

# Agenda of the 79th Senate

# **Hofstra University Student Government Association**

# November 20th, 2014

# **Green House, Student Center**

#### **Call to Order**

- I. Quorum Call
- II. Approval of Senate Minutes
- III. Approval of Cabinet Minutes
- IV. Rules A. Babadzhanov
- V. New Business
  - A. Budget Appeals
- VI. Executive Board Reports
  - **A.** President M. Atkinson
  - **B.** Vice President- N. Olson
  - **C.** Comptroller A. Guarino
  - **D.** Secretary- J. Wyatt

#### VII. Committee Chair Weekly Reports

- A. Academic Affairs H. Blain
- **B.** Appropriations D. Gallagher
- **C.** Club Relations A. Engelson
- D. Programming W. Shepherd

- **E.** Public Relations M. Barry
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- **G.** Student Services M. Manuel
- VIII. For the Good of the Order
- IX. Announcements
- X. Snap Cup
- XI. Adjournment

# Student Government Association November 13, 2014

Meeting of the 79th Senate called to order at 6:05 PM

#### I. Ouorum Call

**A.** Senator Casey: Quorum is 29.

# II. Approval of Senate Minutes

- A. Senator Ho motions to amend on page 2, all of the article numbers starting at 1
  - i. Seen as friendly
- **B.** Comptroller Guarino motions to add "Senate Minutes" on top of page 2 with the date
  - i. Seen as friendly
- C. Senator Stengel motion to pass
  - i. Chair Engelson objects
  - ii. Motion rescinded
- **D.** Senator Price: Section G, subsection I, there is a weird mark on the page.
- E. Senator Stengel motions to pass
  - i. Seconded
  - ii. Motion passes 29-0-0

# III. Approval of Cabinet Minutes

- A. Chair Blain motions to amend Academic Affairs section to "tell them about the red light," amend absences and move Comptroller Guarino to "tardy"
  - i. Seen as friendly
- **B.** Senator Marshall motions to pass
  - i. Seconded
  - ii. Motion passes 29-0-0

#### IV. Rules Weekly Report

- **A.** We had one piece of legislation and three clubs
  - i. Bodybuilding
  - ii. Motorsport
  - iii. Together We Rise at Hofstra

- 1. Did not submit constitution on time so will not be seen today
- iv. Hofstra Bhangra
  - 1. No-show
- v. Absence Legislation
- **B.** Comptroller Guarino motions to pass
  - i. Seconded
  - ii. Motion passes 29-0-0

#### V. New Business

#### A. Body Building Club

i. Body Building Club: Hello everyone, my name is Tyler. The purpose of the club is to find a community of people dedicated to improving their physique and competing. We will have sporadic meetings in the Fall leading up to an actual show. We are currently looking to have a coach to help us prep and participate in the show. Currently we are working with the University of Tampa and using their club as a baseline for ours. We are trying to compete in a show with them soon. That is the basic overview of our club.

#### ii. Questioning

- 1. Chair Blain: How is SGA recognition helpful to you?
  - a. *Bodybuilding*: It would help in funding purposes for transportation and competition fees.
- 2. Senator Stengel: How does your club differ from the Powerlifting Club?
  - a. *Bodybuilding*: They are two different things. Almost akin to baseball and softball. Bodybuilding is a focus on showing the work that you have put into your body over the year.
- 3. *Chair Babadzhanov*: What is your viewpoint on collaborating with the Powerlifting club and working as a unit?
  - a. *Bodybuilding*: We would not be able to have the same kinds of practices because we, as clubs, have two different goals since they are different disciples.
- 4. Senator Marshall: How many members do you have on Collegiate Link?
  - a. *Bodybuilding*: We currently only have four members on Collegiate Link. However, our account was just set up with OSLA this week and we are working with them to get everyone added.
- 5. *Comptroller Guarino*: How would you benefit from SGA recognition if you had no financial backing?
  - a. Bodybuilding: It would help us also get our name out there.

- 6. *Senator Ramdhani*: Two part question- will the majority of your meeting occur in the Fitness Center and what would you do if a member of your club gets injured?
  - a. Bodybuilding: It depends on who our coach is. If they are someone who works here we would work in the gym. However, if they were from a different place we would travel to wherever they are. We do not see that anyone could get hurt from bodybuilding because of the way that our program is set up. It would be highly unlikely if you follow the correct form.
- 7. Chair Engelson: How would you actually define Bodybuilding?
  - a. Bodybuilding: It is sort of trying to find that perfect physique, that Grecian sort of physique that everyone aspires to. We will focus all of our energy on a show that we want to compete in.
- 8. *Senator Braitman*: If you do not get passed by SGA, would your club pay out of pocket?
  - a. *Bodybuilding*: Yes, we currently do collect dues.
- 9. *Senator Ho*: So you mentioned the lead up to the Bodybuilding competition, do you think that you will have any other events on campus?
  - a. *Bodybuilding*: Right now, no. We would put all of our energy into the upcoming show.
- 10. *Chair Engelson*: Would you also be open to "Joe Schmoes" off the street who wants to participate in the club?
  - a. Bodybuilding: Yes, they would be welcomed and they would be told that we are not an admiring sort of club, rather a performance kind of club.
- 11. *Chair Engelson*: Point of clarification, as of today they have 5 people on Collegiate Link.
- 12. *Chair Harris*: Is Mind and Body still a club?
  - a. Chair Engelson: No, they are no longer a club.

#### iii. Debate

- 1. Senator Beer (speaker for): They are not like powerlifting. Bodybuilding is a sport. This is someone who came in and had a vision. We support clubs. Will they survive with our help? Probably not. Will they survive without our help? Most definitely not. If he has the idea to do something, we should help him and get behind him because that is what SGA does for clubs.
- 2. Senator Mishkin (speaker against): I am all for looking good to an extent. In their Constitution the competition they were talking about at the end of the year is a bikini club. We just passed a club about being body positive and I feel that this competition that we will be endorsing if we pass them is not the sort of thing that we want to promote. I think it will be sending the wrong message as SGA.

- 3. *Senator Shah (speaker for)*: I don't usually do this but I am so moved by this club. Bodybuilding and Powerlifting are two different things. Providing resources are 1/3<sup>rd</sup> of what we do as SGA, so we should provide resources to this club. Sometimes I want to work out and I don't have partner, so this club will help that. This club will help anyone who has that issue and I think that we should support them.
- 4. *Senator Marshall (speaker against)*: I think that this is a club that will reach its potential at some point, however I do not think that time is now. This club could not survive without us, however they don't have a coach or practice place right now. So it sounds like they don't have enough preparation to survive right now.
- 5. Chair Gallagher motions for a moderated caucus for four minute with two speakers, two minute speaking time each
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Motion passes 30-0-0
- 6. *Chair Gallagher*: I think if we pass a club we should think of the things that we provide. They don't want anything other than the funding that we provide. I would like for them to take the time to prepare and come here when they have a proper plan of action and chance of succeeding.
- 7. Senator Pollock: Clearly SGA has accepted so many clubs that we cannot provide for all of the clubs that we now currently have. The only event that they have mentioned is the competition. However, we are not saying that they cannot be a club, they can. We just don't believe it is wise to be an SGA-recognized club at this point. He even said that he was having trouble finding people to join.
- 8. Chair Harris motions for a moderated caucus for two minutes, two speakers, one minute speaking time each
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Motion does not pass 13-17-0
- iv. The Bodybuilding Club does not pass as a SGA recognized club by 4-26-0

#### **B.** Motorsports Engineering Club

- i. *Motorsports Engineering Club*: Let me just say that the reason I am starting this club is because I want this to be the face of the Engineering department. I want people to see this club on the Hofstra website and vehicles that we build in order to have them want to come to our school. There is so much that goes on behind the scenes in order to have a racecar go. We are going to start competing at Nassau Coliseum, because they set up a track there for racing cars on the weekend. As far as funding goes, we want to start reaching out to businesses in the community in order to see our vision become a reality. As far as funding goes we will do most of it. However, SGA funding for parts of the machines are not out of the question. Building a racecar is something that I have always wanted to do, and I believe this is the perfect time to do it.
- ii. Questioning

- 1. *Chair Engelson*: Can you explain what you will be doing in the Winter and the Spring?
  - a. *Motorsports*: Right now, we want to start building as quickly as possible.
- 2. *Senator Andrews*: Have you gotten any interest from the Marketing majors or other people from outside of the Engineering department?
  - a. *Motorsports*: There are many car guys at Hofstra. This won't just be engineering students. There are so many other people who share the passion that we do.
- 3. Senator Marshall: Does your club have a place to meet?
  - a. *Motorsports*: Adams 017 is the place where we meet. They are building a garage right next to Adams for Engineering students to build projects so that is where we would do most of the work for the racecar.
- 4. *Senator Ramdhani*: What is the timeline for hearing about when you will be sponsored by outside companies?
  - a. *Motorsports*: Right now there is not a timeline for that. We are just focusing on building a budget so that we know what we need and can be funded in the spring.
- 5. *Senator Shah*: What are you going to do in a year or two when the car is actually built?
  - a. *Motorsports*: As a race team, the work is never actually done. Right now, if we build a car next semester we will be tweaking it for a while after that because we won't build it perfectly the first time.
- 6. *Senator Beer*: Once built, will you be open to having other clubs use it to gain excitement at other events and maybe provide more spirit for people?
  - a. *Motorsports*: If this club becomes a success, hopefully this car will become a mascot of Hofstra.
- 7. *Chair Engelson*: On Collegiate Link you have 11 people, yes?
  - a. *Motorsports*: Good question, yes, but we have 4 pending, so about 15 members total.
- 8. *Senator Stengel*: Is everyone going to be able to drive the car, or is it only a select few?
  - a. *Motorsports*: A select few. There are many regulations that are set up by the Coliseum and also there is a lot of red tape to go through in order to have them drive the car.
- 9. *Senator Marshall*: Would anyone be able to join?

- a. *Motorsports*: It's sort of structured like a team. There will be a captain and co-captain. Everyone is absolutely welcomed and work will be delegated to people who join along those lines.
- 10. Chair Harris motions to extend questioning time by 40 seconds
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Motion Passes 27-3-0
- 11. Senator Gitlin: Did you speak to Legal yet?
  - a. *Motorsport*: No, not as of yet.
  - b. *Chair Engelson*: A club is recognized through the Registration Committee cannot be passed without going through Legal first, so they have been contacted.
- 12. Chair Gallagher: Where will you put the car when the garage is finished?
  - a. *Motorsports*: The garage spoken of before is for student projects in and outside of classes to build engineering projects.

