



SENATE AGENDA

04/20/2021

Zoom

- I. Call to Order
- II. Two Minutes of Silence
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Announcements from the Chair
 - a. Speaker Murphy: Senate elections for Off-Campus and Academic are open; packets are due at 5pm on April 23rd. Make sure to complete your org outreach and talk people into running.
- V. Consent Calendar
 - a. Approval of Student Senate Minutes from April 13th 2021
 - b. Approval of Off-Campus Committee Minutes from April 14th, 2021
 - c. Approval of Safety Committee Minutes from April 16th, 2021
 - d. Approval of On-Campus Affairs Committee Minutes from April 18th, 2021
 - e. Approval of Steering Committee Minutes from April 18th, 2021
 - f. Approval of Diversity and Inclusion Committee Minutes from April 18th, 2021
 - g. Approval of Academic Affairs Coalition Minutes from April 18th, 2021
 - h. Approval of Infrastructure and Sustainability Committee Minutes from April 18th 2021
 - i. Motion to approve the consent calendar by unanimous consent.
 - j. Motion is seconded.
 - k. Consent calendar is approved.
- VI. Student Concerns
 - a. Secretary Sutton: Reporting back on concern about inaccessible bathrooms; this is a priority to cabinet members to create an audit once elections are done.
 - b. Senator Maldonado: Reporting back on concern about students who have had COVID-19 not being put back in the testing pool. Talking to Dr. Large; it affects algorithm, so students are still being tested, but less frequently.
 - c. Senator Sparks: Reporting back on concerns about vegan options using animal products--it is margarine. Key Mobile also has options to report issues.
 - d. Senator Chima: Pulley's doesn't have enough vegan/vegetarian options; would like to look into that.
 - e. Motion to commit Senator Chima's concern to On-Campus Affairs.
 - f. Motion is seconded.
 - g. Concern is committed.
 - h. Senator Chima: Sushi location in Armstrong not open on the weekends.
 - i. Senator Elghazawi: I work in dining. Main issue is being severely understaffed and that's why these places like Café Lux are closed. Not sure if there's a fix.
 - j. Senator McLaughlin: Latin honors requirements for graduation being changed/more restrictive and constituents don't understand what's going on.
 - k. Motion to commit Senator McLaughlin's concern to Academic Affairs.

- l. Motion is seconded.
- m. Concern is committed.
- n. Parliamentary Gates: **TW for mentions of suicide** RA manual contains no protocol on panic/anxiety attacks and I had a constituent whose RA applied the suicide ideation/attempt protocol to them despite no indication of suicidal thoughts.
- o. Motion to commit Parliamentary Gates's concern to Safety.
- p. Motion is seconded.
- q. Concern is committed.
- r. Parliamentary Gates: RA manual's suicidal ideation/attempt protocol includes explicit confrontation of residents that is provably not in line with mental health guidelines and damaging to students.
- s. Motion to commit Parliamentary Gates's concern to Safety.
- t. Motion is seconded.
- u. Concern is committed.
- v. Senator Capriolo: Can openers hurting student employees enough to threaten their physical safety.
- w. Motion to commit Senator Capriolo's concern to Safety.
- x. Motion is seconded.
- y. Concern is committed.
- z. Senator Capriolo: I have a constituent concerned by the lack of racial and gender representation in student leadership positions on campus.
- aa. Secretary Small: Could you elaborate?
- bb. Senator Capriolo: I received a message from a student concerned about this representation, especially related to different racial and gender identities.
- cc. Secretary Small: My committee is working on an Inclusion Plan for representation in ASG. ASG does not have purview over other committees, but D&I and Comms could work on an empowerment campaign to get these students into leadership positions.
- dd. Motion to commit Senator Capriolo's concern to Diversity & Inclusion.
- ee. Motion is seconded.
- ff. Concern is committed.

VII. Reports

VIII. Old Business Item A: Secretary for Infrastructure and Sustainability

- a. Alia Agee
 - i. Senator Agee: I am running for I&S Secretary. Shout out to Senator Capriolo for getting me involved with ASG! These last two semesters have really made me prepared for this position. My first pillar is waste reduction. I have pursued a plastic reduction initiative with Senator Tiefenthaler. Next semester will be imperative for this waste reduction. My second pillar is student education, involvement, and collaboration. As chair of the Student Sustainability Council, I would encourage student organizations to work together in hosting events and spreading sustainability initiatives. I have also discussed with the Climate Action Task Force and they are open to having I&S Senators on their committees. My third pillar is infrastructure, accessibility, and safety. I would implement an environmental scan.
 - ii. Senator McKeon: Is there anything else you'd like to say?

- iii. Senator Agee: I have spoken with the Secretary for Safety in improving the impact of the lighting audit. I have also reached out to the president of SDAC.
- iv. Senator Stack: Have the conversations regarding the University of Pennsylvania started?
- v. Senator Agee: I have contacted them and I am meeting with Miami Dining on May 5th. Next semester will be crucial to keep these conversations going.
- vi. Secretary Sutton: How do you see I&S working on steps for SDAC?
- vii. Senator Agee: I think our committee will be a huge help with this and it will empower senators to pursue this initiative.
- viii. Senator Barnes: What are you most excited about to start in your term?
- ix. Senator Agee: I am excited to see what collaboration with the Climate Action Task Force.
- x. Motion to enter executive session reserving Secretary South.
- xi. Motion is seconded.
- xii. Motion is approved.
- xiii. Exit executive session.
- xiv. Congratulations to Secretary-elect Agee for Infrastructure & Sustainability!

IX. Old Business Item B: Secretary for Safety Election

- a. Harper Sutton
 - i. Secretary Sutton: I am
 - ii. Motion to enter executive session reserving Secretaries Pal, Petrella, South, and McClary and Chief of Staff Moreton.
 - iii. Motion is seconded.
 - iv. Motion is approved.
 - v. Exit executive session.
 - vi. Congratulations to Secretary-elect Sutton for Safety!

X. New Business Item A: Approval of Cycle II, Approval III Allocations

- a. Secretary Waugh: this is the funding allocations for the end of the semester and first 50 days. We only saw 29 organizations request and approved 22.
- b. Senator Kravitz: do you know why it was such a low request?
- c. Secretary Waugh: we really do not know why. It's unfortunate, but we can only grant to who requests
- d. Parliamentarian Gates: is there any way to extend this funding cycle?
- e. Secretary Waugh: because I have already been given permission to allocate this amount of money and we have already denied some requests, it would be extremely difficult and unfair.
- f. Senator Chenkus: could we look at the rules as to why its so strict and reconsider?
- g. Secretary Waugh: we have been as loose as we can be. I do not think this is about systematic barriers
- h. Senator Kravitz: we should approve these funds. Even if there was an extension, I don't think you would see a huge uptick. I think there should be some rule changes to F&A

