

Humanities and Social Sciences Inter-Club Council
California State University, Fullerton
College of Humanities and Social Sciences

Minutes

Humanities Building, Room 219 - 11:00 A.M.
September 19, 2014

Meeting called by: John Schoonvel at 11:06 A.M.

Type of meeting: Regular

I. Call to Order.

II. Roll Call.

a. Present: Acacia, ASSA, ASA, CRU, C@SA, College Republicans, Creative Writing Club, Criminal Justice, French Club, Geography, Left Bank, LSSA, LSA, Philosophy, SSDP, TESOL, Titan Archaeology.

b. Absent: Environmental Studies, European Studies, History Student Association, SIRE, Students for Human Rights, LSPA.

III. Approval of Minutes.

a. Approve minutes from last spring

b. Approve minutes from last meeting.

c. Motion to approve: LSSA, Second: College Republicans

IV. Approval of Agenda.

a. Motion to approve: Acacia, Second: TESOL

V. Budget:

a. 8074 Contract, Fee, & Rental: \$29,000.00

b. 8077 Travel: \$24,000.00

c. Motion to approve: SSDP, Second: Acacia

VI. Officer's Reports:

a. Chair - John Schoonvel:

i. Days of Discovery feedback: ASSA says thank you for canopies. LSSA says that they were limited on what days they could attend. TESOL says that it was good that the event was on the Titan Walk. Acacia says that fewer students are aware of Days of Discovery. French Club says that if there were more days, it would be easier for students in clubs to participate.

ii. ASI is trying to set up a speaker - budget of \$ 40,000.00 - maybe ICCs will have to give up some of funds to pay for a big speaker.

iii. On November 16 it will be Hunger and Homeless week. - people will tell inspirational stories. ASSA requested more information on event. In response, November 16th is not the set date, goals of speaker not set in stone, neither is the location. Nothing is set yet, but we are looking for feedback to pass on to ASI.

ASSA mentions that Bill Nye came out of clubs' week budget, not 8077 or 8074.

iv. Continuing speaker discussion: College Republicans - there is a way to find an A-list celebrity in the budget. We should maybe look for someone other than Magic Johnson so that they fit in the budget. Questions: What is more beneficial for the students? Having a big speaker, or keeping money for travel for students? ASSA - Maybe we could decide on different amount that we would be willing to sacrifice, for a different, more affordable speaker? Raul Ruano: Cost benefits, if we are going to benefit from the event, then it would be worth spending the money, otherwise it might not be worth it. John - [the event would] mostly be promoting the school. What would magic Johnson be speaking about? LSA suggests that there doesn't have to be an A-list speaker, but could be someone well known within a particular field; focus could be placed on topic, rather than who the speaker is. Suggestion: We should aim to pick someone who would gain publicity for the campus or focus on content. How would this event most benefit the student body?

v. Would anyone be interested in starting a committee to decide on how much we should spend on a speaker, etc?

b. Vice Chair - Natasha Bonner:

i. Make sure to put ATTN: Vice Chair, Chair, or DOA in subject line of e-mails; please note that the ASI e-mail will go to all three of us.

ii. Creative Writing, French Club, LSSA, PDSA, Geography, SSDP - See Natasha after the meeting.

iii. Kandice Hawes and Britney Moncada - speak with Natasha after the meeting.

c. Director of Administration - Colleen Curtis

i. Nothing to report.

d. Advisor - David McKenzie

i. We need to form an ad hoc committee for H.&S.S. Week. This committee will meet for 10-15 minutes after each meeting, and discuss what took place at the following I.C.C. meeting. This committee will discuss fundraising as well.

ii. There is a research competition on the 2nd of October. Try to have as many people submit research propositions as possible.

e. A.S.I. Liaisons - Michelle Viorato & Amanda Martinez

- i. Election: lobby corp. - advocacy group via ASI - it is important for students to vote. Elections will be held on October 20th from 11:30- 2:30 in the Becker Amphitheater; information on flyer.
- ii. Resource fair - ASI provides: Students can go to each resource center on September 22nd from Monday -Thursday 12:00-2:00 P.M. and ask questions. Please note that this does not include the grad. expo.
- iii. Apply for scholarships. Information on ASI website.

