

FIU**Student Government
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International Affairs ad hoc Committee Meeting Minutes
Date: 7/21/2022

- I. Call to Order
 - a. Meeting called to order at 3:33pm
- II. Roll Call

Name	Position	Present/Absent	Required Attendance
Fernando Melara	Chair	Present	Y
Rafael Moya-Palacios	Vice Chair	Present	Y
Tiara Campbell	member	absent	Y
Ian Lares Chacin	member	Present	Y
Nathalie Jusino	member	Present	Y

Quorum is established

- III. Unfinished Business
 - A. SR 3005-read by Vice Chair Moya-Palacios
 - 1. Senator Moya-Palacios moves to amend the resolution- would like to have a world culture fair with the celebration of international student day
 - 2. Senator Lares-Chacin seconds the motion
 - 3. Motion passes
 - 4. Chairman Melara would like to include the ISS to the celebration of International student day and not make it just an SGA event
 - 5. Chairman Melara would like to include the ISS into the celebration
 - 6. Vice Chairman Moya-Palacios moves to table resolution
 - 7. Senator Lares-Chacin seconds
 - 8. Motion passes
 - 9. SR 3005 has been tabled until next semester
- IV. New Business
 - A. Creation of survey to be able to have an international representative to be able to back up with the idea of expanding the senate by one senator
 - 1. Vice chairman moves to have a 5 minute discussion on the survey
 - 2. Senator Lares-Chacin seconds the motion



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3. Vice-chairman Moya-Palacios discusses that having an international student would help International students and advocate for the problems international students face.
4. Vice chairman Moya-Palacios moves to extend discussion for 3 minutes
5. No seconds motion fails to pass
6. Vice chairman moves to bringing up the letter to President Lugo on the DACA population on campus.
 7. Senator Lares-Chacin seconds the motion
 8. Motion passes

B. letter to President Lugo

1. Vice Chairman Moya-Palacios would like to change some of the wording on the letter and make it plural instead of single person
2. Chairman Melara agrees with the letter and is very supportive of the DACA population on campus along with all other international students at FIU

V. Reports- no reports

- a. Senate Leadership
- b. Committee
- c. Advisor

VI. Announcements

1. Chairman Melara wanted to thank everyone on the committee and expressed that he will not be a chair for the fall and spring semester as he is going to focus on Senate floor leadership, has expressed that the committee is going to do a great job in the upcoming semester with initiatives to bring into SGA while advocating for all international students and looking for solutions to those problems on campus

VII. Meeting Adjournment

- d. Meeting adjourned at 4:07 pm