- i. Senator Elghazawi: I think there should be some changes in the rules but I have full faith in Secretary Waugh to uphold the rules
 - j. Parliamentarian Gates: it would be a disservice to organizations that have already requested to not approve this
 - k. Senator Thomas: not approving this would only be a disservice, so I think it's important to approve these
 - l. Motion to approve by unanimous vote
 - m. Motion seconded
 - n. Allocations are approved
- XI. New Business Item B: Speaker Pro-Tempore Election
- a. Senator Mckeon nominates Senator Payne
 - b. Senator Payne accepts
 - c. Senator Payne: I want to enhance senate support through making the lives of senators as easy as possible by evaluating senate requirements and educating senators. I also want to create a senator guide for senators to refer back to all year as well as a pronunciation guide to make ASG a welcoming body. For committee effectiveness, I want to help create standing rules for each committee as well as check in with each committee once or twice a year. For oversight, I want to focus on oversight education and oversight reform
 - d. Senator McLaughlin: can you go into your plans for potential oversight reform?
 - e. Senator Payne: this was in collaboration with another senator and I feel it's important to create more restorative justice in the oversight process
 - f. Speaker-elect Villanueva: how do you plan to work with senate leadership?
 - g. Senator Payne: a lot of my platform is built around senate leadership and collaborating with them
 - h. Motion to enter executive session
 - i. Motions econded
 - j. Enter executive session
 - k. Exit executive session
 - l. Speaker Murphy: congratulations to newly elected Speaker Pro Tempore Payne!
- XII. New Business Item C: Parliamentarian Election
- a. Senator Ike nominates Senator Elghazawi
 - b. Senator Capriolo nominates Senator Davies
 - c. Senator Elghazawi: I have been on ASG for 3 years now and I have served on Steering and Oversight. I want to improve the student concern tracker and allow members of ASG to add to the student concern tracker at any point. I also want to help with the in-person transition for the senate next year. I want to work with the elections task force to make ASG more inclusive. I also want to have the admin committee continue the collection of ASG historical documents to make it more accessible to the student body. I also want to be a resource to the executive cabinet.
 - d. Parliamentarian Gates: how would you plan to reform the student concern tracker?
 - e. Senator ELghazawi: I think it's important to make student concerns more accessible to students.
 - f. Senator Payne: why do you want to run for parliamentarian?
 - g. Senator Elghazawi: this is a very interesting position that is in a great position to be bridge between senate leadership and senators
 - h. Senator Davies: I hope to bring transparency, history, education, and collaboration to this role. I would like to collaborate with Communications and other journalistic

organizations to ensure our records are accessible. I also want to make standing rules, documents, and procedures more accessible. I also want to learn more about ASG's history and organize documents in ASG's office. I also want to promote collaboration in record keeping. Through education and support, I want to make a guide on writing legislation and procedure. I also want to establish clear guidelines for civil debate.

- i. Senator Stack: in working with vice president McKeon to learn more about ASG's history, what is your reasoning for putting this under the parliamentarian's duties?
 - j. Senator Davies: one of the responsibilities of the parliamentarian is maintaining the ASG record, and I think maintaining historical records is an important part of this
 - k. senator Davies: i am currently part of a work in progress student organization and i think it's important to be aware of these records
 - l. Parliamentarian Gates: one of the most overlooked parts of this position is the student concern tracker. What would be your game plan for ensuring that these reach committees?
 - m. Senator Davies: with the mindset that people are human, it's finding a balance
 - n. motion to enter executive session
 - o. Motion seconded
 - p. Enter executive session
 - q. exit executive session
 - r. Speaker Murphy: congratulations to newly elected Parliamentarian Elghazawi!
- XIII. New Business Item D: SB202129
- a. Senator Brown: along with all of the elections committee, we have created this initiative to require non-bias training for all of judicial council. these hearings are similar to an oversight committee. This would amend the bylaws to ensure that non-bias training was done by the Speaker Pro Tempore
 - b. Senator McLaughlin: as a clarification, is this only putting in place the non-bias training?
 - c. Senator Brown: yes, it is to ensure that before any questionings, the judicial council must participate in non-bias training
 - d. Senator Wu: is there a reason this does not explicitly name it as non-bias training?
 - e. Senator Brown: the wording of this is similar to the oversight committee bylaws. If you want to make an amendment to make it more concrete, I would entertain that
 - f. Speaker Pro Tempore: based off of how it has gone in oversight, this would be a great addition to judicial council
 - g. Senator Tiefenthaler: I believe that non-bias training would be a great asset to judicial council
 - h. Motion to approve by unanimous vote
 - i. Motion is seconded
 - j. Legislation is approved unanimously
- XIV. New Business Item E: SR202130
- a. Senator Thomas: this relays ASG's support for vaccine distribution as well as discusses educating students about vaccine information
 - b. Senator Maldonado: this is proactive about displaying ASG's support if it is needed
 - c. Senator Wu: what are specific administrative departments you are looking to partner with to continue this work?
 - d. Senator Maldonado: we are looking at working with Dr. large and the Miami Health Department to continue promoting booster shots

- e. Senator Kravitz: why are we not committed to require all students to get the vaccine?
- f. Senator Thomas: I would be in support of this if Miami is allowed to
- g. Kristen: miami only requires what is required from the K12 system from education for their vaccines. Legally, we have to mirror what the K-12 environment does. This environment is not allowed to require vaccines under emergency use vaccinations. This cannot be done until the FDA approves the vaccine and if the Ohio legislature makes it a required vaccine
- h. Speaker Pro Tempore Villanueva: I'm glad that marginalized communities who have been affected by medical malpractice were brought up and were specifically targeted in education efforts
- i. Senator McLaughlin: I like the collaboration ideas for this
- j. Senator Chima: I am in favor of this legislation because it covers a lot of issues that are important
- k. Senator Wu: because this is a resolution, I would like to see that a friendly amendment in working with administration
- l. Speaker Murphy: in steering, we saw the actionable step as the social media campaign
- m. Parliamentarian Gates: I'm in favor of this. I do not necessarily know how it will be carried out but still know it is needed
- n. Senator Payne: I am in favor of passing this. while i share similar concerns to Parliamentarian Gates, I think that there is no reason not to pass this
- o. Motion to end debate and call to question
- p. Motion is seconded
- q. Call to question
- r. Resolution is approved

XV. Special Business of the Day

XVI. General Announcements

- a. Senator Chima: everyone please be careful and watch out for your friends. The Sikh Student Association is holding a candle light vigil for the lives lost in Indianapolis
- b. senator Tran: paws for a cause is tabling outside of armstrong on thursday and friday
- c. Senator Thomas: Miami's first Latino fraternity would like to invite you to La Fiesta
- d. Senator Stack: NRHH is hosting miami's got talent this Friday, so please participate!
- e. Secretary McClary: this weekend is the last Farmer's Market, so please keep signing up for that!

XVII. Adjournment



Evan Gates
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Administrative Committee

April 26th, 2021

Present: Parliamentarian Gates, Senator Kravitz, Senator Davies, Parliamentarian-elect Elghazawi

Excused:

Unexcused:

Notes Taken By: Parliamentarian Gates

I. Attendance

II. Setting Next's Year Agenda

A. Next Year's Committee Expectations

- i. **Senator Kravitz, Parliamentarian Gates:** not expecting to rejoin to Admin Committee (contingent on elections)
 - a) **Sen. Kravitz:** Still evaluating, but leaning against it.
 - b) **Par. Gates:** I don't feel like it's appropriate for me to sit on the committee after having been chair?
- ii. **Senator Davies:** expecting to rejoin (contingent on elections)
 - a) **Sen. Davies:** Definitely interested!
- iii. Talk to Senators/Senator-hopefuls for joining



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a) **Par. Gates:** Considering having Speaker Pro Tempore go ex-officio on Admin Committee.