#### iii. Debate

- 1. *Chair Blain (speaker for)*: When I was listening to this club, I thought of one word: revolutionary. Not just for Hofstra students, but also for SGA. I can see SGA having a sticker on there. I think it will do great for spirit and excitement on campus. This is something that we should get behind.
- 2. Chair Gallagher (speaker against): A word comes to mind for me and that word is Expensive. It would be great if this club could go to different places to get funding first. \$15,000 is a lot to fund for a racing car.
- 3. *Chair Babadzhanov (speaker for)*: A third word I would throw in there is Unity. This has the great potential to bring students together on this campus.
  - a. *Yielded to Senator Cinquemani*: I believe this is a perfect club that we would look to pass. They have a plan for their funding and they already realize that the club cannot be fully funded by SGA.
- 4. *Senator Ho*: I actually really like this club, however I feel that right now in terms of funding, they should lock down one sponsor before they are SGA recognized. Because right now, it is infeasible for us to fund them to the extent that they are seeking. And if we cannot fund them, then the purpose of their club is essentially null and void because they cannot get the parts they need to build their car.
- 5. Senator Gitlin motions for a moderated caucus for two minutes, two speakers, one minute speaking time each
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Motion passes 30-0-0

- 6. *Senator Gitlin*: I felt that when they were up there, he said that the best way for this club to do everything they wanted to do is to have a good takeoff. We have the ignition trigger; we have the ability to say, "Hey, Go!"
- 7. *Chair Barry*: This club is great for us. They seem really organized. Sponsors are going to love this idea. They have potential and already have 15 members, which is great for a club that just was created a week ago.
- 8. Chair Manuel motions for a moderated caucus, for four minutes, two speakers, two minute speaking time each
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Motion does not pass 9-20-0
- 9. Chair Manuel motions for a moderated caucus, for two minutes, two speakers, one minute speaking time each
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Objection
  - c. Debate
    - i. Chair Manuel (speaker for): Not everything has been covered. I have things that I would like to mention which have not already been brought up. However, in the time that we used to debate about going into debate I could have already said those things and we could have moved on. So now we are wasting even more time because someone wanted to object to having a little more time to talk about it.
      - 1. *Yielded to Senator Pollock*: We said no to a moderated caucus with 4 minutes and now we are doing one with two minutes, I think we should just let this pass in order to hear more points of view.
        - a. *Yielded to Chair Engelson*: No one should think this is a waste of time; this is what we signed up to do.
    - ii. Senator Andrews (speaker against): We had good debate and now people are just trying to move people to their side, which is not what debate was intended for.
    - iii. Senator Beer (speaker for): I have yet to make my mind up and the 150 students that I represent dictate that I should spend time to think about this.
  - d. Motion passes
- 10. *Chair Manuel*: I don't know if some of you know, but there was a club here a couple years ago that tried to do the same thing and where are they now? They tried this before and I believe to build this car with 15 members and no funding

will be extremely hard. We have clubs that are here already failing. We should not add one more to that list.

- 11. *Senator Mishkin*: This club has a vision and a plan. No one is saying that they are going to have a car built in a year. One thing that everyone neglected to mention is that this will be great for retention and recruitment. This would be great for prospective students to see that they want to join.
  - a. Yielded to Senator Pollock: They can succeed without us.
- iv. Senator Marshall motions for a Roll Call vote
  - 1. Seconded
  - 2. Motion passes by 13-17-0
- v. Roll Call vote:
  - 1. Comptroller Guarino: Yea
  - 2. Chair Blain: Yea
  - 3. Chair Gallagher: Nay
  - 4. Chair Engelson: Yea
  - 5. Chair Shepherd: Yea
  - 6. Chair Barry: Nay
  - 7. Chair Babadzhanoz: Yea
  - 8. Chair Harris: Yea
  - 9. Chair Manuel: Nay
  - 10. Senator Ahmedin: Nay
  - 11. Senator Andrews: Yea
  - 12. Senator Beer: Abstain
  - 13. Senator Braitman: Yea
  - 14. Senator Caputo: Yea
  - 15. Senator Casey: Yea
  - 16. Senator Cinquemani: Yea
  - 17. Senator Dent: Nay
  - 18. Senator Diaz: Abstain
  - 19. Senator Esteban: Yea
  - 20. Senator Gitlin: Yea

- 21. Senator Ho: Nay
- 22. Senator Marshall: Abstain
- 23. Senator Mishkin: Yea
- 24. Senator Pollock: Abstain
- 25. Senator Price: Yea
- 26. Senator Ramdhani: Yea
- 27. Senator Senderowicz: Yea
- 28. Senator Shafranski: Yea
- 29. Senator Shah: Yea
- 30. Senator Stengel: Nay
- 31. Senator Taconnelli: Yea
- vi. Motorsports Engineering Club is passed as a SGA recognized club by 21-6-4

# C. Committee Report Absence Legislation

- i. *Senator Casey*: Vice President Olson and I are bringing legislation, which is found on page 12, which is adding a stipulation to the absence policy. When a Cabinet member does not hand in their minutes on time to the Vice President, they receive a half absence.
- ii. Questioning
  - 1. Chair Blain: Can we change this to a quarter absence?
  - 2. Senator Beer: What is the maximum amount of absences that you can accrue?
    - a. Senator Casey: Two
  - 3. Senator Gitlin motions for a moderated caucus, four minutes, four speakers, one minute speaking time each
    - a. Seconded
    - b. Objection
    - c. Chair Blaine motions to skip debate and go straight into a vote
      - i. Seconded
      - ii. Motion passes 30-0-0
    - d. Motion passes 27-2-1
- iii. Moderated Caucus

- 1. *Senator Gitlin*: I think it is fine to have legislation for this. I think I am against this in the way that it is getting to us. We have the Constitutional Convention to talk about this. I think our Constitution has been changed too much.
- 2. *Chair Blain*: As a Chair member I understand that is important for me to have my minutes in on time. However, I disagree with this legislation. I think it is far too easy for Cabinet members to absence out. You should be doing this anyway. You should not have to have a legislation that speaks about this. I think that this legislation targets people.
- 3. *Senator Caputo*: This legislation is needed. It holds the leaders of this organization to a higher standard.
- 4. *Chair Shepherd*: All Cabinets before us have handed in their minutes on time, so I think our Cabinet needs to be more responsible.
- 5. *Chair Manuel*: I would like to point out the fact that in our policy series that the Vice President gets an absence if she does not send the minutes out on time. The only reason why that would happen is because the Chairs did not send their minutes in on time.
- 6. Senator Beer motions for a moderated caucus for two minutes, two speakers, one minute speaking time each
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Motion passes 31-0-0

#### iv. Moderated Caucus II

- 1. *Senator Beer*: Our Constitution is too complicated and the original Constitution of the United States has only been changed 27 times and two of them cancel each other out.
- 2. Senator Ho: I am against this, not because I do not think we need it, but because I think it is too harsh. This is our eighth Senate meeting and if you miss four committee minutes, you absence out.
- 3. *Senator Andrews*: Our Chairs have a lot of responsibility and we have to be hard on them because we need them to be the best leaders on this campus.
- 4. *Senator Casey* motions for a Straw Poll about changing it to a quarter absence instead of a half absence.
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Motion passes: 31-0-0
- 5. Strawpoll Vote-13-11-4
- 6. Chair Gallagher motions for an unmoderated caucus with the room split into two sides with one side for ½ absence and one side for ½ absence.
  - a. Chair Blain objects

- i. The two sides would just polarize us and would not incubate the free exchange of ideas.
- b. Motion rescinded
- 7. Chair Gallagher motions for an unmoderated caucus with the room split into three sides, one side for ¼ absences, one side for ½ absences and one side to talk about other possible solutions.
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Objection
  - c. Debate
    - i. Chair Gallagher (speaker for): I loathe unmoderated caucuses. However I see this as a plausible solution to get us to walk around and talk about this issue in order to have us come back to the table with made up minds.
    - ii. Senator Beer (speaker against): I don't think two minutes isn't enough and I believe that this is categorizing people into three groups and that will polarize us. I do not believe this is an issue that needs to be solved this way.
    - iii. *Chair Manuel (speaker for)*: I do think it is a good idea; we will get an idea as to where we stand with this legislation.
      - 1. *Yielded to Senator Ramdhani*: We should take the right lengths to make sure that everyone can check out both opposing sides and to make sure that everyone understands where they stand. I think it is a good idea.
    - iv. *Chair Blain (speaker against)*: I don't think that it is a good idea segregating the room into different sections. It doesn't create a incubator for ideas. Instead splitting the room will make it an incubator for viewpoints that already stand.
  - d. Motion passes 17-13-0
- 8. *Senator Beer*: If we choose to amend it, do the two proposal sponsors have to see it amended?
  - a. *Vice President Olson*: Content changes cannot be amended as friendly, but grammatical changes can be.
- 9. Senator Andrews motion to vote on the legislation as brought
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Chair Blain objects
  - c. Debate

- i. Senator Andrews (speaker for): The reason why I want to go to a motion on the legislation as is, is because I think it should be seen as originally intended by the bringers of the legislation first and if people don't like it then we can always go back and amend it.
- ii. Senator Gitlin (speaker against): The unmoderated caucus brought up some new ideas that were not on the table now. I don't like it because with 1/4th absences because it is it is eight times, and then with 1/2th it is five times.
- iii. Chair Manuel (speaker for): We can go right back and amend this with a simple majority. Most senators were sitting down anyway. If we want to make amendments, then we can make amendments. Right now we are talking in circles and just moving around the process instead of doing the process.
- iv. *Chair Blain (speaker against):* I object to the legislation itself and how this is being steamrolled through. We should discuss amendments before voting on passing this. I would like to talk about this more.
- d. Motion passes 26-3-0

#### v. Roll Call Vote

1. Comptroller Guarino: Yea

2. Chair Blain: Nay

3. Chair Gallagher: Yea

4. Chair Engelson: Yea

5. Chair Shepherd: Nay

6. Chair Barry: Yea

7. Chair Babadzhanov:

8. Chair Harris: Nay

9. Chair Manuel: Yea

10. Senator Ahmedin: Yea

11. Senator Andrews: Yea

12. Senator Beer: Nay

13. Senator Braitman: Nay

14. Senator Caputo: Yea

15. Senator Casey: Abstain

- 16. Senator Cinquemani: Yea
- 17. Senator Dent:
- 18. Senator Diaz:
- 19. Senator Esteban: Yea
- 20. Senator Gitlin: Abstain
- 21. Senator Ho: Nay
- 22. Senator Marshall: Nay
- 23. Senator Mishkin: Nay
- 24. Senator Pollock: Nay
- 25. Senator Price: Nay
- 26. Senator Ramdhani: Nay
- 27. Senator Senderowicz:
- 28. Senator Shafranski: Yea
- 29. Senator Shah: Nay
- 30. Senator Stengel: Nay
- 31. Senator Tacconelli: Nay
- vi. The Committee Report Absence Legislation does not pass by 13-15-2
- **D.** Senator Price motions to reopen the legislation
  - i. Seconded
  - ii. Objection
  - iii. Debate
    - 1. *Senator Marshall (speaker for)*: Senator Price had amendments that she would like to make and we should at least give them a listen.
      - a. *Yielded to Senator Gitlin*: I'm disappointed that someone had to make an amendment to something. Someone had an idea and everyone voted not to even listen to that senator.
    - 2. Senator Beer (speaker against): I am a SGA Senator every day. If you want a consensus you have the number people around the table. Get a consensus of people to do it and don't just try to do all the work that you have on one night.
    - 3. *Senator Price (speaker for)*: Last year my legislation was shot down. Absences are a touchy thing. I have tried to talk about legislation with everyone and no one would meet with me. So I think now is the time to talk about this legislation.