VII. Public Speakers:

Motion to amend the agenda - Acacia
Second - TESOL

a. Alina Mircea-Trotz:

Development officer: Takes direction from the dean and provides funding. It could be faculty research or student research, they provide funding for our centers, want to reach out to Alumni. Lots of people are willing to donate and make a difference, so one of the goals for this year is to reach out. Questions about funding in general? H.&S.S.?
First step in fundraising is to make a connection, meet with a person that is passionate about a particular project, find out what their needs are, and why. Look for individuals that might be willing to support that project and see who is working on what. Make a list of individuals and call them. Either cold call, or more preferably ask someone who knows them to call and ask. Alina is here not to make money, but to help students and meet the needs of the students on campus. If a student needs assistance for traveling, it is very important to reach out to Alumni because they are in a better financial situation and are willing to provide the support they wished they had when they were here. Alumni often want to help people make a difference on campus. She hasn't seen a donation towards a specific club, donations are mostly just given to one student, or a small group of students. Donations to the school are tax deductible. Donations to specific students or faculty are not tax deductible; unsure of taxation in terms of clubs. E-mails are sent to students (alumni) to keep them up to date on what is happening at school. Alumni are very responsive to students.

- i. If wanting to request funding, contact Alina.
Alina's contact information: amircea-trotz@fullerton.edu
Can speak with her directly in the dean's office.

VIII. Old Business.

IX. New Business.

- a. Order of those speaking: LSSA, SSDP, ASSA, Geography.
- b. "Liberal Studies Student Association is seeking funds for Yuet Tsang (Shishei) to attend the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA) Western

Regional Conference, held from November 9, 2014, to November 12, 2014 at the Anaheim Convention Center, as a co- presenter for Freshman Programs. The objective to attend this conference is to co-present in a workshop, FROM IMAGINATION TO INNOVATION: CASE STUDIES OF CONTINUOUS TALENT DEVELOPMENT FOR STUDENT LEADERS, on our program's new Senior Peer Mentor position and the value of peer mentorship within college organizations, with Freshman Programs Coordinator, Connie Moreno, and fellow Freshman Programs Senior Peer Mentor, Natalie Betancourt. Funding from line item #8077 in the amount of \$200.00 is requested for NASPA early bird student non-member registration fee."

- i.** Motion to discuss: ASSA, Second: LSA
- ii.** Motion to approve: LSA, Second: ASSA
- iii.** Results: Unanimous vote for approval - Motion passed.

c. "Students for Sensible Drug Policy would like to request \$500.00 from line item 8077 to fund Kandice Hawes travel, hotel and registration fees to attend the Students for Sensible Drug Policy Conference and Lobby Day, held from Friday, September 26th to Monday, September 29th, 2014 in Arlington, Virginia to present academic research during a session: WE'RE NOT DONE YET THE NEED FOR ACTIVISM IN THE AGE OF LEGALIZATION."

- i.** Motion to discuss: CRU, Second: French Club
- ii.** Motion to approve: TESOL, Second: LSSA
- iii.** Results: Unanimous vote for approval - Motion passed.

d. The American Studies Student Association would like to request \$2,360.00 from line item 8074 to help cover the costs of the student publication The American Papers that will be printed in the Fall 2014 semester. The requested funds would be used to print the student written, edited, and prepared annual journal. This publication, which is the highlight of the American Studies Student Association's academic year, is student-centered and features all Cal State Fullerton undergraduates and graduate students academic work that was completed in any American Studies class. The journals will be available free of charge to all CSUF students.

- i.** Motion to discuss: LSSA, Second: TESOL
- ii.** Motion to approve: French club, Second: SSDP
- iii.** Results: Unanimous vote for approval - Motion passed.

e. Geography Club would like to request \$900.00 from line item 8077 to fund Curtis Blondell's and Gregory Weisberg's travel, hotel and registration fees to attend the 77th Annual APCG (Association of Pacific Coast Geographers) Meeting, held from September 24th to September 27th in Tucson, Arizona. Curtis will be presenting his paper titled : "EVALUATION OF NCEP-NCAR REANALYSIS VARIABLES IN STATISTICAL DOWNSCALING OF DAILY PRECIPITATION IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA", and Gregory will be presenting his paper titled : "DEFINING

SEASONS: IDENTIFYING SYNOPTIC WEATHER PATTERNS AND INTERPRETING THEIR TEMPORAL VARIABILITY".

- i. Motion to discuss: LSSA, Second: Acacia
- ii. Motion to approve: LSSA, Second: TESOL.
- iii. Results: Unanimous vote for approval - Motion passed.

X. Next Week's Agenda.

- a. TESOL, ASSA, LSSA

XI. Announcements.

- a. ASI
- b. Geography is going to participate in the Coastal Cleanup Day - big public event.
- c. LSSA is having its first faculty/ student mixer potluck this coming Monday and Tuesday from 2:00-4:00.
- d. ASSA on October 9th is having a free bowling night in the TSU, there will be pizza and soda; starts at 6:00 - 9:00/10:00 PM.

XII. Adjournment:

- a. Move to adjourn: LSSA, Second: TESOL.
- a. End time: 12:41 PM.