(1) **Sen. Kravitz:** Should commit to raising the Pro Temp's salary if you'll do this--extra duty. Could be a bill.

(2) **Par. Gates:** We need bylaw updates for Speaker Pro Tempore and Parliamentarian anyways.

B. Parliamentarian-elect Elghazawi

i. Goals: continuing work on historical records for/with ASG, conferring with Secretaries/Chairs for Standing Rules in their committees, Bylaw change, pay change for all currently paid positions, maintain consistent website updates, student concern tracker improvements, increased access/etc. for Robert's Rules. What are you looking to see?

a) **Par. Gates:** I have a running list of Bylaw changes; just added the issue with major listings in CAS Soft Science/Hard Science; standing rule updates.

b) **Sen. Davies:** Making sure DEI/multicultural event requirements for Senators are updated to want Speaker Villanueva/Speaker Pro Tempore Payne want to see. I'm also interested in the historical records portion.

(1) **Par.-elect Elghazawi:** That'll depend on numbers of people in Admin.



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(2) **Par. Gates:** I am planning to be in DEI Committee and cross-committee work could be helpful for this.

(3) **Sen. Davies:** Gov. Relations could also be useful.

c) **Par. Gates:** How are you planning to handle student concerns and ensure accountability from Secretaries? We've been mostly good this year, but we've lost some concern-focus as the year comes to a close.

(1) **Par.-elect Elghazawi:** Planning to attend Cabinet meetings next year to help ensure Secretary accountability.

(2) **Par. Gates:** I started a tiny part of a Chief of Staff/Parliamentarian collaboration, but building on that with the next Chief of Staff would be helpful.

d) **Sen. Davies:** Having a Slack for official Senate business to continue saving time but further transparency; potentially inviting someone from TMS to be in that Slack.

(1) **Par. Gates:** TMS reporter would have full access to the Slack, and that's an issue. However, the overall idea is good

(2) **Par.-elect Elghazawi:** Agreed that the overall concept is a good idea, and especially for budget things. That's something I would be willing to work on/compile.



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e) **Par. Gates:** We need to ensure that we have publicly available financial records for next year; Parliamentarian website editing access would be helpful.

(1) **Sen. Kravitz:** We can adjust current bylaw wording/updates as necessary; overall, a sweeping bylaw update would be beneficial.

III. End of Meeting



Harper Sutton
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Associated Student Government
Safety Committee
23 April 2021

Attendance:

Present: Senator Bacon, Senator McKeon, Senator Bracely, Senator Tran, Senator Wu, Senator Thomas, Senator Brown, Senator Scott, Senator Rionda

Excused: Senator Stack

Unexcused: N/A

I. Updates from the Chair

- A. How are we feeling?
- B. I sent a message in our Slack channel about my willingness to hear any concerns you may have, and I want to reiterate that now. I want to do the best job I possibly can to help you all, and I want to ensure that this is a space where you can speak freely!
- C. 4/28 is Denim Day! Wear some denim and post it to your social media for survivor solidarity!
- D. Are you all running for senator seats again?
 1. Most of us are planning on running next semester.

II. Committee Updates

- A. Updates on initiatives:
 1. Sen. McKeon - In Off-Campus we're working on a Sense of the Senate to demonstrate support for Colin's Law (anti-hazing bill) that is going through the state house but also advocate for education and prevention programs.
 2. Sen. Scott - Sec. Sutton and I met with Jaymee Lewis-Flenaugh, the Deputy Title IX Coordinator, to talk about SIV workshops for freshmen and a community event. We'll be talking with Anondo next, due to his focus on prevention. I also reached out to Gigi from MAP and she said that MAP would be willing to endorse the event to make sure attendance is good.
 3. Sen. Wu - I was talking to Dr. Jennifer Young from SPT and she said they are trying to hold an Out of the Darkness 5k for awareness. They need funding for yard signs. NOT UNTIL OCTOBER

III. Student Concerns

***** TW: mentions s*icide *****

A. From Senate:

1. Requirement to call to schedule a Student Counseling appointment
 - a) Senator Wu - Dr. Ward said they use an outside vendor for scheduling, and that vendor is working on pursuing online scheduling. He said it's important to keep in mind that online scheduling could lead to a greater rate of cancellations which would limit availability.
2. No RA protocol for panic/anxiety attacks
 - a) Sen. Wu - I spoke with Erik Sorensen about this, as he handles a lot of the mental health/conflict training, and he said that this is something they are trained on in RA training. So it is not explicitly in the handbook, but it may be incorporated in training.
 - b) Sen. Bracely - We didn't really focus on how to handle panic attacks during RA training, other than maybe watching a video. Suicidal ideation is covered more in depth.
3. RA protocol for ideation and attempts isn't in line with current mental health practices
 - a) Sen. Wu - Erik said that based on psychological research, very direct lines of questioning are more effective in handling crisis situations. He also said that if Evan and the person in question are comfortable, they can forward the names of the RAs and RDs involved for an intervention.

***** END TW *****

4. Can opener in Armstrong consistently causes injuries on the job
 - a) Sec. Sutton will reach out to the appropriate person regarding this concern.

IV. Upcoming Events/Acknowledgements

- A. Next meeting is our last meeting as a committee for the semester :(
- B. NRHH's Miami's Got Talent is happening tonight from 9-11! You should go!

V. Action Items

- A. Submit some shoutouts for your fellow senators so we can go over them next week!
 1. <https://forms.gle/TMEz33k1X23n4ai57>

VI. Adjourn



Emily McClary
Secretary for Off-Campus Affairs
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Off-Campus Affairs Committee
April 12, 2021, 6:30PM via Zoom

Present: Senator Adjei, Senator Manley, Senator McKeon

Excused: Senator Pallant, Senator Hudak, Senator Skelly, Senator Lake

Unexcused:

I. Updates from the Chair

A. Off-campus move out

1. Move out is historically messy and kind of unfriendly to community
2. Pass info around being responsible and utilizing ShareFest as well as other resources the City provides to make sure move out goes as smoothly as possible and doesn't leave a mess for the community

B. Farmers' Market

1. Last one this weekend! Please keep signing up and huge shoutout to everyone who has volunteered this semester :)

C. Concerns:

1. Scam reporting

- a) There have been lots of reports of scams involving dating, hiring opportunities, and unemployment fraud. Scammers usually ask for non-cash forms of payment (ie gift cards and iTunes cards), so this should be a red flag for people to spot scamming
- b) Often target international students with tax documents or financials
- c) Something discussed at SCRC was working with the City going forward on how to address and mitigate damage of these scams as well as make sure that students are able to better identify these types of scams; obviously scams involving money/financials can be very threatening and seem very legit, so it's important that students can spot and report scams

D. Last meeting!

1. Reminder that this is our last Committee meeting of the year
2. The virtual streaming of The Notebook with WHW is **mandatory** for Off-Campus since this is in place of our meeting; I'll send out more info in the chat

