



Florida International University

Student Government Council – Biscayne Bay Campus & FIU at I-75

MINUTES

SGC-BBC Senate Meeting

March 5, 2018

IN ATTENDANCE

John Habib, Arts, Sciences, & Education
Jiaqi “Water” Chen, Hospitality & Tourism Management
Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
Ryan Mignagaray, Communication + Journalism
Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
Ronan Kelly, At-Large
Jefferson Noel, Speaker Pro Tempore
Meredith Marseille, Vice President

EXCUSED

Priscilla Sevil, Lower Division
Jonathan Espino, Housing and Speaker

GUESTS

Larissa Adames, FIU SGC-BBC Advisor
Stefano Carl Selorio, FIU SGC-BBC Front Desk Assistant
Qian Cao, FIU Student
Clidiane Auborg, FIU Student

CALL TO ORDER

The Student Government Association (BBC) held a meeting on Date – Locale WUC 221. The meeting was called to order at 3:39 PM, approximately, by Speaker Pro Tempore Jefferson Noel who presided over the meeting in its entirety

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

A motion to approve the minutes of the [February 26, 2018] meeting was made by Senator [Ronan Kelly] and seconded by Senator [Ryan Mignagaray]

VICE PRESIDENT REPORT

Vice President Meredith Marseille stated the following,

- I. Student Admitted Day Recap
- II. Thank you to Anthony DeSantis
 - A. Starting March 21, 2018, CAPS will be opened every Fridays
- III. Bayview Hall Council
 - A. Applications are open from March 2 - March 9, 2018

SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE REPORT

Speaker Pro Tempore Jefferson Noel stated the following,

- I. Ralph Waldo Emerson Opening
- II. Donuts with the Dean
 - A. In collaboration with Senators Jiaqi Chen, Ryan Mignaragary, and Ashley Rosales-Tejeda
 - B. March 7, 2018, 2pm - 4pm, WUC 221
- III. Future Leaders Solving Current Problems
 - A. Senate Discretionary Request
 - B. Requesting for additional help from other senators

FINANCE CHAIR REPORT

Senator Ronan Kelly stated the following,

- I. Finance Request from Clidiane Auborg

RLJ CHAIR REPORT

Senator Jessalyn Morel stated the following,

- I. Awaiting for more senators to partake in the RLJ Chair and create more resolutions to review

STUDENT ADVOCACY CHAIR REPORT

Senator Ashley Rosales-Tejeda stated the following,

- I. Meeting with the Assistant Vice President of Student Affairs, Dr. Anthony Desantis.

ADVISOR REPORT

SGC-BBC Advisor Larissa Adames stated the following,

- I. April 18, SGA's Banquet Award
- II. Day in the Bay
- III. Wolfe Day
 - A. A superhero costume contest will be hosted
 - B. An office and department decoration contest will be decorated
- IV. SGA Scholarships
 - A. Scholarships are open to every FIU student, in regards to their qualifications.

OLD BUSINESS

A motion to amend the March 5, 2018 agenda to add the approval of the minutes of February 26, 2018 was made by Senator [Jessalyn Morel] and seconded by Senator [Ryan Mignagarary]

- I. Please refer to the APPROVAL OF MINUTES

NEW BUSINESS

- I. Qian Cao, Elections Event Coordinator

A motion to appoint [Qian Cao] for [Elections Event Coordinator] was made by Senator [Jessalyn Morel] and seconded by Senator [Ryan Mignagaray]

The motion was made unanimously.

AYE John Habib, Arts, Sciences, & Education
AYE Jiaqi “Water” Chen, Hospitality & Tourism Management
AYE Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
AYE Ryan Mignagaray, Communication + Journalism
AYE Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
AYE Ronan Kelly, At-Large
AYE Jefferson Noel, Speaker Pro Tempore

- II. Clidiane Auborg, Finance Request

A motion to allocate [\$300] to Clidiane Auborg for the [Associated Writers Programs Conference & Bookfair] was made by Senator [Jessalyn Morel] and seconded by Senator [Ashley Rosales-Tejeda]

The motion was made unanimously.

AYE John Habib, Arts, Sciences, & Education
AYE Jiaqi “Water” Chen, Hospitality & Tourism Management
AYE Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
AYE Ryan Mignagaray, Communication + Journalism
AYE Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
AYE Ronan Kelly, At-Large
AYE Jefferson Noel, Speaker Pro Tempore

III. Meredith Marseille, Senate Discretionary Request

A motion to allocate [\$600] from the Senate Discretionary for the was made by Senator [Jessalyn Morel] and seconded by Senator [Ronan Kelly]

The motion passed with 2 nay, 5 aye, 0 abstained.

AYE John Habib, Arts, Sciences, & Education
AYE Jiaqi “Water” Chen, Hospitality & Tourism Management
NAY Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
AYE Ryan Mignagaray, Communication + Journalism
AYE Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
NAY Ronan Kelly, At-Large
AYE Jefferson Noel, Speaker Pro Tempore

IV. John Habib, Senate Discretionary Request

A motion to allocate [\$400] from the Senate Discretionary for the Future Leaders Solving Current Problems Conference was made by Senator [Ronan Kelly] and seconded by Senator [Jiaqi Chen]

The motion was made unanimously.

AYE John Habib, Arts, Sciences, & Education
AYE Jiaqi “Water” Chen, Hospitality & Tourism Management
AYE Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
AYE Ryan Mignagaray, Communication + Journalism
AYE Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- I. SGA Candidate Meetings: March 6th at 5pm & March 8 1pm-2pm
- II. Blue & Gold Recruitment Week, March 5-9
- III. Doughnuts with the Deans, March 7
- IV. Day on the Bay, March 24, 9a-2pm
- V. SGA BBC Lecture Presents: Larry Wilmore, March 26, 6:30
- VI. General Meeting, March 28, 2018, 3:30pm
- VII. Wolfe Day, March 29, Panther Plaza, 11a-2pm
- VIII. SGA Elections, April 3 & 4, 9am-7pm, ACI & Bayview
- IX. SGA Election Announcement, April 6, Panther Square, Time:TBA
- X. Council Composite Picture, April 11 2-4pm
- XI. BBC Leadership Banquet, April 18 5:30pm
- XII. 2nd Access Road Comments onto Link

ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn at [4:53 PM] was made by Senator [Jessalyn Morel] and seconded by Senator [Ashley Rosales-Tejeda]