- 4. *Yielded to Senator Ho*: I think this legislation is great, however I believe that our minds are made up on where we stand right now. I believe that we all are just mentally tired with this legislation right now.
- 5. Senator Marshall motions for a moderated caucus for four minutes, four speakers, one minute speaking time each
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Motion passes 16-11-0
- 6. *Senator Marshall*: Three other speakers of the moderated caucus are Chairs. Senators have a lot to say and he would rather have the amendment be brought to the senators here so they can have a voice.
  - a. *Yielded to Senator Mishkin*: We are already tired now; we will be even more tired next week after budget appeals.
- 7. *Chair Manuel*: People will not meet when they are outside of Senate. Minutes are sent out far enough in advance for people to read the agenda and decide on legislation.
  - a. *Yielded to Senator Andrews*: We need more time to think about this because maybe we don't need to pass it or maybe it doesn't need to be amended.
- 8. *Chair Gallagher*: Cabinet voted on this legislation without the amendment. It may be that changing it completely in a way that they have not discussed, could change the whole meaning of the legislation.
- 9. *Chair Engelson*: I am in support of legislation that holds the chair people accountable. It will help set a precedent and have our voice heard for this legislation.
  - a. *Yielded to Senator Caputo*: We have a constitutional Convention coming up so this might not even stay in the constitution.
- iv. Motion does not pass by 7-19-1

#### VI. Executive Board Reports

- **E.** President M. Atkinson
  - a. "It's not about you, it's about the pride."
- F. Vice President- N. Olson
- **G.** Comptroller A. Guarino
  - a. Thank you all for getting signatures!

#### VII. Committee Chair Weekly Reports

- A. Academic Affairs
  - i. Made a list of contacts around the University

- ii. Working on scholarships and low-interest loans for Intersessions and Summer
- iii. Meeting with Dean Godlove tomorrow
- iv. Chair Barry motions to pass
  - 1. Seconded
  - 2. Motion passes

#### **B.** Appropriations

- i. Composed emails for Budget Weekend
- ii. 21 clubs have already sent in for a request to appeal
- iii. Senator Ho motions to add a sign-off
  - 1. Seen as friendly
- iv. Senator Marshall motions to pass
  - 1. Seconded
  - 2. Motion passes

#### C. Club Relations

- i. Presentation on Collegiate Link
- ii. Senator Marshall motions to pass
  - 1. Seconded
  - 2. Motion passes

### **D.** Programming

- i. Country Pride Weekend is this weekend!
- ii. Mechanical Bull and live music in Hofstra USA from 6pm-9pm on Saturday!
- iii. Motion to pass
  - 1. Seconded
  - 2. Motion passes

#### E. Public Relations

- i. SGA now has a Snapchat!
- ii. Working on Netherlands meet up with first-years
- iii. Senator Marshall motions to pass
  - 1. Seconded

#### 2. Motion passes

# F. Spirit

- i. Tomorrow is the basketball game!
- ii. Stonybrook game is on the 21st at 7pm.
- iii. SGA Superlatives are coming next week during the Budget Appeals Meeting
- iv. Motion to pass
  - 1. Seconded
  - 2. Motion passes

#### **G.** Student Services

- i. Everyone please join the Suggestions@Hofstra page on Facebook!
- ii. Motion to pass
  - 1. Seconded
  - 2. Motion passes
- VIII. For the Good of the Order
  - IX. Announcements
  - X. Snap Cup
  - XI. Adjournment
    - A. Motion to adjourn at 11:39 PM
      - i. Seconded
      - ii. Motion passes

# Adjournment 11:39pm

Respectfully submitted, Mark Atkinson President Hofstra Student Government Association Student Government Association Cabinet Meeting

Wednesday, November 19th, 2014

Present: President Atkinson, Vice President Olson, Secretary Wyatt, Comptroller Guarino, Academic Affairs Chair

Blain, Appropriations Chair Gallagher, Club Relations Chair Engelson, Programming Chair Shepherd,

Rules Chair Babadzhanov, Spirit Chair Harris, and Student Services Chair Manuel

**Absent: Public Relations Chair Barry** 

Meeting called to order by President Atkinson at 8:13pm

- I. Updates
  - a. Academic Affairs
    - i. Working with Chair Manuel on initiatives that we can work on with VP Barkwill
      - 1. More frequent hydration station servicing
      - 2. Phone charging stations
    - ii. More about the Biology Department issue being researched through Dean Godlove and Dean Firestone's office
    - iii. Flowchart/Where to go completed
    - iv. Music 020 blurbs for Music students finished
    - v. Music therapy major on hold for now
      - 1. Dean Firestone is concerned that it will not be popular, as the creative arts therapy major is struggling
      - 2. President Atkinson suggests that the committee further researches this
    - vi. Still in progress
      - 1. Crisis Management as a new major
      - 2. Student teaching abroad
      - 3. Hydration station flyers
      - 4. Early Honors Registration
        - a. Senator Cinquemani working on this initiative and meeting with the Honors College
        - b. Other colleges often allow Honors students to register before other students because of their strict requirements
      - 5. Mobile printing publicity
      - 6. UTP flyers/publicity
      - 7. 18<sup>th</sup> Credit
      - 8. TK-20
      - 9. January/Summer Scholarships
  - b. Appropriations
    - i. There will 19-20 appeals for budget appeals
    - ii. No new allocations this week
    - iii. In progress
      - 1. Looking into online Appropriations sign up
        - a. Karl Koeppel is speaking with Sarah Young about this idea

- 2. Detailed data analytics
- 3. Less rollback than Spring 2014
- 4. Student activity fee proposal
- 5. Looking to make a newsletter for the faculty advisors
- c. Club Relations
  - i. Prioritizing initiatives
  - ii. Started planning our events for next semester
    - 1. Mini Leadership Conference- Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>
    - 2. Club Olympic- March 28<sup>rd</sup>
    - 3. April 14<sup>th</sup>- Club Congress
  - iii. Met with 2 clubs this week
  - iv. The Collegiate Link icon has been moved to the main Hofstra Portal
  - v. Sent out our first email blast about what's going on
    - 1. Great feedback
  - vi. Sending out our wrap-up email to club leaders
  - vii. Spring involvement fair
    - 1. December 18<sup>th</sup> is the deadline to sign up
    - 2. Hoping to get a great turn out
  - viii. Starting SGA Alumni Network
- d. Programming
  - i. Country Pride went really well
    - 1. Good turn out
  - ii. Build A Bear is December 1st at 6:00pm
    - 1. Also making holiday cards
    - 2. Animals moose, penguin, and polar bear
  - iii. Planned events for next semester
- e. Rules
  - i. Constitutional Convention in Fall 2015
- f. Spirit
  - i. The game went great!
  - ii. Pride Unleashed was great
  - iii. In progress
    - 1. Hofstra Celebrates the Holidays with Pep Band
    - 2. Spirit Rock
- g. Student Services
  - i. Airport shuttle is happening
  - ii. Mineola train shuttle
    - 1. VP Barkwill and Charles Forrest are looking into new data to see if there have been any changes.
  - iii. Chair Manuel will be our point person for VP Barkwill
  - iv. Lackmann meeting review
- II. Carpet Time
- III. SWOT Analysis of Organization
- IV. Motion to Adjourn at 10:55pm
  - a. Seconded
  - b. Motion passes

Respectfully submitted,

Student Government Association Secretary

# **Budget Weekend Minutes**

November 7-8, 2014

Attendance: Chairperson Damian Gallagher, Comptroller Aly Guarino, Taylor Roome, So-Van Ho, Erin

Casey, Gaby Senderowicz Visiting: None Absent: None

Meeting Commenced: 12:47 PM on November 7th Meeting Adjourned: 11:00 PM on November 7<sup>th</sup>

10 hours

Meeting Commenced: 2:05PM on November 8<sup>th</sup> Meeting Adjourned: 2:00 AM on November 9<sup>th</sup>

Break: 8pm-10pm

10 hours

# **MEDIA**

1. FORM Student Gallery

Requested: \$2,649.41

FORM Gallery Spring 2015 Shows

Allocated: \$91.74 Clear Push Pins: \$7.76 Label Maker: \$39.99 Table Banner: \$43.99

2. Hofstra Chronicle

Requested: \$12,000.00

Richner Communications (Printing)

**Allocated:** \$7,500.00

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**3.** H.E.A.T

Requested: \$2,153.92

Go Pro HERO4 Silver, 64GB Micro SD Card, GoPro Head Strap QuickClip, GoPro Suction Cup Mount, Pelican 1600 Case, Painter's Tape, 1 Gallon Latex Paint, Paint Roller Covers, 9 Inch Roller Tray, Angled Sash Paint Brushes, DVC Pro-Tapes, 4TB G-Drive, 12 Volt Power Supply, Hellerman Tyton Cable Tags, Cable Ties, Film Reel, Film Trophy Statue, Director's Chair, Gobo, HDMI to HD SDI Converter, HDMI Cable, SP-Gadgets Case for GoPro

**Allocated:** \$797.17

Pelican 1600 Case: \$158.95 DVC Pro-Tapes: \$153.65 4TB G-Drive: \$279.95 12 Volt Power Supply: \$146.72

Hellerman Tyton Cable Tags: \$57.90

#### 4. Hofstra Filmmakers Club

Requested: \$5,475.81

Glyph Studio S4000 4TB 360 MB/s External Hard Drive, 1 ARRI Softbank Tungsten 4 Light Kit, 3 HDX 100ft 16/3 Extension Cord, Rokinon T1.5 Cine Lens Kit for Nikon F, Cinevate Inc. Nikon F to Canon EOS Adapter Ring, 2 Pack Battery and Charger Kit, Panasonic 32GB F-Series P2 Memory Card, Apparel

**Allocated:** \$365.00

4TB External Hard Drive: \$365.00

# **SOCIAL**

#### 5. Entertainment Unlimited

Requested: \$116, 602.33

Movies, Movies Continued, Fridays @4, Free Trips, Paid Trips, On Campus Events, Burlesque,

Music Fest, Transportation for Trips

Allocated: \$40,000.00 Movies: \$13,000.00 Free Trips: \$4,000.00 Paid Trips: \$5,000.00

On Campus Events: \$10,000.00

Burlesque: \$3,000.00 Music Fest: \$5,000.00

#### 6. Hofstra Concerts

Requested: \$194,581.52

Music Fest, Coffeehouse, Midway Show, Gaffers Tape, T-Shirts, Banner

**Allocated**: \$90,000.00

Music Fest

#### 7. Hofstra eSports

Requested: 1,287.47

Game Security Cases, Steel Wide-Body TV Monitor Cart, Lenovo 57Y4303 Security Cable Lock

