neon Roller-Okee will take place in the Ballrooms; Open House in CASL on Thursday morning, please stop by for some treats starting at 9:30 am.

IX. New Business

Nejesea- Spring Retreat will be 2/16 – 2/17. 2/16 will be a day trip and 2/17 retreat will be held on campus. She stated that they will leave for the day trip around 10:30 am. Nejesea also stated that she will give a full report pertaining to the retreat next week.

X. Announcements

Maylene reminded senators that the office closes at 5:00 pm. She mentioned that senators should help and clean up after themselves. Don't leave papers, empty containers around the office.

Ahmir mentioned that his birthday is 2/7/18!

Yusef mentioned that he is the new President of the Public Health Coalition. He stated that the club is a safe haven for students. He mentioned that his club will be doing community service at Oasis and CUMAC. Yusef stated that elections for his e-board will take place Tuesday during common hour in UC205.

Matt shared his experience in Puerto Rico and stated that he was there to help with the planning and set-up for emergency communication systems. . He stated that 30 people are interested in becoming licensed operators.

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Kayla (SAPB Rep) stated that there are open positions on SAPB e-board. SAPB meeting will be held on Wednesday @ 5:00pm; SAPB community service event will take place tonight in UC325 @ 7:00pm; Spring Jam Poll closes on 1/30/18.

Danielle mentioned that CARISBA first game night will be held on Thursday.

Jackeline mentioned that three events were passed at Allocations today.

Brianna mentioned that the Director of Marketing was named "Top 40 Under 40"! She also mentioned that her birthday is this upcoming Sunday.

XI. Adjournment