II. Committee Updates



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Off-Campus Affairs Committee

April 12, 2021, 6:30PM via Zoom

- A. Adjei
 - 1. Talked with Jonathon and plan on pushing bulk of recycling work into the summer when there's more time
 - B. Hudak
 - C. Lake
 - D. McKeon
 - 1. Still working on getting translation done by end of the month
 - 2. Going to work on Collin's Law SoS
 - E. Manley
 - 1. Getting more bags from Rebecca Baudry-Young tomorrow for Mask Ambassadors
 - 2. Also going to work on SoS for Collin's Law
 - F. Pallant
 - G. Skelly
- III. New Business**
- A. Sense of Senate - Colin's Law, Lydia Yamashiro
 - 1. Lydia couldn't make it to the meeting today, so we can just write up the SoS and then bring it in to ASG/Greek Life on Friday
- IV. General Announcements/Celebrations**
- A. Start tying up loose ends on initiatives and making note of where you are if this is an initiative you'll be continuing into next semester; If you're not returning, jot down some useful information on the status of your initiative for the next person who will be working on it
 - B. Also run for Senate if you aren't already elected into a position!!



ASG Infrastructure and Sustainability Committee Meeting
25 April, 2021

1. Attendance

- a. *Senator Alia Agee*
- b. *Senator Nicole Bacon*
- c. ~~*Senator Danielle Barnes*~~ - driving, might miss
- d. *Senator Harry Harman*
- e. ~~*Senator Nathaniel Ike*~~ unexcused
- f. ~~*Senator Grace Kelley*~~ unexcused
- g. *Secretary Allison South*
- h. *Senator Cameron Tiefenthaler*
- i. *Senator Elizabeth Travis*

2. Secretary Announcements

- a. During 1:1s this week, come prepared with a plan for how you will wrap up/transition/work over the summer on your initiatives!!
- b. Please go to [THIS LINK](#) and fill out ***anyone* of any level** that you have contacted this year. Add notes to people who are already there.
 - i. PC: Alt+enter = enter within a cell
 - ii. Mac: common+enter = enter within a cell
- c. Look out for a message from Alia!!
 - i. Alia: I want to meet with everyone to see what they want the committee to look like and ensure I'm the best Secretary I can be. Around 15 minutes.

3. Old Business

- a. Reusable bags:
 - i. Nicole/Grace/Elizabeth:
 - ii. Did Grace add something to Bryan's calendar?
 1. Grace: met with Bryan, seemed really interested in working with orientation to save costs but since its online this year he's not sure how much progress we would make over the summer, may want to wait until fall to continue
 - iii. Update on survey responses (We were at 10 responses last week)
 1. Nicole: looking right now. Have 24 responses right now.



- iv. Nicole: heard back from Liz Walsh in orientation, it's online this year so not going to happen this year but interested for next. Emailed her back to still meet this semester but she hasn't responded yet. So might not get back on this until fall.
- b. Organizational sustainability requirement
 - i. Nathaniel on Funding & Audit incentives:
 - 1. Was an official meeting with Ben/Dan scheduled?
 - 2. Nathaniel: Not here
 - ii. Elizabeth on SEAL Workshop prep:
 - 1. Allison made edits for Elizabeth and Nathaniel to make last weekend. Elizabeth and Nathaniel, did you have a chance to look them over and make changes?
 - a. [Slides](#)
 - b. Elizabeth: Have been looking over the changes and will be ready for the 29th
 - c. Allison: Elizabeth, have you gotten Nathaniel to complete his slides?
 - i. Elizabeth: going to ask Nathaniel now
 - 2. Allison: April 29th SSC meeting to see if they want to partner in presenting or add anything
 - iii. Nathaniel/Teryn on "RBR" discussion:
 - 1. Next steps include presenting to SSC on the 29th then back to JS with approval and next steps. Need any help with notes or powerpoint?
 - a. Teryn: Not prepared with the presentation because I have the outline of what the event could look like but knowledge of Mega Fair is limited. Would like to set time aside to meet with Allison/Alia for how the event could run. SSC could also have ideas and critiques. JS is on board for spreading the word to orgs.
 - b. Allison: part of the SSC convo will be getting feedback on how it would operate. Pull up Alia/Allison calendars and find a time.
- c. Single use prototypes and discussion with UPenn



- i. Was an agenda for this meeting made?
 1. Not finished yet but will be soon!
 - a. [Link](#)
 - b. Alia: I am going to fill it out in that link. Intros, program summary. Send to Brent to add specific questions. Ensure his questions get answered. Done in next day or so.
- d. Long term reusables (cups, cutlery) planning - reusable cup stickers
 - i. Danielle, were you able to get a meeting scheduled with Brent and Bryan?
 1. Danielle: Not here
- e. Textile use reducing or reuse/ Swap event
 - i. Follow up was sent to Lindsey, any word back?
 1. Nathaniel: Not here
- f. Mailroom delivery legislation/report -Any word from IPOL, ISSS, AAA, or ASU? Ready to submit to the steering committee?
 - i. [Legislation](#)
 - ii. Cameron/Alia: A few orgs replied to us but there wasn't any strong negative opinions. You can see the full list of their comments here: <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1rIF-sDo2TYNAeNf4AmLLIG2Wm9OusIWIMDE9cOOreO4/edit?usp=sharing>
 1. We resubmitted the legislation this afternoon to steering!
 - iii. Cameron: making an outline (link above) of the points we need to cover to update the body on what we changed from last time and address concerns. Legislation is the same besides two clauses (no reduced pay and reached out to international student groups for feedback). Hope it goes to a vote to just get an answer. Adam/Bradon invited to attend meeting to answer questions.
- g. Kroger plastic bag receptacles full & large quantity drop off drive
 - i. Danielle and Elizabeth, have you had a chance to talk about this initiative this week?
 - ii. Danielle/Elizabeth: not here and Elizabeth says she contacted Danielle but she hasn't replied
 - iii. Alia: me or Allison can send her a push but I know we are coming to the end of the semester. Where do we think this is going?



- iv. Allison: I will send her a nudge. Last I heard was that the goal was to make contact so it sounds like we are slipping on our goals here.
- h. Composting Resolution:
 - i. On the agenda for Tuesday! You can review it [here](#).
 - 1. Alia: Sponsorship and committee support are important - it says more than my and Allison's name. If you don't agree with this or what we worked on last week, I understand why your name wouldn't be there. But if we have several Senators and we aren't backed by our own committee, why should the rest of Senate support this? Would love to see names because it shows her work and important convos.
 - 2. Cameron: If you have any questions or need clarification before you support, please let me know!! We'll also be putting together an outline [here](#)
 - i. Residence Hall Room Recycling Magnets:
 - i. Update on sign-up. What do you need from the committee?
 - 1. Nicole: Volunteers!!! So please take and push out [THIS FORM](#) if you're within a 2 hour drive any time post finals.
 - a. <https://forms.gle/XsQjNdvJ1ivbaJLf6>
 - b. I send this survey and we only have two responses (From EcoReps) so please fill it out because this is really easy and you can get service hours so if you're only like an hour away it's really helpful. Please send in other group chats. Doesn't take any special skills. Only takes like 15min in a hall for three people.
 - c. If you aren't moving out until after the 16th, please sign up to help then!
 - i. Teryn: I should be here
 - 2. Alia: I'm wondering if we could make this something to use for Senate requirements.
 - a. Nicole: we need tabling and outreach. I could reach out to Reena and Victoria to see if we could even get 5-10 people for just a couple weekends.
 - j. Pick Your Portion Push:



- i. Did we reach out and hear back from Megan Chunias about the status of the graphics to push out the pick your portion language and survey?
 1. Cameron: [Made the graphic](#) and sent it to Megan earlier today!
 - a. A committee member was going to work on this but they didn't so I took the initiative and put it together based on her previous ones. Hope to go up on social media soon.
 2. Alia: in the future, we could work this into orientation so students all know about it.

