



Student Government Association
 Appropriations Committee
 Meeting Date: February 11, 2021
Start Time: 1:00 pm
Chair: Carlos Ortiz

- I. Welcome and Call to Order
 - A. The chair calls the meeting to order at 1:04 pm
- II. Roll Call

First Name	Last Name	Attendance	Comments
Alexander	Sutton	P	
Carlos	Ortiz	P	
Hiba	Khalil	P	
Nicholas	Velazquez	P	
QUORUM		Present	4
		Absent	0

- III. Open Forum
- IV. Old Business
- V. New Business
 - A. Welcome to Spring 2021 Appropriations Committee
 - 1. Short introductions
 - B. Appointment of Vice-Chair
 - 1. Nicholas Velazquez
 - C. Review of Committee
 - 1. The Purpose of the Appropriations Committee shall be to initiate and monitor all Senate Appropriations
 - 2. The Appropriations Committee shall exercise its judgment in determining compliance with the SGA Finance Code and the Activity and Service Fee rules on expenditure

3. The Appropriations Committee shall take all action through Simple Majority
4. The Appropriations Committee shall be able to vote to approve or deny legislation

D. Review Title VII: The Finance Code

1. Review this week and discuss next week

E. Meetings

1. Senator Ortiz motions to meet every Thursday at 1:00. Senator Khalil seconds. Motion passes.
2. Senator Ortiz motions to vote by unanimous consent. Senator Khalil seconds. Motion passes.

VI. Announcements

A. Alexander Sutton

1. Free housing laundry
 - a) Senator Ortiz suggests an SGA-sponsored survey
 - b) Senator Velazquez brings up contract
 - c) Senator Lugo would be interested in helping
2. Students with financial issues that do not qualify for homeless initiatives
 - a) Reach out to Amelia
3. Nap pods on campus
 - (1) Senator Ortiz recommends tabling until after COVID

B. Hiba Khalil

1. Career fair with CTD for Engineering students every Thursdays
2. Engineering campus has no dining options and there are no classes offered
3. Before COVID
 - a) Cafeteria has limited options and students go outside of campus
 - b) Food truck
4. Mask-wearing concerns on ECE Campus
 - a) Students show up to study
 - b) P3 Ambassadors
 - c) Ask Janelle about Legal Counsel

C. Nicholas Velazquez

1. Meeting with SIPA Dean in an hour
2. Tutoring support for economics students
 - a) Would like for it to be faculty-led
 - b) Graduate students are available
 - c) Sipa has Language Lab
3. Dean is stepping down

4. Career Fair had been planned but it fell through

D. Carlos Ortiz

1. Reach out to Rubido to ask about line items and to invite him to our meeting

2. CARTA Advisory Board

3. Making sure that online students are involved in campus and organizational programming

4. Establishing a CARTA community

VII. Adjournment

A. The chair adjourns the meeting at 1:57 pm