**Allocated:** \$100.00

Game Security Cases: \$69.05

Lenovo 57Y4303 Security Cable Lock: \$30.95

8. Hofstra v. Zombies

Requested: \$273.34

Advertisements (Fliers), Makeup, Easel, Poster

**Allocated:** \$110.04 Makeup: \$89.79

Poster: \$20.25

9. Hofstra University Robotics Academy

Requested: 1,091.16

Brown University IEEE Robotics Competition, Arduino Starter Kits

**Allocated:** \$675.72

Brown University IEEE Robotics Competition

10. SCAFFU

Requested: \$236.40

Castle Point Anime Convention, Movie Trip: Avengers Age of Ultron

Allocated: \$0.00

# PRE-PROFESSIONAL

11. Accounting Society

Requested: \$45.91

Club Member Networking Event

Allocated: \$0.00

12. American Choral Director's Association

Requested: \$600.00

ACDA National Conference Hotel Room, First Meeting with Speaker, Second Meeting with

Speaker, Third Meeting with Speaker

**Allocated:** \$300.00

First Meeting with Speaker: \$100.00 Second Meeting with Speaker: \$100.00 Third Meeting with Speaker: \$100.00

13. Advertising Club

Requested: \$740.00

JWT (Advertising Agency) / LIRR Tickets, T-Shirts

**Allocated:** \$490.00

JWT (Advertising Agency) / LIRR Tickets: \$240.00

T-Shirts: \$250.00

14. ALPFA

Requested: \$1,622.00

Big 4 Networking Event, ALPFA Convention Recruiting, Fortune 500 Comes To Hofstra

**Allocated:** \$570.25

ALPFA Convention Recruiting: \$45.25 Fortune 500 Comes to Hofstra: \$525.00

#### 15. ASCD

Requested: \$2,134.69

ASCD National Conference, T-Shirts, Groceries for Ronald McDonald House, Publicity/Art

Supplies, Gifts for Speakers

Allocated: \$0.00

### 16. Hofstra Association of Graphic Artists (HAGA)

Requested: \$1,329.87

Trip to the Museum of Modern Art, "Not All Artists are Starving," Apparel, Banner

**Allocated:** \$519.87

"Not All Artists Are Starving" Food: \$300.00

Apparel: \$179.88 Banner: \$39.99

# 17. Financial Management Association

Requested: \$648.20

Faces of Finance, Are You Made for Wall Street?

**Allocated:** \$488.20

Faces of Finance: \$272.20

Are You Made for Wall Street?: \$216.00

#### 18. Hofstra American Marketing Association

Requested: \$5,886.01

Non-Profit Week, AMA Intercollegiate Conference, Chipotle Fundraiser, In-House Marketing

Conference

**Allocated:** \$2,452.01

Non-Profit Week: \$298.20

AMA Intercollegiate Conference: \$1,898.61

Chipotle Fundraiser: \$36.25

In-House Marketing Conference: \$218.95

#### 19. Hofstra Health and Wellness

<u>Requested:</u> \$100.09

Office Supplies, Fundraising

Allocated: \$54.04 Fundraising: \$54.04

#### 20. Hofstra University Association of Black Journalists

Requested: \$2,318.45

NABS Convention 2015, Custom Shirts, LIRR Tickets

**Allocated:** \$1,774.45

NABS Convention 2015 (hotels: \$400, Registration 5 people \$1,125): \$1,525.00

Custom Shirts: \$249.45

### 21. Hofstra University Society of Professional Journalists

Requested: \$381.16

Business Card Bonanza, Annual Alumni Event, Banner, Writing Workshop

Allocated: \$199.96 Banner: \$104.26

Writing Workshop: \$95.20

# 22. Hofstra University Start-Ups

Requested: \$3,300

Start-Up Weekend, Shark Tank Hofstra, Entrepreneur Week, BUNEEC Conference

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 23. Institute of Management Accountants

Requested: \$712.20

Spring 2015 Kickoff, LinkIn Info Session, CPA / CMA Info Session, Excel Info Session, T-

**Shirts** 

Allocated: \$0.00

## 24. Institute of Legal Studies in Business

Requested: \$491.00

LIRR Tickets, Metro Card

Allocated: \$368.50 LIRR Tickets: \$330.00 Metro Card: \$38.50

#### 25. Music and Entertainment Industry Student Association

Requested: \$1,953.29

MEISA Music Industry Conference, Keynote Speaker Dinner, Lunch with Speaker

**Allocated:** \$223.49

MEISA Music Industry Conference: \$223.49

#### 26. Hofstra Model UN

Requested: \$250.00

Club T-Shirts

**Allocated: \$250.00** 

Club T-Shirts

#### 27. National Association of Black Accountants (NABA)

Requested: \$1,218.70

Recruiting Event, "Big 4" Professional Panel, Backpack to Briefcase, Dress for Success Workshop, Time Management in Corporate America, Finding Your Passion in the Financial

Service Industry, The Studying Ethics: How To Prepare for the CPA Exam, The Structure of the

CFA Exam and Others **Allocated:** \$411.90

Recruiting Event: \$110.00

"Big 4" Professional Panel: \$81.00 Backpack to Briefcase: \$110.00

Dress For Success Workshop: \$110.00

#### 28. National Society of Black Engineers

Requested: \$1,639.20

Mid-Term Cram, Final Study Jam, Valentine's Day Fundraiser, Mother's Day Fundraiser, Black

Culture Talk

**Allocated:** \$585.20

Valentine's Day Fundraiser: \$209.45 Mother's Day Fundraiser: \$110.10 Black Culture Talk: \$265.65

#### 29. NSSLHA

Requested: \$467.00

Apparel, Recruitment, Fitness Day / Zumba Instructor, Bake Sales, Prize Wheel

**Allocated:** \$24.75 Bake Sale: \$24.75

# 30. The Physician Assistant Club

Requested: \$530.00

Banner, T-Shirts, Fundraising Supplies

Allocated: \$411.50 Banner: \$125.32 T-Shirts: \$233.60

Fundraising Supplies: \$52.58

### 31. Phi Alpha Delta

Requested: \$5,135.81

P.A.D. M&M's, Balloons, Poster, Balloon String, Adam Carroll, Chocolate Hand Cuff Molds,

Chocolate

Allocated: \$0.00

# 32. Society of Physics Students

Requested: \$1,609.69

iFly Trapeze, Indian Point Energy Center, T-Shirts

**Allocated:** \$1,150.00 iFly Trapeze: \$900.00 T-Shirts: \$250.00

# 33. Society of Women Engineers

Requested: \$721.30

Question and Answer Panel, Resume Workshop, Shirts

**Allocated:** \$300.00

Question and Answer Panel: \$110.00

T-Shirts: \$190.00

#### 34. Tax Society

Requested: \$1680,80

IRS-VITA Federal Tax Training Workshop I, IRS-VITA Federal Tax Training Workshop II, IRS-VITA N.Y. State Tax Training Workshop, IRA TaxWise Online Software Interactive Training Session, A Real World Perspective: Dining Etiquette with Tax Professionals

**Allocated:** \$704.70

IRS-VITA Federal Tax Training Workshop I (food): \$392.50 IRS-VITA Federal Tax Training Workshop II (food):\$312.20

# 35. Hofstra United States Institute of Theatre Technology

Requested: \$7,194.11

Supplies for Dept. Design Studio, Books for Dept. Bookshelf, 8 USITT 2015 Conference Fee, Hotel Room for Conference, 3 Candy for Fundraising (for Conference), 3D Printer, Recruitment Events

**Allocated:** \$2,336.00

8 USITT 2015 Conference Fee: \$1,536.00 Hotel Room for Conference: \$800.00

# **NON-SGA RECOGNIZED**

#### 36. Alpha Kappa Psi

Requested: \$4,034.00

Letter Jackets for Crossing, Recruitment/Pledge Materials, Principled Business Leadership Institute, Food for Professional Events on Campus, Alpha Kappa Psi Convention

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 37. 180 Degrees Consulting

<u>Requested:</u> \$115.00

180 Recruitment Meeting

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 38. Alpha Phi Alpha

Requested: \$17,378.70

Women's Appreciation, Not For Sale, Mrs. Black and Gold

Allocated: \$0.00

# 39. Delta Phi Epsilon

Requested: \$652.76

Cocoa and Kisses, Hofstra's Hottest Man, Recruitment Shirts

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 40. Delta Gamma

Requested: \$111.06 Anchor Splash Allocated: \$99.50

Anchor Splash

# 41. IFSC

Requested: \$549.99 All 5 Star Events **Allocated:** \$0.00

#### 42. MFSC

Requested: \$1,937.30

Knuck If You Buck, MFSC Week Barbecue, MCSC Week Dodgeball

Allocated: \$0.00

### 43. Omega Phi Chi

Requested: \$1,860.60

Diversity At Its Finest, Omega Week Zumba, Omega Week Spa, Omega Week Sp!T, Omega

Week Dinner **Allocated:** \$0.00

# 44. The Society for Advancement of Management

Requested: \$8,861.90

SAM Recruitment Meeting, Ignite Your Entrepreneurial Spirit, Got Issues?, Improve Your managerial Skills Through IT, Why numbers Are Your Best Friend!, SAM Annual Conference, Taking Care of Business

Allocated: \$0.00

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# 45. Sigma Alpha Epsilon

<u>Requested:</u> \$407.10

Conor Wynne Memorial Candle Service, Professional Career Workshop

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 46. Sigma Pi

Requested: \$3,895

Amazing Day Foundation Fundraiser

Allocated: \$0.00

# **RELIGIOUS**

#### 47. Buddhism Club

Requested: \$1,472.50

Advertising - Color Fliers, T-Shirts, Fundraising, Mindfulness Day Trip, Earth Day - Henna

Cones

**Allocated:** \$977.48 T-Shirts: \$250.00 Fundraising: \$234.97

Mindfulness Day Trip: \$425.01 Earth Day - Henna Cones: \$67.50

#### 48. Chabad at Hofstra

Requested: \$7,261.65

Israeli Independence Day Program, Passover Holiday Event, Purim Holiday Event and Services,

Mega Shabbat, Banner, T-Shirts, Shabbat on Campus

**Allocated:** \$2,802.98

Mega Shabbat: (food): \$900.00

Banner: \$154.16 T-Shirts: \$248.82

Shabbat on Campus: \$900.00 Purim Event (Cantor): \$600.00

#### 49. Hofstra's Gospel Ensemble

Requested: \$5,214.00

Joy Night, Choir Director, HGE Cafe, Welcome Back Event

Allocated: \$1,250.00 Choir Director: \$1,250.00

#### 50. Hofstra Hillel

Requested: \$14,900.00

Shabbat Dinners, Jewcy Sushi, Gaga Tournament, T-Shirts

**Allocated:** \$7,450.00

Shabbat Dinners: \$5,000.00 Jewcy Sushi: \$1,350.00.00 Gaga Tournament: \$1,100.00

#### 51. Intervarsity Christian Fellowship

Requested: \$4,328.37

Basileia Conference, Game Night Fundraiser, Teaching Supplies, Music/Worship Program,

