

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.

December 5, 2014

Meeting called by: John Schoonvel

Type of meeting: Regular

I. Call to Order:

- a. The meeting was called to order at 11:05 a.m.

II. Roll Call:

- a. Present: ASI (Amanda), Acacia, AKD, ASSA, ASA, CRU, C@SA, College Republicans, CWC, Criminal Justice, ESSA, ESS, Geography Club, Left Bank, LSSA, LSA, Moot Court, Philosophy Club, SIRE, SSDP, TESOL, TAC.
- b. Absent: ASI (Michelle), Afro-Ethnic Student Association, GHS, LSHS.
- c. Clubs with 2 or more absences: ESSA, ESS, Geography Club, Moot Court, Philosophy Club, SIRE, SSDP.

III. Approval of Minutes:

- The minutes from November 21, 2014 were approved.

IV. Approval of Agenda:

- Today's agenda was approved.

V. Budget:

- a. **8074 Contract, Fee, & Rental:** \$21,182.25 (~~\$29,000.00~~)
- b. **8077 Travel:** \$16,952.35 (~~\$24,000.00~~)

VI. Officer's Reports:

a. Chair - John Schoonvel:

- Leadership training: Tony Pang is offering leadership training through Student Life and Leadership. You can earn a certificate, and can also go to him and request that he speak to your club about leadership training. You can reach him by

going to the Student Life and Leadership desk or you can e-mail: apang@fullerton.edu.

- Days of Discovery: There are going to be changes made to Days of Discovery. ASI is debating about going back to the old name. – The council says that the old name, Discoverfest, is better. They are going to return to a two-day model. Registration for Days of Discovery will begin next week. You can either register at the Student Life and Leadership desk or online. Look for a registration e-mail. Registration will close on January 25th. Days of Discovery will be held on the 28th and 29th of January. All clubs and organizations can be present on both days and will be grouped together by theme. These groups will be stationed outside of their college's building. There will be tables in the central quad, titan walk, and in the area between Titan Shops and the library. ASI is looking for ideas about how to draw people in and get their attention.
- Thank you to those who turned in their projected budget amounts. When you have an estimate of what you think your club will need, you can e-mail jschoonvel@csu.fullerton.edu.
- We are pleased with turnout for the committees last time. We will discuss things from our last bylaws meeting and also our H.&S.S. week meeting after the I.C.C. meeting today. We will try to keep the meeting to approximately 30 minutes each.

b. Vice Chair - Natasha Bonner:

- There is an updated expense report available for the students so they can see how much money is there for H.&S.S. week. This expense report was passed around the room.
- Executive Senate budget report: This report has been updated for September through December, 2014. In the 8074 budget, there is \$8,546.80 and in the 8077 budget, there is \$3,606.01 left unspent and unallocated. We will have the same budget for next semester. ASSA - As far as travel packets are concerned, do we need quotes for presentation? - Yes, and then we need the boarding passes when the students come back. Acacia - The amounts listed by Natasha are not adding up correctly. There are small differences in 8074, but big differences in 8077. Natasha showed everyone how to calculate all of the budget totals.
- Reminder: This is a reminder to the clubs that have been suspended. Please get your paperwork in ASAP. If you have any questions, please contact Natasha.
- Club checklists: CRU, ASA.
- Checks: SIRE Dinner with Faculty event, did you pick up your check? Yes. PDSA? Yes. LSSA? Yes. CWC? The check was mailed and received. TESOL? Did you pick up your check for the CA TESOL conference? Yes. Geography Club? Picked up checks, yes and will also double check. ASSA? Yes, picked up check. Please pick up your checks in TSU 224 between 3:00 and 5:00 p.m.
- Evaluation form: PDSA has evaluation form ready.
- After the meeting Natasha would like to speak with Britney Moncada and Kandice Hawes.

c. Director of Administration - Colleen Curtis:

- Nothing to report.

d. Advisor - David McKenzie:

- H.&S.S. has a budget of \$6,000.00. Then we went around the room to ask the representative what they planned on doing for H.&S.S. week. We are putting out a brochure and we will send this out to everyone.
- John: Please keep in mind that if you are presenting a movie, you need to have the copyright paperwork. If you are presenting in a classroom you don't necessarily need the copyright paperwork, but it would be good to double check.

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

- Finals week: Next week is the week before finals. The TSU will be having an event for finals week called TSU Takeover, which will have a "twilight zone" theme. They will be having late night massages, screens, and there will be free stuff that's given away like booklets, scantrons, etc.; they will have all kinds of free stuff for everyone.
- Titans on Ice: There will be the Titans on Ice event next Monday, December 8th from about 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 or 4:00 p.m. in front of McCarthy Hall.
- Homecoming: Our school is making changes and they want more people to come to Homecoming. They are thinking about bringing artists in. There is a survey available for students to take about what will be the most effective thing for our school to do. There will be a basketball game, a carnival, and lots of food. There is no charge for CSUF students, but people from off campus have to pay. There are homecoming flyers in the TSU. On the survey mentioned above there are options for people to give their opinion on whether or not you would be for or against having to pay for a ticket. A few representatives mentioned that they would be willing to pay between \$5.00 and \$10.00. Q: Is this an alcohol free event? - Yes. College Republicans - How much we would pay will probably depend on the artist they bring in.

