

Florida International University

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

MINUTES SGC-BBC Senate Meeting October 2, 2017

IN ATTENDANCE

Meredith Marseille, Vice President
Jefferson Noel, Communication + Journalism and Speaker Pro-Tempore
Leen Alkhouli, Arts, Sciences, & Education
Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
Ronan Kelly, At-Large
Sigal Dahan, At-Large

EXCUSED

Doreen Patichi, Arts, Sciences, & Education Daniel Velasquez, At-Large Jonathan Espino, Housing and Speaker of the Senate

GUESTS

Ana Rubiano, Director of Events Candidate Alexander Shenton, Student of the American Fisheries Organization Lizandra Portal, Student Journalist Larissa Adames, SGA Advisor Stefano Carl Selorio, Front Desk Assistant

CALL TO ORDER

The Student Government Association (BBC) held a meeting on October 2, 2017– Locale WUC 221. The meeting was called to order at 3:38pm, approximately, by Speaker Pro-Tempore Noel who presided over the meeting in its entirety

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

A motion to approve the minutes of the [September 25, 2017] meeting was made by Senator [Ronan Kelly] and seconded by Senator [Sigal Dahan]

SPEAKER PRO-TEMPORE REPORT

Jefferson Noel, Communication + Journalism and Speaker Pro-Tempore stated the following,

- I. October 4 Las Vegas Shooting Visual Response
- II. October 5 Bingo Grocery
- III. October 24 Meet and Greet with the Dean

VICE PRESIDENT REPORT

Vice President Meredith Marseille stated the following,

I. Meeting up with the General Manager of Bayview

FINANCE CHAIR REPORT

Vice President Meredith Marseille stated the following:

I. Presentation of Financial Chair

ADVISOR REPORT

Vice President Meredith Marseille stated the following:

- I. October 6 9am-3pm Fall Retreat for SGA
 - A. RSVPs are mandatory
- II. September 3 Student Leadership Summit
- III. November 2 Council/Reunion Meet & Greet

NEW BUSINESS

- I. Director of Events
 - A. Ana Rubiano, Director of Events Candidate

A motion to appoint [Ana Rubiano] for [Director of Events] was made by Senator [Ronan Kelly] and seconded by Senator [name]

The motion passed unanimously.

- AYE Jefferson Noel, Communication + Journalism and Speaker Pro-Tempore
- AYE Leen Alkhouli, Arts, Sciences, & Education
- AYE Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
- AYE Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
- AYE Ronan Kelly, At-Large
- AYE Sigal Dahan, At-Large
 - II. Financial Appointments

A. Senator Leen Alkhouli

A motion to appoint [Senator Leen Alkhouli] to be part of the Finance Chair Committee was made by Senator [Ronan Kelly] and seconded by Senator [Sigal Dahan]

The motion passed unanimously.

- AYE Jefferson Noel, Communication + Journalism and Speaker Pro-Tempore
- AYE Leen Alkhouli, Arts, Sciences, & Education
- AYE Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
- AYE Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
- AYE Ronan Kelly, At-Large
- AYE Sigal Dahan, At-Large

B. Senator Jessalyn Morel

A motion to appoint [Senator Leen Alkhouli] to be part of the Finance Chair Committee was made by Senator [Ronan Kelly] and seconded by Senator [Sigal Dahan]

The motion passed unanimously.

- AYE Jefferson Noel, Communication + Journalism and Speaker Pro-Tempore
- AYE Leen Alkhouli, Arts, Sciences, & Education
- AYE Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
- AYE Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
- AYE Ronan Kelly, At-Large
- AYE Sigal Dahan, At-Large

III. Financial Requests

- 1. Alexander Shenton, Student of the American Fisheries Organization
 - a. Requested for funds: \$150.00
 - b. Senator Kelly motioned to allocate \$150.00 to Alexander Shelton
 - c. Senator Rosales-Tejeda seconded the motion
 - i. Unanimous vote for "yay"
 - **1.** Jefferson Noel, Communication + Journalism and Speaker Pro-Tempore
 - 2. Leen Alkhouli, Arts, Sciences, & Education
 - **3.** Ashley Rosales-Tejeda, Communication + Journalism
 - **4.** Jessalyn Morel, Lower Division
 - 5. Ronan Kelly, At-Large
 - **6.** Sigal Dahan, At-Large

IV. Chair Nominations

A. Senator Ashley Rosales-Tejeda

A motion to nominate Senator [Ashley Rosales-Tejeda] to be the Student Advocacy Chair was made by Senator [Ronan Kelly]

A motion to appoint Senator [Ashley Rosales-Tejeda] to be the Student Advocacy Chair was made by Senator [Ronan Kelly] and seconded by Senator [Jessalyn Morel]

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- I. FAFSA Applications are now open, Oct 1
- II. Latin Late Day Latte, October 17, 4p-6p, HL Library
- III. Tuesday Times Round Table, October 17, 12:30, WUC 159
- IV. BSU Blackout, October 19, 12 noon, Panther Plaza
- V. SOC Mixer, October 19, 1-2:30, WUC Ballrooms
- VI. General Meeting, November 1, 3:30pm, WUC 221
- VII. Homecoming October 28- November 4
- VIII. Diversity Day, November 2, 9am-3pm
- IX. Tri-Council Reunion, November 2
- X. Rally in Tally, November 7
- XI. Meet the Dean, November 8, TBA

ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn at [4:31 PM] was made by Senator [Sigal Dahan] and seconded by Senator [Ronan Kelly]

Speaker Pro Jefferson Noel adjourned the meeting at 4:31 PM.