Small Group Open House

**Allocated:** \$939.72

Game Night Fundraiser: \$305.85 Teaching Supplies: \$165.18 Music/Worship Program: \$228.89

Small Group Open House (food): \$239.80

52. Muslim Student Association

Requested: \$5,155.50

Mouths of Muslim Women, Sweatshirts

**Allocated:** \$2,450.00

Mouths of Muslim Women: \$2,200.00

Sweatshirts: \$250.00

53. Newman Club

Requested: \$13,286.46

Newman Club Alternative Spring Break Mission Trip, Newman Club Intercampus Spring Retreat, Advertising, Baby Shower Drive, Holy Hour and Adoration for Vocations, Catholic Underground, Apparel, Christopher Residence: Day of Service, Dinner Dance with Friends with Special Needs: Day of Service, Grill the Chaplain, Teaching Family Residences: Day of Service,

Momma's House: Day of Service, Senior Prom Pre-Event: Etiquette and Dance Lessons

**Allocated:** \$4,671.34

Newman Club Alternative Spring Break Mission Trip: \$3,972.00

Baby Shower Drive: \$65.64

Apparel: \$250.00

Grill the Chaplain: \$142.40 Midnight Bake Sale: 137.25

Senior Prom Pre-Event: Etiquette and Dance Lessons: \$104.05

# **PERFORMANCE**

54. 6th Element

Requested: \$558.00

Banner, Travel Expenses, Poster Board, T-Shirts, Water Balloons, Recruitment Events

Allocated: \$0.00

55. Danceworks

Requested: \$3,500.00

Photographer, Videographer, Adam's Playhouse, Lighting Designer, Stage Manager

Allocated: \$3,275.00 Photographer: \$75.00 Videographer: \$400.00 Adam's Playhouse: \$1,800.00 Lighting Designer: \$600.00 Stage Manager: \$400.00

# 56. HaHa Hofstra

Requested: \$10,362.50

Upright Citizens Brigade, Guest Comedian - John Mulany, Comedy Lessons, Study Session,

Clothing

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 57. Hofstra Bhangra

Requested: \$1,341.96

Uniforms, Bhangra Equipment, Medical Kit, Cones

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 58. Imani Dance Ensemble

Requested: \$2,280.24

Arts and Crafts, Apparel, Spring Showcase Budget

Allocated: \$1,870.00 Apparel: \$250.00

Spring Showcase Budget: \$1,620.00

# 59. Masquerade Musical Theatre

Requested: \$5,500

Musical Director, Set, Costume

**Allocated:** \$1,280.00

Musical Director: \$1,280.00

#### 60. RHYTHMiX

Requested: \$600.00

Production Workshop with Hillary-Marie Michael, Tap Master Class with Hillary-Marie Michael

**Allocated:** \$600.00

Production Workshop with Hillary-Marie Michael: \$300.00 Tap Master Class with Hillary-Marie Michael: \$300.00

#### 61. SP!T

Requested: \$7,950.00

SP!T Showcase, Aja Monet, Carrie Rudzinsky, Rives

**Allocated:** \$1,200.00

Carrie Rudzinsky: \$1,200.00

#### **62.** The Spectrum Players

Requested: \$457.36

Children's Show, Experimental Works, Play In a Day, Shake Shop

**Allocated:** \$115.00

Experimental Works: \$40.00

Play In a Day: \$75.00

63. Strictly Steppin'

Requested: \$339.34

Spring Show, Competition, Step In The Name of Love, Miscellaneous

Allocated: \$0.00

64. Transcendence

Requested: \$3,165.92

Backstage Staff/Rehearsal, Backstage Staff/Day of Show, Front House Staff/Day of Show, Apparel, iPod Shuffle, Rave Portable Speaker, Jensen Portable Speaker, Jam-Touch Wireless

Speaker, Naxa Portable Speaker

**Allocated:** \$2,151.88

Backstage Staff/Rehearsal: \$660.00 Backstage Staff/Day of Show: \$1,485.00

Apparel: \$6.88

65. Zeenat

Requested: \$358.00

Team Apparel, Team Banner

Allocated: \$0.00

# **ACADEMIC**

66. American Society of Civil Engineers

Requested: \$117.00

Banner

**Allocated:** \$117.00

Banner

67. The Astronomical Society of Hofstra

Requested: \$1,771.26

Camping @ Cherry Springs, Custer Observatory, American Museum of Natural History

**Allocated:** \$750.84

Camping @ Cherry Springs: \$582.40

Custer Observatory: \$168.44

68. Computer Science Society

Requested: \$2,748.95

2 Oculus Rift Virtual Reality Headsets, Virtuix Omni Virtual Reality Treadmill, Portable Computer Tower to Use Oculus Rift/Treadmill at Events, 5 Raspberry Pi Model B+

Allocated: \$98.00

Raspberry Pi Model B+: \$98.00

#### **69.** Economics Association

Requested: \$1,020

NYC Wall Street Insider Tour, Financial Crisis Tour, Big Onion - Financial District

Allocated: \$0.00

### 70. Geology Club

Requested: \$3,444.82

Geological Society of America Conference, Apparel, Stokes State Forest Trip, Battle Row Trip,

Alumni Panel, Shawanguk Climbing Trip

**Allocated:** \$1,480.45

Geological Society of America Conference: \$1,013.00

Apparel: \$250.00

Battle Row Trip: \$46.22

Alumni Panel (food): \$171.23

### 71. Hofstra English Society

Requested: \$2,164.80

FONT Literary & Arts Mag., Coffee House/Open Mic, Spring Showcase

Allocated: \$0.00

# 72. Hofstra Psychology Club

Requested: \$312.40

Annual Grad Student Mixer

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 73. Sustainability Studies Club

Requested: \$1,580.58

Compost, Smart and Sustainable Campus Conference, High Line Trip, Garden Equipment

**Allocated:** \$672.52

Smart & Sustainable Campus Conference (Registration \$397.50, Hotel \$186.00, Transportation

\$49.66): \$633.16

Garden Equipment: \$39.36

# **MULTI-CULTURAL**

#### 74. African Caribbean Society

Requested: \$2,780.00

Caribbean Bites, AfroCaribbean Showcase, Evolution of Carnival

**Allocated:** \$1,442.20

Caribbean Bites (Performers/Drummers): \$890.00

Afro-Caribbean Showcase (food): \$322.50

Evolution of Carnival (food): \$229.70

### 75. Black Student Union (BSU)

Requested: \$27,120.83

Living up to the Legacy, Is Justice Being Served?, Skate in the Name of Love 2, Double

Standards, BSU Mixer, BSU Men's Appreciation, Bacchanal Part 1., Bacchanal Part 2,

Bacchanal Part 3, Relay for Life, BSU All-Star Game

**Allocated:** \$7,137.50

Living Up to the Legacy (food) \$155.65

Is Justice Being Served? (food) \$155.65

Skate in the Name of Love 2: \$1,600.00

Double Standards (food): \$155.654

Men's Appreciation (food): \$802.90

Bacchanal Part 1 (wrist bands, flags, refreshments, food): \$297.45

Bacchanal Part 2 (Holi powder, refreshments): \$269.90

Bacchanal Part 3 (performer - \$1,000.00, truck - \$259.90, beanies - \$861.00, refreshments -

\$26.40, Big Al's - \$1,553.00): \$3,700.30

### 76. Collegiate Women of Color

Requested: \$15,893.06

Black Jeopardy Forum, Scholarship Bingo, Fabulous and Financed with Tonya Rapley, Rhythem Through Movement: A Dancer's Story, Beyond Beauty: Accepting Your Self-Worth, Women in the Media feat. Ms. Charreh Jackson, To Love Myself: The Self-Esteem Solution, Hips Don't Lie

Part II, CWC & SASS Present: Take Back the Night, CWC & The Pride Network Presents:

LGBTQ & Sexual Education, New Members Informational, CWC Apparel

**Allocated:** \$3,110.00

Fabulous and Financed with Tonya Rapley: \$750.00

Rhythem Through Movement: A Dancer's Story: \$250.00

To Love Myself: The Self-Esteem Solution - speaker - \$2,000.00

CWC & The Pride Network Present: LGBTQ & Sexual Education: food - \$110.00

#### 77. Hofstra International Club (H\*INT)

Requested: \$2,717.65

Trip to the National Museum of American Indians, Mardi Gras Night, Real Talk Around the

World, Lantern Festival, Calligraphy Night, Exhibit of Nations, The Role of Women

**Allocated:** \$1,415.98

Mardi Gras Night (Hofstra Party Package): \$158.70

Calligraphy Night (food): \$262.50

Exhibit of Nations (various buffets, fundraising): \$497.39

#### 78. Hofstra Hellenic Society

Requested: \$1,146.06

Recruitment Bake Sale, Culture Trips in NYC and Transportation, Independence Day Parade, Recruitment Bake Sale, Relay for Life, Volunteer St. Basils Academy - Transportation

Allocated: \$20.00

Recruitment Bake Sale: \$20.00

#### 79. HOLA

Requested: \$4,840.26

STEM for Minorities, Carnaval, Miss Hofstra Belleza, Capoiera Concepts, The War Between

Colors, No Teen Shame: Young Parents in Latino Reproductive Justice, Club Shirts

**Allocated:** \$1,176.63

STEM for Minorities (food): \$75.25

Carnaval (food): \$384.55

Miss Hofstra Belleza (food): \$83.50

Capoiera Concepts (teacher payment): \$300.00

No Teen Shame: Young Parents in Latino Reproductive Justice: \$333.33

### 80. NAACP

Requested: \$34,819.05

Recruiting Event, Athletes and Education, Coping with the Human Condition, Game Changers,

Dear White America, Apparel

**Allocated:** \$6,414.36

Athletes and Education (speaker): \$1,000.00

Coping with the Human Condition (speaker): \$1,000.00

Game Changers (speaker): \$4,414.36

#### 81. The Pride Network

Requested: \$6,262.05

Meet and Mingle, HIV/AIDS Dodgeball Tournament, Sex Education Workshop, Privilege

Walk, Valentine's Day Decorating with the Pride Network, Diversity v. Racism Play, Gaydar,

Open Mic/Talent Show, Final Stress Busters

**Allocated:** \$1,389.80

Meet and Mingle (food): \$148.90

Sex Education Workshop (\$1,000.00 - speaker, food): \$1,031.75

Privilege Walk (food): \$31.75

Diversity v. Racism Play (popcorn machine): \$75.00

Gaydar (food): \$70.65

Open Mic/Talent Show (food): \$31.75

# **CLUB SPORTS**

#### 82. Hofstra Ballroom Dance

Requested: \$5,905.42

Gotham City Dancesport Challenge, MIT Open Ballroom Dance Competition, Latin Dance

Explosion, Coaching, Club Materials

**Allocated:** \$735.01

Gotham City Dancesport Challenge (transportation - \$84.00, registration - \$140.00): \$224.00

MIT Open Ballroom Dance Competition (travel - \$253.20, registration - \$60.00): \$313.20