VII. Public Speakers:

- There were no public speakers.

VIII. Old Business:

- There was no old business.

IX. New Business:

a. Order of those speaking: Philosophy Club, H.&S.S. Bylaws Committee, CRU.

b. **Philosophy Club:** The Philosophy Club would like to request **\$10,000 from line item 8074** to help cover the cost of the Philosophy Department's 45th Annual Philosophy Symposium, which is titled "Why We Argue & How We Should: Reason and Deliberation in Public Debate" and will take place on **March 26th and 27th** in the Titan Student Union. The requested funds will be used to bring to campus nine leading thinkers working in either the topic of deliberation or controversial issues including: climate change, abortion, and drone usage. These speakers are: Leonie Huddy, Shannon Dea,

Peter Ditto, Michael Lynch, Scott Aikin, Bob Talisse, John Corvino, BJ Strawser, and Kristen Intemann. This event, which is the highlight of the philosophy department's academic year, is student-centered and will be free of charge and open to the entire campus and community. Our topic is whether philosophers are right to have faith that reason and deliberation can lead us either to truth, to consensus or to practical solutions, particularly with respect to sensitive issues like abortion, gay marriage, foreign policy, immigration, and all other debates that have so divided the USA over the past few decades. There is a growing body of scientific evidence that calls into question the importance or efficacy of reasoning and argumentation in changing beliefs or behavior. This evidence seems to suggest that Hume may have been right when he said that reason is slave to of the passions. This symposium will explore this issue and allow attendees to interact with the speakers and engage with the topic.

- Motion to discuss: LSSA; Second: Acacia.
- Discussion: This money will cover the Philosophy Symposium. This event will bring nine speakers, is the highlight of the philosophy department, and is a great opportunity for students who are graduating or are moving on to higher education. This symposium will help build their résumés, etc. Acacia: Since we don't have enough money, what do we do? - We can go to the financial committee and ask for more money. SSDP - We did this last year and it was successful. Philosophy - We are only asking for honoraria, everything else will be covered by our club. College Republicans - We should have a deadline for early January.
- Motion to amend the original motion to take \$5,250.00 from line item 8074 and \$5,000.00 from the H.&S.S. week budget: College Republicans; Second: None (amendment dies).
- David McKenzie: Please have a blurb about your event and what you are requesting by the 30th. This way we will know exactly how much you are asking for. The blurbs about your event will be approximately three lines long.
- Motion to amend the original motion to take \$8,546.80 from line item 8074 and request the remaining \$1,703.20 from the H.&S.S. week budget: Acacia; Second: LSA.
- Discussion: Perhaps it would be better to save as much of the H.&S.S. week fund as possible because the budget for H.&S.S. week is limited to what we have. LSA – Our group is having an event and will be looking for about \$2,000.00, so rest assured knowing that the money will get used. We should keep in mind that there is a contingency fund, but it would be good for everyone to get that done early.
- Motion to vote: LSSA; Second: C@SA.
- Results: 2 votes for disapproval, motion passes by majority vote.
- Discussion: No other discussion about this motion.
- Motion to vote on the new amendment: LSSA; Second: CRU.
- Results: 1 vote for disapproval, motion passes by majority vote.

c. H.&S.S. Bylaws Committee.

- The committee will not be presenting this week.

d. **CRU:** The Maze is an outreach event that uses illusions to make the audience think about the theme of deception. Maze is a mystery performance piece that has traveled the

world and bewildered audiences for the past decade with its unique and innovative approach to entertainment. Illusionist Jim Munroe founded Maze and will be coming to CSUF on **Thursday, February 26th, 2015**. Cru is hosting the event and would like to ask for a total of **\$2,675 from HSSICC CFR Line - 8074** which will help cover half of the honorarium and for printing and advertising of the event.

- Motion to discuss: College Republicans; Second: LSSA.
- Discussion: CRU shows a video about the event and is just asking for the honorarium and advertising fees. College Republicans - Do we need council approval to switch money between the accounts? ASSA - Is this academic or professional? Acacia: Is this event for everyone? – Yes.
- Motion to vote: LSSA; Second: Acacia.
- Results: 7 votes for disapproval, 12 votes for approval, motion passes by majority vote.

X. Next Week's Agenda:

- The clubs that would like to be on next week's agenda are: ASA, CRU, PDSA, LSSA, College republicans, ASSA, Acacia, and LSA.

XI. Announcements:

- **H.&S.S. Week, 2015 Committee:** Summary of all the decisions that have been made as well as a reminder of some deadlines coming up.
- **TAC:** The Cooper Center is having another speaker in the Fullerton Arboretum next Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.
- **TAC:** Next weekend will be “Deck the Hall,” on Saturday at 8:00 p.m. and also on Sunday at both 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.
- **ASA:** We are having our first Friday event! We are having a guest speaker come from UC, Santa Barbara at 6:30 p.m. tonight and will be having food from a local Lebanese restaurant. The event will be in MCH 428. Next Friday, December 12th were having an ASA potluck. There will be a white elephant gift exchange, and you can wear an ugly Christmas sweater too if you'd like.

XII. Adjournment:

- a. End time: 12:50 p.m.