4. New Business

- a. Austin Peay State University - Sustainable Campus Fee
 - i. The university collects \$10 from all students each semester and that contributes to the Office of Sustainability budget (usually around \$160,000 annually)
 1. Would be interesting to know what Adam's budget is
 - ii. Possibility of a sustainable campus fee program at Miami...
 1. You can check out the original board of regents language here <https://policies.tbr.edu/guidelines/sustainable-campus-fee-program>
 2. How the president's office currently describes the committee <https://www.apsu.edu/governance/committees/sustainablefee.php>
 3. They have a running list of projects funded from 2008-2019 <https://www.apsu.edu/sustainability/SCFC-projects.php>
 - iii. Olivia Herron is a Miami grad and would be happy to answer any questions after we do more research
 1. herrono@apsu.edu
 - iv. Elizabeth update: I'm contacting Olivia soon with a list of questions I have, and I have a tentative plan for the summer to make more progress
- b. Alia: Cameron Bracely reached out to me about a sustainable/affordable transportation initiative through the implementation of a biking program on campus.
 - i. [Link](#) to program at Bowling Green State University
 - ii. Senators working on electric bikes!

5. Round Table

- a. Senator Alia Agee:
- b. Senator Nicole Bacon:



- c. Senator Danielle Barnes:
- d. Senator Harry Harman:
- e. Senator Nathaniel Ike:
- f. Senator Grace Kelley:
- g. Secretary Allison South:
- h. Senator Cameron Tiefenthaler: Had a Senator reach out to me about a line in my composting resolution about having these containers without having composting is a ploy to look more sustainable. Made language not opinionated. Also should I inform adam abt composting legislation?
 - i. Allison: maybe just let him know but not as if you're asking for approval. Just that you are looking forward to making a more specific plan with him.
 - ii. Cameron: Also, please push out the food portion survey because I really want feedback to make it better for next year
- i. Senator Elizabeth Travis:

6. Kudos!

- a. To Alia for running a fantastic first meeting as the Secretary for I&S!!!!!!
 - i. I second this!!! Can't wait to see all the amazing things you'll do!!
- b. To Cameron because Alia and Cameron have been partners on everything and I appreciate her support and making herself available and working multiple initiatives at a time and doing stuff outside of ASG - all as a first year!! Very Cool!!!!!!
- c. Shoutout to Nicole for the work she's doing seeing her name several times in this agenda
- d. To Teryn for staying on top of a daunting project with the swap that is coming along
- e. To Elizabeth for getting thrown into a few projects

7. Action Items

- a. Senator Alia Agee: be prepared for presenting on Tuesday, make agenda for 5/5 meeting with UPenn and Brent (send out before meeting w/ program details), fill out contact map asap, reach out to all committee members for 1:1 meeting
- b. Senator Nicole Bacon: Keep sending out reusable bags survey, keep pushing out the magnet distribution survey, plan for how to wrap up projects or work over summer (recycling magnets!)



- c. Senator Danielle Barnes: Meet with Brent and Bryan sometime this week if they are available!! Plan for how to wrap up projects or work over summer, contribute to I&S contacts, Making some headway with Kroger
- d. Senator Harry Harman: plan for how to wrap up projects or work over summer, contribute to I&S contacts
- e. Senator Nathaniel Ike: edit draft SEAL workshop presentation, send Allison specific updates for Athletics/Student Life t-shirts and F&A funding incentives. Follow up with Dan/Ben. Plan for how to wrap up projects or work over summer, contribute to I&S contacts
- f. Senator Grace Kelley: plan for how to wrap up projects or work over summer, contribute to I&S contacts
- g. Secretary Allison: track Nathaniel/Elizabeth/Teryn org sus convo, finalize composting website information with Susan/Rob, SDHAC meeting and agenda, campus planning ready for envtl scan,
- h. Senator Cameron Tiefenthaler: share the pick your portion survey, prep for senate floor for mailroom, prep composting legislation for the floor, email Adam that the composting legislation is coming, push out magnet survey for Nicole
- i. Senator Elizabeth Travis: Edit the SEAL presentation, plan for how to wrap up projects or work over summer, contribute to I&S contacts. Look into sustainable campus fee, discuss Kroger with Danielle



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On-Campus Affairs Committee
25 April 2021

Attendance:

Present: Capriolo, Giang, Kelley, Linkey, Payne, Pallant, Singleton, Sparks

Excused: Kodman

Unexcused: Farag

I. Updates from the Chair

- Sponsor Legislation
 - [Menstrual Hygiene Receptacles](#)
 - [Healthy Hawks](#)

- Last Meeting

Sec. Petrella: We started this year in July of 2020. I had Sidra, Omar, Lena, and we all worked on various initiatives. That is where the Dog Park initiative and the International student health care initiative started. Then all of our new friends joined! The flags initiative was very cool. The Dining Hall committee and the electric scooters were fantastic. We got 2600 swipes donated in a global pandemic. We were able to provide almost 4000 meals to students in need. We completed virtual constituent outreach in the fall. After this semester, we will have done outreach to the entire on-campus constituency. We had over 30 hours of community service on this committee. You all are very hard workers and I am so proud. You have all grown as a leader and developed as a person and you should be proud of that. The administrators I work with recognize the work you all do. Coming into this year, I told you I was going to be your biggest supporter. I hope that this year where you felt that this was fun and it wasn't a burden. I tried my best through all of it and I hope you know I care about all of you. Becca will be fantastic in this role and I will help in any way I can. You all will move mountains and your time throughout life is like a sunset. You have a lot of potential and towards



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the end of the career your sun sets, but when a sun sets on one side of the world it rises somewhere else. Never be afraid of that change, and you all will do so well. You all make this university better for every student. I hope you all are happy with what we accomplished this year and I would encourage you all to stay with ASG. I love each and every one of you dearly.

- Vaccines
 - April 27th for third clinic. If vaccine is received after the 27th the student must stay after finals to receive a second dose.