Latin Dance Explosion: \$45.62

Apparel: \$97.20 Table drape: \$54.99

# 83. Baseball Club

Requested: \$15,379.48

NCBA League Dues, Coaches Salary, Batting Cage Reservations, Baseballs, L Screen, Hotels,

Umpire Fees, Field Fees, Batting Tee

**Allocated:** \$4,917.90

NCBA League Dues: \$875.00

Baseballs: \$446.90 Umpire Fees: \$2,865.00 Field Fees: \$756.00

# 84. Hofstra Billiards Organization

Requested: \$6,536.67

APA, Billiards Expo, Club Banner, Club Shirts, Equipment, Exhibition Match

**Allocated:** \$1,743.73

APA: \$1,600

Club Shirts: \$99.73

Exhibition Match: \$44.00

# 85. Equestrian

Requested: \$10,522.00

Lessons, 3 Intercollegiate Horse Shows, Regional Horse Show, Zone Finals, National Finals,

IHSA Show Fees
Allocated: \$5,261.00
Lessons: \$3,456.00

3 Intercollegiate Horse Shows: \$1,380.00

Regional Horse Show: \$225.00

Zone Finals: \$200.00

#### 86. Hofstra Crew

Requested: \$7,457.00

Race Entry Fee, Hotels, Boat Storage, Sagamore Rowing Association Dues, US Rowing Fee,

Equipment

Allocated: \$3,784.00 Race Entry Fee: \$1,185.00

Hotel: \$300.00

Boat Storage: \$1,193.00

Sagamore Rowing Association Dues: \$756.00

US Rowing Fee: \$350.00

# 87. Hofstra Ice Hockey

<u>Requested:</u> \$154.87

A&R Hockey Pucks, A&R Stick Wax, Shock Doctor Mouth guards

**Allocated:** \$91.96

A&R Hockey Pucks: \$79.99 A&R Stick Wax: \$11.79

#### 88. Hofstra Men's Club Lacrosse

Requested: \$5,236.58

Referee Fees, Coaching Fees, First Aid Kit, Lacrosse Balls, Water Coolers

Allocated: \$3,065.87 Referee Fees: \$1,875.00 First Aid Kit: \$55.87 Lacrosse Balls: \$135.00

Coaching Fees: \$1,000

# 89. Men's Ultimate

Requested: \$10,348.80

Equipment, Apparel, Hotels, Tournament Fees, Travel

Allocated: \$2,734.44 Equipment: \$196.40 Apparel: \$100.00 Hotels: \$940.80

Tournament Fees: \$580.00

Travel: \$917.24

# 90. Men's Club Soccer

Requested: \$1,650.00

Referee Fees

**Allocated:** \$660.00

Referee Fees

# 91. Powerlifting Club

Requested: \$430.75

Reactive Sling Shot

Texas Power Bar

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 92. Quidditch

Requested: \$4,135.61

Coach's Salary, Boston Tournament, Equipment, World Cup Hotels

**Allocated:** \$1,034.43

Boston Tournament (registration \$50, transportation - \$501.72): \$551.72

Equipment: \$25.96

World Cup Hotels: \$726.75

# 93. Rock Climbing

Requested: \$20,829.20

Cliff's Gym, Brooklyn Boulders Gym, Shawangunks Outdoor Climbing Trip, Equipment

**Allocated:** \$4,696.60 Cliff's Gym: \$3,744.00

Shawangunks Outdoor Climbing Trip: \$952.60

# 94. Roller Hockey

Requested: \$10,486.00

ECHRA League Fees, Out of Region Tournament Hotel, Dracut, MA Tournament Hotel, Sewell,

NJ Tournament Hotel, Regionals Hotel, Practice Time

**Allocated:** \$3,700.00

ERCHA League Fees: \$1,500

Out of Region Tournament Hotel: \$400.00 Dracut, MA Tournament Hotel: \$400.00

Practice Time: \$1,400.00

# 95. Ski & Snowboard Club

Requested: \$5,700.00

Okemo Trip, Mount Snow Trip, Stratton Trip

Allocated: \$0.00

# 96. Hofstra Swim Club

Requested: \$2,124.00

Apparel, Coach, Extra Swim Center Hours

**Allocated:** \$100.00

Apparel

#### 97. Hofstra Tennis Club

Requested: \$2,159.88

Indoor Courts, Tennis Balls

Allocated: \$864.00 Indoor Courts: \$864.00

# 98. Volleyball

Requested: \$880.00

Coach Fee

**Allocated:** \$880.00

Coach Fee:

# 99. Women's Club Soccer

Requested: \$2,467.07

Coaching Salary, Medical Supplies, Ball Pump, Referee Fees

**Allocated:** \$1,800.00

Coaching Salary: \$1,250.00

Referee Fees: \$550.00

# 100. Women's Club Lacrosse

Requested: \$6,241.51

Officials, Overnight Trips, Bus Transportation, 30 Lacrosse Balls, Goalie Helmet, Supplies,

Coach

Allocated: \$2577.98 Officials: \$1,250.00

30 Lacrosse Balls: \$77.98

Coach: \$2,500.00

# 101. Women's Rugby

Requested: \$3,556.42

Beast of the East Tournament, Table Drape, Apparel

**Allocated:** \$1,507.46

Beast of the East Registration Fee: \$225

Hotels: \$693.00

Transportation: 427.74

Banner: \$38.24 T-shirts: \$123.48

#### 102. Women's Ultimate

Requested: \$5,658.22

Tournament Fees, Hotel Fees, Coach Fees

**Allocated: \$2,526.74** 

Tournament Fees: \$510.00 Piggly Fest Hotel: \$155.98

Bring the Huckus Hotel: \$239.98

Roll Call Hotel: \$214.80

Delaware Classic Hotel: \$155.98

Coach Fee: \$1,250.00 T-shirts: \$123.48

103. Yoga Club

Requested: \$2,105.00

Guest Instructor/Coach, Absolute Yoga Day Trip, Yoga Semiannual Trip

**Allocated:** \$1,175.00

Guest Instructor/Coach: \$1,175.00

# **MULTI-CULTURAL**

104. Adopt a Dream

Requested: \$4,555.12

Bake Sale Supplies, Bake Sale (baking) Supplies, Food from Lackmann, T-shirts, Scrapbook

supplies, LIRR train tickets, Art Supplies, Auction Supplies, Matthews Dream

**Allocated:** \$1,842.77

Bake Sale Supplies: \$83.41

Bake Sale (Baking) Supplies: \$19.21

Food from Lackmann: \$146.80

T-shirts: \$247.52

LIRR Tickets: \$150.00

Auction (EU ad \$5, band \$250, auctioneer/emcee \$400, \$540.83): \$1,195.83

105. Campus Feminist Collective (Women of Action)

Requested: \$1,222.59

Take back the night, LGBTQ Safe Sex, Babeland Workshop, Latino reproductive justice

Allocated: \$0.00

106. Circle K international

Requested: \$3,800.00

Club T-shirts, DCON Travel, DCON Hotels, DCON Conference Fees, Banner, Recruitment

Allocated: \$500.00 T-shirts: \$250.00 Banner: \$100.00

Recruitment: \$150.00

107. Discovery Club

<u>Requested:</u> \$911.35

Museum of Tolerance, LIRR train, Caumsett Park Hiking, Mary Brennan Inn, Apparel, Banner

**Allocated: \$298.19** 

Apparel: \$248.20 Banner: \$49.99

# 108. Give Hope

Requested: \$855.30

Bake sale, Apparel, Banner, Finals Week Recipe Booklets, Dodgeball Ticket Printing, Lackmann

Pizza for Tournament Allocated: \$551.83 Bake Sale: \$105.99 Banner: \$144.00

T-shirts: \$246.84

Food for Tournament: \$110.00

# 109. Habitat for Humanity (HHH)

Requested: \$3,925.30

Gala, Collegiate Challenge, Night Without a Home, Gas for Builds

**Allocated:** \$2,497.42

Gala: \$1,050.00

Night without a home food: \$130.00

Night without a home Supplies (tape): \$23.34

Travel Reimbursement: \$94.08

# 110. Hofstra Body Positive

Requested: \$1,601.81\_

Miss Representation, sweatshirts, banner, celebrate it wired ribbon, Celebrate it double-faced ribbon, foldable con koozies, astrobright cardstock, 16 0z. plastic Java Travel Mugs, Balt Dry Erase Board, Royal Brites Display Board, Staples School Glue, Staples Glue Sticks

**Allocated:** \$250.00

T-shirts

# 111. College Republicans

Requested: \$2809.00

**CPAC** 

**Allocated:** \$1,762.10

CPAC (Hotel \$800, Passes \$400, Gas \$562.10): \$1,762.10

#### 112. Hofstra Goes for Gold

Requested: \$959.77

T-shirts, Catering (jail & bail), Advertising, Club Banners

Allocated: \$0.00

# 113. Hofstra Rotaract

<u>Requested:</u> \$330.60

Fundraising, E-Board Office supplies, Apparel

Allocated: \$325.31 Fundraising: \$47.05

Office supplies: \$28.26

Apparel: \$250

# 114. In the Lines

Requested: \$865.33

Arts and Craft Supplies, General Supplies, Coloring Books, Apparel, Baking Supplies,

Fundraising Supplies **Allocated:** \$368.06

Art and Craft Supplies: \$250.00

Coloring Books: \$30.14 Baking Supplies: \$87.92

## 115. Paw Pals

Requested: \$2,707.66

Wolf Conservation Center, Prevention Center, Prevention of Cruelty to Animal Month, Hofstra

Paw Pals Calendar, Bronx Zoo, Key Chains and Pins, Jumbo Puzzle, T-shirts

**Allocated:** \$623.33

Wolf Conservation Center Tickets: \$390.00

Prevention to Animal Cruelty to Animal Month: \$233.33

#### 116. Pride Pals

Requested: \$1,686.94

Stevens Johnson Luncheon, Friendship Bracelets, Jail and Bail, Stevens Johnson Tabling

**Allocated:** \$1,052.50

Presidential Buffet Lunch Food: \$902.50

Recruitment: \$150.00

# 117. Red Cross

Requested: \$360.99

T-shirts, Measles Fundraiser Baking Supplies, Atrium Table supplies Display Boards

Allocated: \$0.00

#### 118. Roosevelt Institute

Requested: \$900.00

Recruitment Event Funding, Apparel Funding, Table Banner, Lackmann food for February,

March, April and May Discussion

Allocated: \$0.00

# 119. Student Advocates for Safe Sex (SASS)

Requested: \$720.01

Condom Egg Hunt, T-shirts, Speaker

**Allocated:** \$470.01

Condom Egg Hunt: \$136.51

Speaker: \$333.50

#### 120.She's the First

<u>Requested: \$943.62</u>

Cupcake Supplies, Dance-a-Thon

**Allocated:** \$334.35

Cupcake Supplies: \$171.37

Dance-a-Thon (wristbands \$55, paper \$29.58, stamps \$78.40): \$162.98

# 121. Be Kind, Step Up!

Requested: \$2,285.10

St. Patrick's Day Intervention Training Event, Bystander Presentations, Tabling Club awareness, Chalk Event, Banner, Valentine's Day event, Earth Day Event, Midterms Encouragement, Finals Encouragement

