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Senate, Joslin Senate Chamber  
Date: Tuesday, October 10, 2017

- I. Call to Order
  - A. This meeting will be livestreamed on Facebook
  - B. This meeting will begin at 6:00 PM
- II. Two Minutes of Silence
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Announcements from the Chair
  - A. Off-campus special elections will take place next meeting on Tuesday, October 17
    1. Applications needed by 10:00 PM this Thursday
    2. Should there be more 3 applicants, speaker, pro tempore, and parliamentarian will be pick 3 applicants to present to Senate
  - B. Complete Campus Climate Survey
  - C. Oxford Police Department Meet and Greet tomorrow, Wednesday 11 from 7:00-9:00 PM
  - D. When we are in executive session, there should be no electronic devices and no communication with anyone outside the chamber
  - E. Oxford City Council debate, Wednesday October 18th
    1. Submit questions to be asked in debate
  - F. New Senate Technology Officer: Josh Fleisher
    1. Whatever the Senate approves this meeting will be implemented for his approval at the next meeting
- V. Consent Calendar
  - A. Approval of Student Senate Minutes from October 3, 2017
  - B. Motion to approve, passes
- VI. Student Concerns
  - A. Sen. Douglas - motion to create a disability committee, seconded, does not pass
  - B. Sen. Gadiwale - express any safety concerns to him
    1. Sen. Douglas - bring legislation for office of disabilities
  - C. Sen. Hughes - senate chamber is very inaccessible
    1. Sen. McCreary - it is relatively easy, only difficult part it finding elevators
    2. Sen. Hughes - overall accommodations
    3. President Callaghan - reach out to Katie Wilson
- VII. Cabinet Reports



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- A. Daljeet Gadiwale, Farmer School of Business Academic Senator
  1. Different events occurring next week in collaboration with
  2. Main event is Forum on Thursday Oct. 19th at 7:00 PM
  3. The documentary the Hunting Ground will be screened on Monday
  4. Partnetig to bring Susan Vaughn to discuss Title IX updates
  5. Wear teal ribbons to show support for survivors of sexual assault
    - a) On average 1 of 5 people will be victims of sexual assault, so come out and show support and leadership by starting a conversation on campus
  6. Will send out email with all of the information
  7. Student Leader Forum on Thursday, October 17th is mandatory and tabling 12-5pm everyday
  
- B. Committee on Student Organization Funding and Audit
  1. Split into 4 sub committees
    - a)
    - b) Student organization regulation - address student org replication
    - c) PR Committee - started twitter account to update orgs on funding hearings and monthly newsletter to update orgs
    - d) Budget management - getting club sports off our budget
  2. Auditing starting next week
  3. Sec. Zinkl will present internal budget updates next week at Senate
  4. Sen. Gadiwale - what are the consequences for orgs that don't use their funding properly?
    - a) Committee votes on it, but usually a cut back for next funding hearing
  
- C. Kyle Chance, Director of Cultivation and Market Development
  1. Past two weeks have been visiting farm to select vegetables, harvest vegetables, and sell produce in Armstrong
  2. Have sold 11 different crops, over 300 items sold
  3. Brought in nearly \$400 so far
  4. Challenges: cash only week one, no MULAA access yet, family weekend lowered sales, limited inventory - sell out of popular items quickly
  5. Work in progress
    - a) Outdoor Market Day
    - b) Student Survey
    - c) Close to bringing salsa to market, waiting for approval from legal counsel
  6. Sen. Kennick - is the \$400 statistic net or total revenue?
    - a) Total revenue, not marking up price and no other costs, all money is going back to farm and not sent to another bank account
  7. Sen. Worrell - What has to get approved by general counsel?