II. Committee Updates

- Senator Capriolo: Wes and I hosted our outreach event and it went ok. We had a Google Form that collected concerns. We will bring the extra cookies to the ASG office. If anyone needs advice or help on their event please reach out! I am meeting with someone from Regionals this week.
- Senator Farag: N/A
- Senator Giang: I am working with my staff in the residence halls for closing and spreading the word about moving out. Quiet hours every day will be back this semester.
- Senator Kelley: My outreach event will take place on the Wellness Day and will feature iced coffee at the Sundial!
- Senator Kodman: N/A
- Senator Linkey: Menstrual hygiene legislation will be presented on Tuesday! Please sponsor!
- Senator Payne: Sidra and I had our outreach events and we got a lot of student concerns. I had a meeting with the Dean for CCA and we had a meeting with Senator McKeon for gender neutral bathrooms in CCA building.
- Senator Pallant: Sidra and I have our NRHH/ASG event next week! More info will be in Slack but please come!
- Senator Singleton: Excited about the legislation!
- Senator Sparks: Wrote a piece of legislation with Nikhil for Emergency Funding hearings that will see the floor. Healthy Hawks legislation will also go to the floor Tuesday. Molly and I will try to get our legislation on the floor Tuesday.

III. Student Concerns



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- Senator Chima's concern from 4/20 for lack of vegetarian/vegan options at Pulley.
 - Sen. Sparks: Has this been brought up in the past?
 - Sec. Petrella: This was brought up a few weeks ago but that was dedicated towards cross-contamination. I don't think all dining concerns should be going to that committee so we don't limit anyone. This one wanted the vegan/vegetarian options expanded.
 - Sen. Payne will respond.

IV. Committee Work

- On-Campus Reflection
 - Senator Capriolo: I really liked the mid-year leadership game with the three teams (similar to the Prisoner's dilemma). The "which administrator would you go to" activities were also really helpful. I want to pursue initiatives more mindfully next year. I am proud of myself for going for it and being a lead on an initiative, but it is a learning experience.
 - Senator Farag: N/A
 - Senator Giang: I also enjoyed the leadership game. I wished we did that earlier in the semester sort of like an icebreaker. I think the sheet is really helpful. As a second year in ASG, I know it will be helpful for first year senators to know which administrators they need to go to.
 - Senator Kelley: The graphic that we were sent at the beginning of the year was really helpful.
 - Senator Kodman: N/A
 - Senator Linkey: One of my favorite memories is meeting in the office during meetings for human interaction. I'm disappointed I didn't get involved sooner in ASG. I didn't have as much time as I would've liked this year to work on initiatives, and that's something I could have done better.
 - Senator Payne: My favorite part of On-Campus was getting to work with everyone on this committee and getting to know you guys. I loved the initiatives and dedication we showed to the student body.



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- Senator Pallant: On-Campus really never gets a break; there are always new things coming in. Everyone has done a great job keeping track of things coming in.
- Senator Singleton: N/A
- Senator Sparks: I loved being a part of the committee and it helped me be involved. I loved doing the High, Low, Buffalos.

V. Action Items

- Have a wonderful summer!

VI. Upcoming Events/Acknowledgements

- Constituent Outreach Events
 - Friday, May 7th for District 5



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Associated Student Government
Funding & Audit Committee (F&A)
April 23, 2021

Present: Secretary Waugh, Secretary Bosworth, Senators Patel, Sparks, Maldonado,
At-large members Jensen, Desch, Morris, Sell (late), Lutz, Hillyer
Excused: At-large members Morgan, Taddonio
Unexcused: Senator Skelly

- I. Attendance
- II. Updates from the Co-Chairs
 - A. Secretary Waugh:
 1. Thank you all for a great hearing on Monday!
 2. Did any org reps come to office hours this week?
 - B. Secretary Bosworth:
 1. Treasury election this Tuesday
 - a) Candidates that I know of as of now: Demetre Carnot, Harrison Jensen, Cortlin Morris, Katie Skelly, and Vathsa Yarramsetty. Please reach out if you need to talk again and best of luck to all running!
 2. F&A dodgeball team?
 - a) Cortlin: We'll have a combine
 - b) Dan: alright, then
 - c) Ben W: do we want to make a team?
 - d) Committee agrees to make a mega-team
- III. Updates from the Committee



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- A. Fundies
 - 1. Max will send out a When2Meet and a poll of different places we can go!
- IV. Old Business
 - A. [Hillel: Association of Jewish Students](#) - Caroline, Ben Morgan
 - 1. FY 21 - Cycle 2, Opportunity 1
 - 2. **Take-home audit due April 30**
- V. New Business
 - A. Take 5 minutes to complete your [HUB Uploads](#)
 - B. Spending Audits: FY21 - Cycle 2, Opportunity 1
 - 1. [MU F&D](#) - Harrison, Patrick, Ben Maldonado, Davis
 - a) Also approved for funds in Cycle 2, Opportunity 2 - DO NOT Audit these
 - b) Organization referred for investigation**
 - 2. [Miami Bicycle Club](#) - Frannie, Cortlin, Max
 - a) Also approved for funds in Cycle 2, Opportunity 2
 - b) Organization referred for investigation**
 - 3. [Miami Dance Corps](#) - If someone finishes
 - a) Tabled**
 - 4. [Native American Student Organization](#) - If someone finishes
 - a) Also approved for funds in Cycle 2, Opportunity 2
 - b) Tabled**
 - C. [Emergency Hearing Legislation](#)
- VI. Action Items
 - A. Complete HUB Uploads by Wednesday if you didn't today
- VII. Adjourn



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Associated Student Government
COVID-19 Information Task Force
[4/22/21]

Present: Sen. Maldonado, Stack, Manley, Harman, Thomas, Sec. Petrella, Waugh,
McClary

Excused: Sen. Travis, Sec. Pal, Sutton

Unexcused:

- I. Attendance
- II. Updates from the Committee
- III. New Business
 - A. Mandatory Vaccination Conversation w/ University
 1. Sen. Maldonado: I will reach out to Student Life and Student Health to get a meeting time about this conversation. If you would like to be a part of it, please fill out this [When2Meet](#) so I can propose times that work for all of us
 - a) *P.S. I accidentally included the final Wellness Day on that list... we will not be suggesting that date, so please don't mark yourself on it*
 - b) Sec. Petrella: Dr. Large has already informed us that Miami University will not be looking at mandating the vaccine because of the FDA level of approval because of legality under the EUA
 - B. Vaccine Information Campaign w/ Comms



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1. Sen. Maldonado: Sec. Chunias would like us to get her all of the necessary information for the graphics by Wednesday (her next committee meeting) so they can have time to work on it
2. **Meeting goal: Contact key diverse student orgs to get a collection of their concerns surrounding the vaccines**
 - a) List of orgs to reach out to:
 - (1) DAC, dacexec@miamioh.edu Zoe Douglas President
 - (2) BSAA, bsaamu@miamioh.edu Athena Williams President
 - (3) MESA, mesa@miamioh.edu Omar Elghazawi President
 - (4) CSDI, cspi@miamioh.edu Nloh Masango-Dibo Director
 - (5) Unidos, unidos@miamioh.edu Marianna Gay President
 - (6) AAA, aaamiamioh@miamioh.edu Adam Vuth President
 - (7) Chabad, chabad@miamioh.edu Yossi Greenberg Advisor, Liza Birnbaum President
 - (8) Hillel, hillelajs@miamioh.edu Emily Garforth President
 - (9) KASA, kasa@miamioh.edu Eric Cheng President
 - (10) Spectrum, spectrum@miamioh.edu Shane Symons and Megan Jordan Kridli Co-Presidents
 - (11) FWORD, fword@miamioh.edu Harper Sutton and Evan Gates Co-Presidents