**Allocated:** \$624.51

St Patrick's Day intervention food: \$47.10

Bystander Presentations food: \$133 Tabling Awareness Food: \$141.30

Chalk: \$10.98 Banner: \$197.93

Midterms stress buster food: \$47.10 Finals Stress Buster Food: \$47.10

# 122. Students For a Greener Hofstra

<u>Requested:</u> 1,267.73

Table Banner, Clean Up Events, Earth Hour Campaign, Energy Campaign, Earth Day Festival, Crafting/Fundraising/General Tools, T-shirts

Allocated: \$783.35 Table Banner: \$43.99 T-shirts: \$239.36 Speaker: \$500.00

# 123. Students for Liberty

Requested: \$795.00

International Students for Liberty Conference

Allocated: \$0.00

## 124.UNICEF

Requested: \$2,335.00

Vaginal Carnival, Relay for Life, Hunger Project, Field Day, Movie Night, Speaker, Mary

Brennan Inn Walk, Recruitment

Allocated: \$0.00

# 125. Volunteers Around the World

Requested: \$700.00

Entertainment Night, Multi Cultural Night, Karaoke night, Spring Fest

Allocated: \$0.00

Respectfully Submitted,

Damian Gallagher

Appropriations Chair

#### **Academic Affairs Minutes**

November 17, 2014

Meeting called to order: 6:00 PM

Present: Chairperson Hunter Blain, Colleen McKeown

Absent: Bianca Kroening (excused), Megan Andrews (excused), Pratik Shah (sick), Rita Cinquemani (excused)

#### • What we did:

- Senator Kroening: Get a copy of degree plan from business school, UTP Flyers/Publicity, Mobile Printing Publicity, Hydration Station Flyers, Mason Hall Plaque, follow up with Dean Oppenheim
- o Senator McKeown: Fill out list in senate, Music 20 blurbs (done), Student Teaching abroad
- o Senator Andrews: Talk to Dean Sofia Pertuz about 18th credit data, Benefits of interest free loans
- Senator Shah: Meeting with Dean Godlove about more bio clusters that are scheduled around C&E
- Senator Cinquemani: Schedule meeting with Dean Donahue to test validity of earlier honors registration times, research other schools that do early honors registration
- Chair Blain: Finish list of places to go, follow up with VP Barkwill, Drop by 9<sup>th</sup> floor for exact stats of computers, follow up with firestone about new majors, Meeting with Dean Godlove

#### • What we will be doing:

- Senator Kroening: UTP Flyers/Publicity, Mobile Printing Publicity, Hydration Station Flyers, follow up with Dean Oppenheim (again), check out NYT stand in Hagedorn
- Senator McKeown: Student Teaching abroad research for provost, meeting with Provost on Friday.
- Senator Andrews: Ask students for new initiatives
- Senator Shah: Ask students for new initiatives
- Senator Cinquemani: Meeting with Dean Donahue on Wednesday, research other schools that do early honors registration
- Chair Blain: Follow up with VP Barkwill, follow up with firestone about new majors on Wednesday, meeting with Provost on Friday

Meeting Adjourned at 6:11 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Hunter Blain

Academic Affairs Chair

#### **Appropriations Minutes**

November 18, 2014

Attendance: Chairperson Gallagher, Comptroller Guarino, Senator Casey, Senator Senderowicz, and Senator Ho

Meeting commenced 6:15 PM

- I. Introduction
  - a. Everyone got settled into their seats and the committee began to discuss budget appeals.
- II. Budget Appeals Discussion
  - a. The committee went through all of the current appeals and discussed what each club is appealing for and the estimated cost.
  - b. The committee also discussed possible strategies when it comes to budget appeals.
    - i. Knowing the difference between a point of clarification and what could be deemed to be debate.
    - ii. The best way to make a motion after a club appeals.
    - iii. How to answer questions regarding budgets.
- III. Budget Reviews
  - The committee reviewed some of the budgets pertaining to the clubs that are appealing.
- IV. Meeting with Clubs
  - a. Each respective member of the committee made appointments to meet with clubs and organizations to discuss their budgets for next semesters.
- V. Conclusion
  - a. The committee parted ways after summarizing potential debates for Thursday's Budget Appeals Meeting.

Meeting adjourned 7:30 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Damian Gallagher Appropriations Chairman

#### **Club Relations Minutes**

#### 11.18.14

Members Present: Chairwoman Engelson, Senator Beer, Senator Caputo, Senator Pollack, President

Atkinson

Member Late: Senator Gitlin

Meeting Started: 6:00pm

- Meeting with Discovery Club President: Rachael Burlette

No Warm Up This Week Due to Budget Appeals

#### Club Concerns:

- Hofstra Versus Zombies

- Office Space 208 swipe access issue

Hinge off door

#### Committee Initiatives:

- 1) Senator Beer
  - a) To teach and encourage club leaders to use Collegiate Link
    - i) What do we want to talk about?
      - 1) Directory usage
      - 2) Database
      - 3) Link social media to Collegiate Link
      - 4) get clubs to embrace Collegiate Link as their number 1 source for communication with other clubs and the benefits
        - a) How?
          - i) Club congress breakout sessions
          - ii) Ask Clubs to add all of their E-board contacts (esp. social chair or preferred contact)
          - iii) Change the culture of collegiate link
      - 5) Designed for first-years--Club fair from anywhere
        - a) How to introduce to first-years?
          - i) Through Orientation
          - ii) Welcome Week
          - iii) Freshman RAs- in Netherlands and New Complex
          - iv) Admission Letters
    - ii) How to promote?
      - 1) Orientation
        - a) What do we want to do with it at Orientation?
          - Teach incoming students at the same time as they are taught about all of the other cool Hof-website things
          - ii) Expand
      - 2) Change name on portal from CollegiateLink Student Community to CL Club Database
        - a) Talk to Karl/ Stan

- i) Will schedule meeting tonight
- 3) Admissions and admissions events
  - a) Who do we talk to?
    - i) Contact Rachel Sherman -- rsherm12@pride.hofstra.edu
      - 1. on E-board for Pride Guides
  - b) What do we want them to do?
    - Bring in collegiate link during their presentations and talk about clubs
- iii) What are the key questions?
  - 1) How to make CL more efficient
    - a) efficiency is not the problem--students don't use it properly
      - i) How to use it properly?

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- ii) What are the pros?
- iii) List everything that a student can use Collegiate
  - 1. Directory
  - 2. E-board positions
  - 3. Advertising
  - 4. Service Hours
  - 5. Documents
  - 6. Contact everyone right away
- 2) How to make it a more positive movement
  - a) WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS for CLUBS?
    - i) Advertising:
      - Add a home page with an auto-updating calendar of events as clubs enter them in
        - a. How to encourage clubs to use it as an advertising place
    - ii) Positions: Perks of being an admin?
      - 1. What can the admin of a club do?
    - iii) contact information: Expand to all member contacts?
      - 1. Explain
- iv) What are **improvements** for Collegiate Link:
  - 1) Can button to main tab, instead of in MyApps?
    - a) Stan looking into it--Follow Up
  - 2) Put all forms:
    - a) SGA
    - b) OSLA
    - c) Club Sports
    - d) Five Star
    - e) Spirit
  - 3) Request meetings with Program Advisors or SGA Chairs or Athletics or Event Management
  - 4) Schedule Elections
  - 5) Rules Signups similar to Appropriations

- v) Training for Orientation Leaders for the Freshman
  - 1) Is it possible?
    - a) Talk to Stan or Karl -- Talk to them
  - 2) When?
    - a) end of spring- Pick a date
  - 3) How long would the training be?
    - a) 30 mins
  - 4) What would be included in it?
    - a) All Collegiate Link uses
- vi) General data about club leaders' feelings--
  - 1) Do you use collegiate link to contact club members?
  - 2) How many of your new members heard about your club through collegiate link?
  - 3) How often do you use collegiate link aside from the required signing up of members?
  - 4) How would you describe collegiate link?
    - a) Helpful
    - b) Neutral
    - c) A pain
  - 5) What changes would you like to see in Collegiate Link?
  - 6) Has Collegiate Link achieved its goal in helping your club prosper?
  - 7) Would like to participate in club Olympics?
  - 8) Would you be available for it over President's Weekend?
  - 9) Do you feel you use the computer in your office?
    - a) Every computer costs x to lease; this money comes out of the funding that SGA has to allocate to clubs
    - b) Responding no will not affect your future status on receiving an office
  - 10) Would you be interested in a Decoration Sharing/swap system between clubs?

# 11) CREATE THE SURVEY THROUGH SURVEY MONKEY

- b) Club Olympics
  - i) What do you want in it?
    - 1) mixture of events
      - a) Sporty: Volleyball, Staggered Race/Obstacle course
      - b) Mind Games: Hofstra Trivia, Chess
      - c) Minute to Win It Challenges
      - d) Dance Battle
      - e) PICK EXACT EVENT--5-8 and describe each event
  - ii) What type of clubs?
    - 1) All Clubs
  - iii) Group clubs together and give each grouping a country
    - 1) 3 or 4 clubs per team
    - 2) Lottery
    - 3) What countries?

- a) USA
- b) Canada
- c) Brazil
- d) Mexico
- e) United Kingdom
- f) Switzerland
- g) Ireland
- h) Italy
- i) France
- j) Japan
- k) Spain
- I) Zimbabwe
- m) Jamaica
- n) Haiti
- o) Dominican Republic
- p) Congo
- q) Madagascar
- r) Sweden
- s) Germany
- t) Greece
- iv) How long?
  - 1) One Weekend, 5-8 events on a point system
    - a) What events?

i)

- v) Motivation for clubs?
  - 1) Getting their name out and cool events
- vi) Prizes?
  - 1) Lackmann Sponsoring catering
  - 2) Student Affairs
    - a) Dean Sofia Pertuz
  - 3) Local Sponsors
  - 4) Contact above to see what prizes are possible
- vii) Cost?
  - 1) Need to create a budget--give estimate
- viii) When?
  - 1) Look at Academic calendar
  - 2) Pick Date
    - a) March 28th and 29th
- 2) Senator Gitlin
  - a) Spring Involvement Fair bigger and more significant--February 4th: Common Hour
    - i) Minutes from Meeting with Karl Koeppel
      - Mascots, Dance, and Cheer can be there with the submission of a Spirit Support form
      - 2) Cheer cannot do tumbling
      - 3) Use iPod