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- a) We have food liability insurance, but worried about recall insurance that we don't have
8. Sen. Kennick -
9. Sen. radialla - what happens to vegetables that aren't sold?
  - a) Some can sell again next week, others are composted that won't last, in between is donated to oxford food pantry - all is used
10. Sen. Froehlich - You are a maverick
11. Sen. Beurlein - Are we keeping any data know what is doing well and what isn't?
  - a) Director Chance maintains a Google spreadsheet with all data to keep track of everything we sell
- D. Brandon Fogel, Chief of Staff
  1. ASG and ASG funding business cards are now in the office, if a student comes by the office and has a question, give them a card
  2. Student trustee application is now live, senators can send questions for committee to ask to Brandon between now and November 1st [tinyurl.com/miamistudenttrustee](http://tinyurl.com/miamistudenttrustee)
    - a) Post to Facebook pages
  3. Organization Town Hall Tuesday Oct. 24th 4-5pm in Wilks Theatre - student orgs to come and discuss challenges or difficulties for student organizations to get constructive feedback, not only there for complaints - Facebook event coming
- E. Gaby Meissner, Secretary for Communication and Media Relations

## VIII. Old Business

## IX. New Business

- A. Approval of Cycle I, Application II Student Organization Allocations
  1. Allocated approximately \$150,000, \$143,951.57 to be specific
  2. Cutback approximately 40-50% cutbacks because certain organizations requested way over \$9,000 global cap, some asking for \$54,000 and \$17,000
  3. Final overall cutback is 15%
  4. Miami Misfitz didn't receive cutback because of a deal that was made last semester regarding the funding of albums
  5. Is the \$9,000 cap per year or semester
    - a) Sec. Zinkl - \$9,000 per semester, approx. 5 hearings per semester
  6. Sen. Kennick - how many orgs requesting funding?
    - a) Sec. Approx. 87, total amount is what we are allocating
  7. Sen. White- Were there a lot of returning organizations asking for funding that received funding last hearing?



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- a) Sec. Zinkl - Many orgs requested funding for entire semester, first funding hearing accidentally allocated \$5,000 but are in the process of
8. Sen. Kennick - Why did gift of life receive \$0?
  - a) Sen. Beatty - they asked for funding for food, which they cannot be funded for
9. Sen. Douglas - do you think these groups shouldn't be receiving as much funding for unnecessary things?
  - a) Sec. Zinkl - We are not able to determine what clubs can use for money beyond ohio state laws
10. Debate: None
11. Is not approved by unanimous consent
12. Roll-call vote, 43 yay, 3 nay, 2 abstain
- B. SR 021598 "A Resolution to Require the ASG Sponsorship of an Alcohol Forum"
- C. Forum"
  1. Sen. Schroeder - require an alcohol forum for all first year students, make all first year students aware of alcohol policies and how safe practices, aiming to address binge and double binge drinking. He has met with Dean Curme and his is fully supportive of the idea, need to get ball rolling for forum next year. Never want to see another student pass away due to high consumption of alcohol.
  2. Sen. O'Sullivan - How does this differ from alcohol class over the summer?
    - a) Use to reinforce policies but is student-led
  3. Sen. Worrell - What is mechanism for making it required?
    - a) Everyone has to go to forum sexual assault and will present at same event
  4. Sen. Meyers - Freshman already have to go through many mandatory programs, at what point so we use money for other programs?
    - a) One year pilot program and will reevaluate, not a limit to what we should do to help inform students
  5. Sen. Rose - main concern this is a one time thing, have you thought about a component in UNV 101 classes?
    - a) Long-term goal is to make a permanent fixture at orientation
  6. Sen. Gadiwale - shouldn't we move to the next semester instead of everything in the first semester?
    - a) We want to catch people early once they come to college
  7. Sen. White - Doesn't peer pressure have more of a voice than few students? Shouldn't we put money towards changing the culture?
    - a) Highly doubt you can change them after set in culture after a few semesters, target at beginning of freshman year to prevent from happening
  8. Sen. Hughes - How will you determine if the program is effective or not?