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- (12) ISA, muisa@miamioh.edu Ashwin Shenoy
President
- (13) Sikh Student Association, mussa@miamioh.edu
Nav Chima President
- (14) NASA, nasa@miamioh.edu Joshua McCoy
President
- (15) Alpha Psi, Olivia Thomas will bring that up
- (16) Multicultural Business Association,
mbafsb@miamioh.edu Naomi Fritz and Makayla
Archer, Co-Presidents
- (17) African Students Union, muasu@miamioh.edu
Feranmi Motoni President
- (18) Chinese-American Cultural Association,
2019caca@miamioh.edu Sunny Li President
- (19) Alpha Kappa Alpha, nphc@miamioh.edu
thomp220@miamioh.edu
- (20) Alpha Phi Alpha, ander226@miamioh.edu
- (21) Delta Sigma Theta, busbeelb@miamoh.edu
- (22) Kappa Alpha Psi, dampeirl@miamioh.edu
- (23) Omega Psi Phi, ayahop@miamioh.edu
- (24) Phi Beta Sigma, brownil@miamioh.edu
- (25) Zeta Phi Beta momforak@miamioh.edu

b) [Draft](#)

3. Meeting goal: Compile information on the risks, benefits, and science around vaccinations

- a) Use resources listed in the appendix of the sense of the senate passed earlier this week to compile information.



b) Research:

- (1) In order for the vaccine to be the most effective, you should receive both doses of the Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines.
- (2) After receiving the vaccine, it takes about two weeks for your body to build protection, so keep in mind that you can still get COVID-19 in this time period.
- (3) The CDC is continually monitoring variants and how COVID-19 vaccines work in real-world conditions.
- (4) Studies have shown that fully vaccinated people present a lower risk for transmitting COVID-19.
- (5) The vaccines utilize mRNA to introduce our bodies to the virus. The mRNA tell our body how to produce the non-infectious part of the COVID virus and fight it. The mRNA “instructions” are then discarded by our immune system, leaving no permanent mark.
 - (a) Additionally, mRNA vaccines have been studied for decades on many viruses and have been proven safe and effective.
 - (b) It is impossible to become infected with COVID because of the vaccine as there is no live virus used.
 - (i) <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/different-vaccines/mrna.html>

c) Benefits:



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- (1) The Pfizer and Moderna vaccines were 100% effective in preventing hospitalizations and deaths
- (2) Additionally, they were both around 95% effective in preventing infection by COVID-19.
 - (a) <https://www.vox.com/22273502/covid-vaccines-pfizer-moderna-johnson-astrazeneca-efficacy-deaths>
- (3) COVID vaccines are suggested even if you have already had COVID. Experts are unsure how long natural immunity lasts, so the added protection of a safe and effective vaccine is good.
 - (a) <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/faq.html#:~:text=Yes%2C%20you%20should%20be%20vaccinated,after%20recovering%20from%20COVID%2D19.>

d) Side Effects

- (1) For people who have not had COVID, the second shot typically causes side effects. This is a good sign as your body is responding to the newly created proteins, and is prepared to fight off the COVID virus.
- (2) For those who have had COVID, side effects may arrive after a first dose due to existing antibodies.
- (3) Side effects can include fever, chills, muscle aches, headaches, and fatigue but typically last only 1-3 days.



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- (a) <https://www.uchealth.org/today/covid-19-side-effects-are-normal-what-to-expect-when-you-get-your-vaccine/>

e) Extra info

- (1) <https://medical.mit.edu/covid-19-updates/2020/10/expected-to-covid-19-how-soon-contagious>

4. Sec. Petrella: Share all of this information with Jen O'Brien, as Student Life has a lot of information and we want to ensure we are spreading the correct information, being it is a sensitive topic.

C. [Final Report](#) Workshop

1. [Report from last semester](#), for reference
2. Goal is to present this at the next Senate meeting, then have our final meeting next week on the 29th

IV. Action Items

- A. Sign up for [Mask Ambassadors!](#)
 1. \$50 for orgs who sign up!
- B. Have your portion of the report done by 11:59 on Sunday, April 25th
- C. Send emails to diverse orgs (Sen. Maldonado)
- D. Send research to Megan and Jen O'Brien (Sen. Maldonado)

V. Adjourn

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Ben's Room Minutes
Cycle 2 Opportunity 3
April 19, 2021

**** Ben made sure all social-distancing norms were effectively followed by both the committee members as well as the org representatives-separate entrance and exit doors were designated for people to enter and leave the room and temperature checks were done at the entrance. Representatives were only let in if they filled out the campus clear form through the app or showed their campus clear card****

1. Pickleball Club- NOT IN A TIER

- a. Event 1 - DENIED
- b. Event 2 - DENIED
- c. Event 3 - DENIED

2. Paws for a Cause

a. SENT TO BEN'S ROOM - DAN'S ROOM DOESN'T HAVE QUORUM

b. Capital Requests

i. APPROVED - \$8,385.00

- 1. **DENIED** 1,000 stickers because we cannot fund items given out
- 2. Exceeding cap of \$5,000 because they have done extensive fundraising (\$40,000) for dog park

c. TOTAL \$8,385.00

3. National Pan-Hellenic Council

a. EVENT 1- Mega Fair

i. APPROVED with 25% penalty - \$60.00

b. EVENT 2 - Yard Show

i. DENIED - not on the HUB

c. Administrative

i. APPROVED with 25% penalty - \$1,031.25

d. TOTAL \$1,091.25

4. Miami University Commercial Banking Club

a. Capital Requests

i. APPROVED - \$520.00

b. Administrative

i. APPROVED - \$275.00

c. TOTAL \$795.00

5. Stage Left

- a. EVENT 1 - Little Women
 - i. **APPROVED** with 50% penalty - **\$662.50**
- b. **TOTAL \$662.50**
- 6. Luxembourgish students at Miami**
 - a. EVENT 1- A Taste of Luxembourg
 - i. **APPROVED** with 25% penalty - **\$226.22**
 - b. EVENT 2 - Game Night
 - i. **APPROVED** with 25% penalty - **\$92.97**
 - c. **TOTAL - \$319.19**
- 7. Phi Gamma Nu**
 - a. Capital Requests
 - i. **APPROVED** with 25% penalty - **\$830.25**
 - b. Administrative
 - i. **APPROVED** with 25% penalty - **\$686.25**
 - 1. Water bottles and stress balls **DENIED** because they cannot be given out as gifts
 - c. **TOTAL - \$1,516.50**
- 8. Igoodea Creatives**
 - a. EVENT 1 - Recruitment
 - i. **DENIED** - not on the HUB
 - b. Administrative
 - i. **APPROVED** - **\$1,000**
 - 1. Changed unit to a cheaper option
 - c. **TOTAL - \$1,000**
- 9. Chess Club, Miami University (VIRTUAL)**
 - a. **NO SHOW**

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****Dan made sure all social-distancing protocols were followed by both the committee members as well as the org representatives, including temperature checks being conducted at the entrance. Doors were designated for entrance and exit only. Org reps were asked if they had any symptoms of COVID-19.****

