

Humanities & Social Sciences Inter-Club Council Meeting California State University, Fullerton College of Humanities & Social Sciences September 1, 2017

11:00 A.M.

Humanities Building, Room 219

Meeting called by:

Dania Salgado, Chair

Type of meeting:

Regular

Attendees:

Council Representatives, Executive Officers, General Public

Minutes

1. Call to Order / Roll Call

Dania called the meeting to order at 11:00 am.

2. **Approval of Minutes**

3. **Approval of Agenda**

Public Speakers

4.

Maelynn Dickson – She came to talk about sustainability on campus. Mentioned dumpster dives she's been doing on her part. Wants to improve the recycle rates, due to meeting zero-waste by 2020 mandated by the State of California. Putting together an education booth to inform students of sustainability and how students can be a part of this.

Question:

Are you doing this by yourself? A: Yes, but she does seek help from her colleagues in the Geography Department but not a lot of people want to do things like dumpster diving.

What about expanding to other areas on campus not just humanities? Wanted to, but needed to work with facilities and their guidelines.

Reached out to the ASI Environmental Sustainability Commission? Yes, but there are only two members so help is still limited.

When is the event happening? Starting next Tuesday. Dania can send out the agenda to the rest of the council.

What are your year by year goals? Figuring out what works and what doesn't.

Liz Sanchez (SQE) – A student in the humanities, in the sociology department (was past president of AKD, and former ASI BOD for HSS). Partners frequently with the council and many orgs like SJP, MeCHA. Organized rallies and protests against the tuition increase last year. Working to protect undocumented, queer and other marginalized groups on campus. Was elected to the CSSA's Social Justice Committee this summer. Fighting against the speaker coming to campus Milo Yiannopolus and has a petition against his arrival with over 4,000 signatures so far. She asked the Council, "What do we stand for? Protecting marginalized communities". How are we applying what we learned out in the real world? Not just as individuals, but as a larger community. Concern about the future of DACA and our undocumented students on campus. Asking the council to address these matters formally in the coming weeks. Follow SQE on social media for more info.

5. Budget

6.

A. 8074 – Contracts, Fees and Rentals: \$13,500

B. 8077 - Travel: \$11,000

Reports

A. Chair - Dania Salgado

Adopted a new position: the Housing Liaison. Serving as a pathway between housing (H&SS theme floor) and the council/university. Purpose is to get more students involved early. Many changes to the Bylaws, mostly minor to get ASI approval. Two changes to funding: Travel requests are being moved to a new system: online. Hasn't been implemented yet, so old procedures to follow. Also, if you are a non-pariticipant you only get \$250. New ASI logo. Logan was elected to serve as Vice Chair, but unable to fulfill the position due to personal issues.

B. Vice Chair - Chris Meza

Yielded to Michael.

C. Director of Administration - Michael Gandara

Introduced himself and expressed excitement for the upcoming year and for H&SS Week in particular.

D. Housing Liaison – Kaitlen Lopez

Introduced herself and her position.

E. Advisor - Connie Moreno Yamashiro, Assistant Dean

Britney Swanson, Assistant Dean for Student Academic Services introduced herself as Connie was unable to attend the meeting. Introduced herself and her role to support students.

F. Graduate Assistant – Ruth Calcanas

Introduced herself. Mentioned drop-in hours for the Career Specialist, and resources for the University Learning Center, workshops for future teachers and the Academic Makeover sessions being offered this semester.

G. ASI Liaison – Jesse Rodriguez and Elizabeth Jimenez

Jesse introduced himself, mentioned being on the Board for a second year. Wants to relay any information from ASI to the council that we may find interesting. Elizabeth (Sociology major/Chicana/o minor) mentioned the ASI scholarships and how many students don't realize they exist. Jesse mentioned the two vacancies on the Board to represent the College of Education. Even though we are H&SS, our students can gualify if they meet certain requirements.

7. H&SS Week Committees

H&SS Week meetings

8. Old Business

New Business

Dania presented a PowerPoint going over the purpose of the council and why we exist. Mentioned how we focus on funding clubs and students in our college, and promoting our college through H&SS Week. Went over office hours and general contact info. Going over information on how to reregister not only with student life, but through the council as well. Went over registration packets for our council. Went through the Bylaws, changes to gender inclusive language and cleaning up areas. Michael went over how to submit a proposal.

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PDSA, Geography Club

11. Announcements

Patrick from Philosophy Club introduced himself as he was running late. Wanted to work collaboratively with other HSS clubs.

12. Adjournment

Dania adjourned the meeting at 11:51 am.