- 4) Megan Sniffin is in charge of event
- 5) Infograph is well received idea. Will require advanced notice from clubs on whether they will be at the fair.
- 6) We will need: an advertising plan, a concrete message that will resonate with current students, a clearly outlined reason to attend.
- ii) Food-- basic kid food--pigs in blankets
  - 1) Does OSLA have a budget for this? If so how much? Do we have to place the order?
- iii) Clubs in Multipurpose room:
  - 1) Politically Socially Active
  - 2) Community Service
  - 3) Social
  - 4) Performance
  - 5) Sports
  - 6) Greek
- iv) Clubs in Plaza rooms:
  - 1) Political
  - 2) Honors Society
  - 3) Pre-professional
  - 4) Media
  - 5) Multicultural
  - 6) Graduate
  - 7) Religion
- v) 3 goals for this year
  - 1) More grandiose in scale
    - a) Last year has 38 tables and 47 clubs. We can do better
  - 2) More heavily advertised
    - a) Reach out to clubs and club leaders to encourage them to promote it on social media while on winter break.
  - 3) Centered around what clubs are up to
    - a) Through advertisement and club preparation.
    - b) Clubs will advertise for both membership and attendance at events in the spring semester.
    - c) To make the event more successful and give clubs a chance to brag about their prior events and encourage attendance at their future events.
- 3) Senator Caputo
  - a) Muslim Student Association Office Space
    - i) Talk OSLA
  - b) Outline the full benefits that SGA can provide for clubs-- Will be answered by Friday afternoon
    - i) What is the advantage to being SGA recognized?
    - ii) What are the resources SGA can provide to organizations?
    - iii) How can we go about providing these resources to these clubs?
- 4) Senator Pollock

- a) Managing Hofstra SGA Club Relations Facebook Page
  - i) How can we expand our views?
    - Weekly overview of all events happening within the upcoming week posted on Monday's to be shared in bigger, class page, Facebook groups--Current: 143 likes +2 from last week
      - a) Goal for next week: 155 likes
    - 2) Put Social media on new flyer that Karl is making
    - 3) Get clubs to send their events
    - 4) Research what clubs are doing what based off of flyers, events, posters, social media, and tabling

# b) Create a mail chimp account for email blasts based off of your new what's happening this week

- i) First newsletter went out
- 5) Committee:
  - a) Storage Unit for Clubs
    - i) Email/ meet with VP Barkwill
      - 1) Will email this week---\*\*\*\*
    - ii) Potential freight container:
      - 1) In the Constitution Parking lot (across from the Netherlands)
      - 2) \$1,800- \$2,500
      - 3) 20 ft. long
      - 4) Paint the outside white with the Hofstra Logo (side facing the street)
      - 5) Clubs can decorate the opposite site
      - 6) lock boxes for each organization on the inside with shelving
      - 7) Contact card services to see if it can get swipe access
      - 8) lights?
      - 9) shelving
    - iii) Who to contact?
    - iv) When physically possible?
    - v) How it would be organized?
    - vi) What do we need to make this happen?
  - b) Club Congress for Spring→ training for future E-boards-- End of semester
    - i) go back to actual congress
    - ii) executive order committee
      - Breakout sessions at the end in which SGA senators consult club representatives on what they'd like to see as a memorandum. Then they'd write it!
    - iii) Proclamation setup
      - Using a "Whereas" format, groups of senators will work with club leaders to write proclamations that begin, shape, and direct Senate initiatives.
         These proclamations will be presented and voted on by Senate the following week.
    - iv) Choose a date
      - 1) Wednesday April 15th, 6:30pm
    - v) Pick a setup

- 1) <u>Four 140..rooms</u>
- vi) Program Advisors Attending
- c) Mini Club Leader Leadership Conference-- Beginning of semester
  - i) First session:
    - 1) Intros
    - 2) Office Space Applications
  - ii) Break out session 1
    - 1) Collegiate Link split up by category
  - iii) Break Out Session
    - 1) fundraising
    - 2) constitution making
  - iv) Feb 3rd-- 6:30pm- Student Center Theatre
- d) Office Space Application process
  - i) What are we looking for?
  - ii) Update Application
    - 1) Do you need a computer in the office?
  - iii) Applications Due Feb 25th -- By 3pm
  - iv) Office Space Weekend
    - 1) Feb 27th -3pm, Feb 28th and March 1st
- e) Decoration sharing system
  - i) would need a lot of interest
- f) Look into grad vs. undergrad clubs
- g) Look into club Constitutions for perfection

Club Meetings: Goal by Thanksgiving= 100--

Accomplished: 12 Clubs

Left: 88 Clubs

# **New Day and Time for Meetings Next Semester:**

Wednesdays at 6pm

Meeting Adjourned: 7:35pm

Respectfully submitted,

Alexandra Engelson
Club Relations Chairwoman

# **Programming Minutes**

November 17, 2014

Attendance: Chairperson Whitney S., Priya G., Coco S., Alex K., Kelly M., Ashlyn G., Danielle K., Nyala S., Cory M., and Nicole B.

Visiting: Senator Edgar Diaz, Senator Katrina Taconelli

Absent: Miranda M., Amber B., Michelle H., Danielle E., and Christian R. (all excused)

Meeting commenced: 6:05 PM

- 1) Special Business
  - a. Spring Calendar created!!
  - b. All rooms will be booked by Friday... hopefully

#### **FEBRUARY:**

- Super Bowl Bash- Feb. 1st
- Mardi Gras- Feb. 11<sup>th</sup>
- Valentine's Day Gifts Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> 13<sup>th</sup>
- Chinese New Year Celebration Feb. 19<sup>th</sup>

## MARCH:

- Hogwarts Mixer March 13<sup>th</sup>
- Comedy Fest, Theme Week March 30<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup>, and April 1<sup>st</sup>

#### APRIL:

- Garden Party- April 15<sup>th</sup>
- Big Kids Birthday Party- not sure?
- eBay speaker- April 21st
- ROTC boot camp- April 25<sup>th</sup>

# MAY:

- Hawaiian Stress Buster- May 6<sup>th</sup>
- Senior Send Off- May 13<sup>th</sup>

# 2) Upcoming Events

- a. Winter Wonderland/ Build A Bear December 1st
  - i. Polar Bears, Penguins, and Moose
  - ii. Decorate holiday cards to donate to a children's hospital

\*\*THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO CAME OUT TO COUNTRY PRIDE, HUGE SUCCESS\*\*

Meeting adjourned: 6:35 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Whitney Shepherd

**Programming Chairwoman** 

#### **Public Relations Minutes**

November 18<sup>h</sup>, 2014

Attendance: Mark Barry, Kristina Shafranski, Katrina Taconelli, Edgar Diaz

Visiting: Bianca Kroening

Meeting commenced at 6:00 P.M.

- I. Social Media
  - a. Snapchat has been very successful
    - i. Receiving 60 views per story
    - ii. Sending out stories of day-to-day SGA activities
    - iii. People are asking how to get involved with SGA
  - b. Live Twitter needs to be completed after Thanksgiving break
    - i. Delete the old account in order to make the new account
  - c. Instagram
    - i. Great pictures from the season opening basketball game
- II. Academics Affair Committee
  - a. Flyers for UTP to be sent to OSLA by Friday
    - i. Let the student body know how UTP can be helpful to everyone.
  - b. Flyers for Filtration stations to be sent to OSLA by Friday
    - i. Above every filtration station to let the student body know that red doesn't mean bad

Meeting adjourned at 6:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark Barry

Public Relations Chairman

# **Rules Minutes**

November 17, 2014

Attendance: Chairperson Aleksey Babadzhanov,	Erin Casey, So-Van Ho,	Natalie Mishkin,	Anthony
Ramdhani, Gaby Senderowicz			

Meeting commenced: 6:40 PM

Could not swipe into the Small Clubs Conference room so the meeting was held in the general Small Clubs office.

- 1. Hofstra Running
  - a. New Club: Club Sports
    - i. Yearly dues
    - ii. No NCAA clearance
  - b. Constitution Review
    - i. Grammar
- 2. Hofstra Bhangra
  - a. No show

Meeting adjourned: 6:57 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Aleksey Babadzhanov

Rules Chairman

# Spirit Minutes November 20, 2014

Attendance: Chair Sarah Harris, Shayna Braitman, Amanda Price, Jacquelyn Dent, Rita Cinquemani,

Tristan Marshall, Martin Beer, Greg Stengel Visiting: Programming Chair Whitney Shepherd

Meeting commenced: 5:00 PM

- I. Stony Brook game
  - a. Tabling tomorrow from 11:00 AM 2:00 PM
  - b. Chalk writing outside Student Center
- II. Hofstra Celebrates for the Holidays
  - a. Paintings take place December  $3^{rd} 5^{th}$
- III. Initiatives/Updates on tasks
  - a. Hofstra Glow established in Fall 2015
  - b. Student Appreciation Week established in the Spring
  - c. Carnival Day to promote February 21st basketball game

Meeting adjourned: 5:30 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Harris Spirit Chairwoman

# Student Services Committee Hofstra Student Government Association Hofstra University, Long Island, New York

November 18, 2014

Attendance: Chair Manuel, Senator Esteban, Senator Ahmedin, Senator Stengel, Senator Andrews

Visiting: Academic Affairs Chair Blain, Programming Chair Shepherd

IV. Call to Order: 6:30PM

#### V. Initiatives:

- a. Beach Shuttle
  - i. Senator Stengel spoke to VP Barkwill. VP Barkwill will look into this.
- b. Universal Remote
  - i. Chair Manuel provided Senator Esteban with the proper email to look into the possibility of the universal remote.
- c. Filtration Stations in C-Square
  - i. VP Barkwill (in the Food Committee meeting) explained that wherever there were/are water fountains there can be Filtration Stations. Senator Andrews explained there weren't ever any water fountains in C-Square. Chair Manuel will ask VP Barkwill about the possibilities of Britta filters on water faucets.

## d. Lackmann

- i. We went over the Food Committee
  - 1. Senator Andrews came up with the idea to write a resolution to support the changes brought up in the Food Committee meeting.
  - 2. Senator Esteban came up with the idea to do a fun fact video about Lackmann.
- VI. Adjournment: 7:18PM

Mikio Manuel II

Student Services Chair

#### **IRCB Meeting**

# November 14th, 2014

Attendance: Comptroller Alyson Guarino, Senator Natalie Mishkin, Senator Gaby Senderowicz, Senator

Carol Pollock, Senator Jacquelyn Dent, Senator Forrest Gitlin, Programmer Danielle Esposito, Justice

Josh Cordova

Absence: Francine Chirico (excused)

Meeting Called to order 2:11pm

- I. Reviewed constitution concerning IRCB: Section 103.3
- II. Filled out note card/ Ice Breaker
  - a. First name, last name, major, year graduation, fun fact, why join SGA?, why join the board?
- III. SGA budget Q&A/ Treasurer Training
  - a. Reviewed Treasurer Tracker
- IV. Review Audit Form
- V. <u>Discuss the process of meetings with clubs</u>
  - a. How are classes? How are things going with the club?
  - b. "Let's take a look at the budget together"
  - c. "Do you have a plan to use the unspent money?"
- VI. Reports due to Comptroller by December 1<sup>st</sup>
- VII. Next IRCB meeting: December 5<sup>th</sup> 2:15pm
  - a. Debrief on experience this semester
  - b. <u>Ideas for next semester</u>

Meeting Adjourned: 3:55 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Alyson Guarino Comptroller