1. Paws for a Cause

- a. SENT TO BEN'S ROOM - DAN'S ROOM DOESN'T HAVE QUORUM

2. TrebleMakers Acapella

- a. Administrative
 - i. APPROVED with changes (no food) -\$385
- b. TOTAL: \$385

3. Miami University Fighters Guild

- a. Capital
 - i. APPROVED \$408
- b. TOTAL: \$408

4. Business Student Advisory Council

- a. Capital
 - i. APPROVED \$244.67
- b. Administrative
 - i. APPROVED \$91.98
- c. TOTAL - \$336.65

5. Students for Life at Miami University

- a. 25% penalty for not submitting application through organizational account
- b. Event 1 - Victory over Violence
 - i. DENIED - not on the HUB

6. Hillel: Association of Jewish Students

- a. Event 1
 - i. APPROVED \$80
- b. Rosh Hashanah
 - i. APPROVED \$288.99
- c. Event 3
 - i. APPROVED \$100
- d. Event 4
 - i. APPROVED \$80

- e. Event 5
 - i. APPROVED \$80
- f. TOTAL - \$628.99
- 7. Warriors of Tomorrow**
 - a. Administrative
 - i. APPROVED \$450
 - b. TOTAL - \$450
- 8. Best Buddies**
 - a. Event 1
 - i. APPROVED with penalties \$112.50
 - b. Event 2
 - i. DENIED - not on the HUB
 - c. TOTAL - \$112.50
- 9. Asian American Association**
 - a. Capital
 - i. APPROVED - \$599
 - b. Administrative
 - i. APPROVED - \$30
 - c. TOTAL - \$629

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1. Theta Tau
 - a. Event 1 - Mega Fair
 - i. APPROVED - \$42
2. League of Geeks
 - a. Administrative
 - i. 50% Penalty
 - ii. APPROVED \$27.50
3. Miami Wrestling Fans
 - a. Event 1 - AEW All Out
 - i. APPROVED with 25% penalty - \$37.50
 - b. Administrative
 - i. APPROVED with 25% penalty - \$30
4. Guitar Club of Miami Ohio
 - a. Administrative
 - i. APPROVED with 25% penalty - \$100.67
5. Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
 - a. Capital
 - i. APPROVED - \$136.40
6. Soul2Soul A Cappella
 - a. Administrative
 - i. DENIED - exhausted global spending cap
7. FWORD
 - a. Event 1 - Mega Fair
 - i. APPROVED - \$105.92
 - b. Capital
 - i. APPROVED - \$67.97
8. Dance Theatre
 - a. Administrative
 - i. APPROVED with 25% penalty - \$176.82
9. sheTribe
 - a. Event 3 - Kickoff Event (technically event 1)
 - i. APPROVED - \$47.53
 - b. Event 2 - You're Fired
 - i. APPROVED - \$200

10. Pi Sigma Epsilon

- a. Event 1 - Mega Fair
 - i. APPROVED - \$171.90
- b. Event 2 - Meet the Chapter
 - i. APPROVED - \$52.04
- c. Event 3 - First Round Interviews
 - i. DENIED - not on the HUB
- d. Event 4 - Bid Day
 - i. DENIED - not on the HUB



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Associated Student Government
Elections Committee
4/26/21

Present: Sen. Manley, Parliamentarian Gates, Sen. Brown

Excused: Sen. Chima, Pro-tempore Villanueva

Agenda

Reflection on Senate Elections (inc. special)

- Senate specials filled almost all the seats
- Current Senate elections have a lot of new faces
- Networks are good where current members get friends interested
- Candidate slides
 - Best for off campus but we should still ask for everyone
- Note hard / soft science in eligibility list outreach
 - Make sure co-majors can vote in those divisions
- Consider keeping Google Form petition
 - Less intimidating for potential candidates
 - Bring Elections Com more into the petition confirming process to ease load

Reflection on Cabinet Elections

- Considering more speaking limits
- Zoom may have contributed to both more talkative in elections and also decreased interactions throughout the year, complicating decisions
- Lack of viewership of supplemental questions
 - Hard to create materials to look at
 - Encourage candidates to address them in presentation
 - Focuses thinking and gets voters the info they need



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- Make No-Confidence option known and available
 - This is not a ban from future ASG participation, just a recognition that currently they aren't best for the role
- Calling things out of order
 - Everyone can, but the speaker then makes the final call
- Speaker=Elect presiding is a lot to handle while still adjusting to the more procedural things

Reflection on SBP Elections / RCV

- Focus on bringing in non-ASG candidates
- RCV is good, lot better than a runoff
- Instagram pre-posting discussion
- Check in with uni policies before posting the packet ; esp. Armstrong policies
- Decide what level of proof we need prior to elections start

Other areas the committee would like to be involved?

- Try to get a comms and election cross over senator
- Give senators set orgs to reach out
- It's always election season — start in summer with a gameplan, use J-Term also
- Create packet template to make changes easier to spot



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Present: Villanueva, Elghazawi, Stein, Pallant, Chima

Excused:

Unexcused: Gates

Aunt Flo

Chima: should they also specify VP, since they worked on it?

Murphy: I think that's Armstrong-specific. Becca, do you know what this does?

Pallant: We didn't talk about this in committee.

Villanueva: Did we already pass legislation about this?

Murphy: Yes, we did.

Chima: Since we've passed stuff similar to this and it's already gonna be done, should it be a Sense instead?

Pallant: I personally don't know if this is needed, all it's saying is that students are in support of it, but we've already passed this.

Villanueva: I don't think this is time sensitive either. We can't keep passing legislation that the admin isn't working with.

Stein: They should talk to the admin to try to support it.

Villanueva: this is something on-campus can always take up next year if we don't pass it now.

F&A

Pallant: this is saying that Sec. Waugh can give any org \$100 for Mega Fair?

Murphy: Yes, would still have to fall under RBR and would not require Senate or F&A to meet over the summer.

Stein: I think it's written well and is helpful for student organizations.

Murphy: I agree.

Chima: I think it's ready to go to the floor

Vote: 4-0-0 on bringing to Senate



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Hiring Deaf Professors at Miami

Chima: Rework last whereas clause.

Pallant: Agreed, that's my only specific note.

Stein: Did she speak to any admin about this?

Murphy: She's spoken to the ASL coordinator (Megan Gross), someone who teaches deaf culture, Anthony James, among others.

Stein: I think it can be brought to the floor.

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Mailroom Revision

Chima: does the original survey include international students?

Murphy: It does not include demographics.

Chima: not sure if the number of responses is enough, I think it's good enough to bring to Senate but I'm not sure Senate will feel it addresses the issue.

Murphy: It's our job to put forth a good faith effort and go with information we're given. We can't keep waiting. I think this may be enough for ASG to act on.

Elghazawi: I think it's not our place to decide if it's enough, we can vote on it.

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Tuesday (4/28) Schedule

Student Concerns - 15 mins

Treasury Presentations to Debate - 2 hours (5 candidates)

Legislation - 30 mins cap, each (4 pieces [maybe 5], 2-2 1/2 hours total)

COVID Ad-Hoc Report - 20 mins

Speaker Report - 5 mins

Chief of Staff - 30 mins

IOB - 20 mins



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