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- a) Metrics aren't concrete yet, but more on Dean's side
- 9. Sen. Kamara - Would this replace alcohol edu or supplement?
  - a) This would supplement alcohol education
- 10. Sen. Adkins - All theoretical examples or real life examples?
  - a) This is to get the ball rolling, the exact details are not set in stone yet and open to advice from Dean's office and ASG
- 11. Debate
  - a) Sen. Kennick - good idea, end debate and call to question
  - b) Voice vote - motion carries by majority of voices for yay and few voices for nay
- D. SB 021599 "Senate Technology Officer Bill"
  - 1. Necessary to run technology for senate chamber - codify expectations in bylaws through amendment to make position official along with selection process, creation of Section 105. STO cannot hold another position in ASG at the same time. Change of language for Speaker Pro Tempore to be "presiding officer" when the Speaker is absent.
  - 2. Debate
    - a) Sen. Kennick - Concerned with agreement of STO and speaker and how the relationship hasn't changed in the bylaws
    - b) Sen. Froehlich - Biggest concern is that this isn't a sustainable way to pick an officer
      - (1) Sen. Douglas - this makes it official position instead of doing someone a favor and assist with technology
    - c) Sen. Gale - The Speaker should have connections to find someone to fill role, necessity going forward
    - d) Parliamentarian Mellot - part of speaker's job to leverage connection and publicity of ASG to fill position and not any different from filling over vacancies, codified in bylaws without speaker changing it without bylaws, laying out expectations to hold them accountable
    - e) Sen. McCreary - Bill of utility, just outlining position that we need
    - f) Sen. Beurlein - concerned about process when there is a vacancy mid-term
      - (1) Parlia. Mellot - speaker can pick to make sure
    - g) Sen. Worrell - only concern is passing on knowledge to following officer
      - (1) Parlia. Mellot - it's not too complicated to use, ASC facility managers are trained on how to use it and can take initiative to learn how to use it properly, didn't want to specify exact time but does specify needing to learn how to use
    - h) Sen. Kennick - nothing will change anyone's mind
    - i) Voting using record system, 38 yays, 6 nays



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X. Special Business of the Day

A. Kathie Wollney, Sexual Assault Response Coordinator

1. Works in Office of Student Wellness on prevention of intimate partner violence, she has been here for about a year. Works with students as well as staff and faculty
2. She works closely with the It's On Us campaign, which started from the White House a few years ago, is where much of the programming stems from.
3. Events happening this week
  - a) Monday - Dr. Jackson Katz in Hall Auditorium - gender based violence as a men's issue
  - b) Other organizations, including safety committee are sponsoring events.
4. Looking to host other events throughout the year.
5. Sen. Douglas - What can the university do moving forward with the role of DeVos in the Department of Education?
  - a) The university is not changing it's position, still holding students accountable for their crimes and action. The university wants students to have the resources they need to feel supported and will keep everyone informed if anything changes.
6. Sen. Kamara - what are other ways ASG can help educate other students
  - a) Awareness and recognition of It's On Us campaign, safe spaces for conversation, bringing forward concerns and questions, create more events, let everyone know that there are resources available
7. Sen. Worrell - What is the university doing and how can student leadership help with prevention on campus?
  - a) The university is working on both prevention and response. Prevention starts at orientation with the Consent as Tea video, vignettes from SOULS, online education program HAVEN, first weekend on campus take to theatre group to help educate on definitions. The University and office wants students to know definition of affirmative consent, stressed in UNV 101 and take step-up bystander intervention training program. They are working on making sure it is reinforced for students at all levels
8. Sen. Meyers - Do you see positive, quantifiable strides with the It's On Us campaign?
  - a) Initial step to educate people, big push in office to collect data and have seen good strides in awareness and education. Many students have utilized McVey as a confidential resource on campus.
9. Sen. McCreary - what steps are the university taking to improve OESCR



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- a) Doesn't work for OESCR, but are working with students to evaluate what is effective and what isn't and having training and education on Title IX
- 10. Sen. Kennick - lowering of confidential informants?
  - a) On July 1st, updates to policy MUIPM including definitions and aligning with the federal policies and clear up grey area of who have responsibility and duty to report. Most employees have duties to report and there have been updates to Title IX protocol. Still have confidential resources - student counselors, student health center, Nora McVey at Women Helping Women
  - b) Sen. Radilla - Can you give any specific initiatives to keep educating students past their first year?
    - (1) Online training for staff and faculty, all new member Greeks go through bystander intervention training, trying to reach out more to students living off campus

#### XI. General Announcements

- A. Oath of Office
  - 1. Max Mellot
- B. Sen. Davis - It's On Us shirt - wear to tabling, ask Sen. Davis if you need anything
- C. Sen. Worrell - if you want help working on city council campaign, let him know
- D. Sec. Fowler - reminder to coalition meeting after this meeting
- E. Sen. Gale - personal rides for disabilities, talk to him
- F. Sec. Perme - police meet and greets tomorrow 7-9pm Oxford United Methodist Church, please pass out
- G. Office duty - Sen. Rose and Sen. Mamone

#### XII. Adjournment