



Agenda of the 79th Senate

Hofstra University Student Government Association

October 30th, 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. In The Lines**
 - B. New Constitution Format**
 - C. Mid-Semester Reports**
 - i. Academic Affairs – H. Blain
 - ii. Appropriations – D. Gallagher
 - iii. Club Relations – A. Engelson
 - iv. Programming – W. Shepherd
 - v. Rules- A. Babadzhanov
 - vi. Spirit – S. Harris
 - vii. Student Services – M. Manuel
 - D. Public Relations Committee Chair Elections**
 - E. IVCF Memorandum**
- VI. Executive Board Reports**
 - A. President – M. Atkinson**
 - B. Vice President- N. Olson**
 - C. Comptroller – A. Guarino**
- 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 – N. Olson**
 - F. Spirit – S. Harris**
 - G. Student Services – M. Manuel**

- VIII. For the Good of the Order**
- IX. Announcements**
- X. Snap Cup**
- XI. Adjournment**

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

- I. Quorum Call
 - a. *Senator Casey*: Quorum is at 27.
- II. Approval of the Senate Minutes
 - a. Chair Gallagher motions to pass
 - i. Motion seconded
 - ii. Motion passes 27-0-0
- III. Approval of the Cabinet Minutes
 - a. Senator Stengel motions to pass
 - i. Motion seconded
 - ii. Motion passes 27-0-0
- IV. New Business
 - a. Senator Gitlin motions to suspend the rules and view the Rules Committee minutes before seeing to New Business
 - i. Seconded
 - ii. Motion passes 27-0-0
 - b. Rules Committee Report
 - i. *Chair Babadzhanov*: I did not chair the meeting; Erin did, so I'm going to hand it over to her.
 - ii. *Senator Casey*: We saw Hofstra Ballroom Dance and we made corrections to their constitution.
 1. Music and Entertainment Industry Student Association: They are seeking reactivation. We reviewed their constitution. They were a club but were deactivated because they weren't active.
 2. Hofstra's Organization of Latin Americans: We did not see HOLA, they wanted to see Appropriations.
 3. Collegiate Women of Color: They came to us to update their Constitution, which we really appreciate.
 4. Discovery Club: Also came in for reactivation and wanted to make some changes to their constitution.
 5. We passed the SGA memorandum because we didn't know about the senator cosigning thing.
 - iii. Chair Blain motions to amend the Rules Minutes to strike passing the Memorandum
 1. Seconded
 2. Motion passes 27-0-0
 - iv. Chair Engelson motions to pass the Rules Minutes
 1. Seconded
 2. Motion passes 27-0-0
 - c. Discovery Club
 - i. *Discovery Club*: For those who don't know what the Discovery program is, basically there's a program that occurs right before Welcome Week. We have a 3 day program where first-years can move in early and do community projects and outdoor activities. It's a great program and we have great responses every year. This year a lot of the leaders wanted to reactivate the Discovery club, which was begun in 2012.
 - ii. Chair Engelson motions to extend speaking time by two minutes
 1. Seconded
 2. Motion passes 27-0-0

- iii. *Discovery*: We have several paths that a student can take and each has different activities. For the club, we want to take a little of each path and put it into the club so students can continue work they've done in that path, or try another path. We also have a lot of students interested based off of the Discovery program but we want to open it up to all of Hofstra. We want to encourage the rest of Hofstra to be involved. There's something for everybody. If you're not interested in one thing, there's always something else. We want to be SGA approved to be part of Hofstra community and spread Discovery love.
1. Community Empowerment: Mary Brennan INN, work with Food Not Bombs
 2. Social Awareness: teaches about being active in community, gone to UN, Museum of Tolerance
 3. Sustainability: promotes sustainability; in past students have done gardens (e.g. gardens by Stuyvesant). This year they went to the Botanical gardens and organic gardens.
 4. Outdoor exploration: new path, not community service, but involves lots of camping, and nature and getting to know one self.
- iv. Questioning period
1. *Chair Blain*: How would you say you're different from other community service organizations on campus?
 - a. *Discovery*: We don't focus on just one specific project, we focus on many. We also focus on bringing awareness to the community and the design is to discover something about yourself and learn more about the community around you. We definitely have such a large variety of community service. It's not just one thing, it's all different things.
 2. *Chair Blain*: Why do you want SGA recognition?
 - a. *Discovery*: We want SGA recognition to help us, support us and get the word out to make us a part of the Hofstra community.
 3. *Senator Ramdhani*: Would you guys need any funding for things such as transportation?
 - a. *Discovery*: Yes, we would need funding to take our volunteers to spots. For certain places that we go, we can only take a certain amount of people. Most of our budget would be for transportation.
 4. Chair Harris motions to extend questioning time by two minutes
 - a. Seconded
 - b. Motion passes 27-0-0
 5. *Chair Harris*: How many members do you have so far?
 - a. *Discovery*: We just hit 20 on Collegiate Link and we have about 40 Facebook members, which is also expanding because initially we didn't have 40. I had random people just contacting me even before we were OSLA approved. Lots of people are excited for this.
 6. *Chair Harris*: How many members class-wise?
 - a. *Discovery*: I don't know everyone specifically, but there are a lot of 1st years. That's a good thing because it is a way to have a good support system to keep the club going. They'll make the club grow, but we also have good amount of other classes.
 7. *Chair Harris*: What do the returners from the program think?
 - a. *Discovery*: The returners are very excited.
 8. *Chair Engelson*: Who is your faculty advisor?
 - a. *Discovery*: Ashley Gray.
 9. *Chair Gallagher*: Since you're seeking reactivation, what will you do differently?

- a. *Discovery*: First off, there would be reorganization. We would have specific committee members for each path; we also want them to plan events and have events already planned out before the semester starts. We would then focus on fundraising during the school year. We want to be more prepared to keep members active in the club and always have something for all students to do.
 - 10. Chair Engelson motion to extend questioning time by two minutes
 - a. Seconded
 - b. Motion passes 27-0-0
 - 11. *Senator Esteban*: How many events do you want to hold?
 - a. *Discovery*: We want to have one big event each month, with a different path being featured each month. For social awareness we would do something like Anti-Bullying month, but generally just being socially active and making sure that the Hofstra community informed. We hope to do 4 big events a semester, but expand once we get more organized and depending on membership.
 - 12. *Chair Engelson*: Do you already have connections with the Mary Brennan INN?
 - a. *Discovery*: Yes, we've worked with them a lot with Discovery program and haven't had any complaints.
- v. Debate
 - 1. *Senator Beer (Speaker for)*: I don't really get why people would oppose passing them. Their constitution sounds good and it holds up. Just because they may have a similar purpose doesn't mean we shouldn't recognize them. Community service is a good thing so the more clubs we have, the better it looks for Hofstra. Their presentation was great, their morals are straight and it looks like they've put in certain constitutional blocks so they don't get deactivated again due to ineffective leadership.
 - 2. *Chair Blain (Speaker against)*: I do admit that they're a fantastic club, they have their purpose in mind, but touching on what Senator Beer said, they do not only have similar purposes, but identical purposes. They go to same places and charities. Yes it's great to have community service, but it's better to have larger clubs because you can get more done. They can't be as effective when they're splitting people up. We don't want resources to go to lots of clubs, when it can go to one club with more people.
 - 3. *Chair Harris (Speaker for)*: I was a member of the Discovery program and a Discovery leader. I love that they're opening up a club. One of my reservations was that they would only be open to people in the Discovery program, but they're not, which is good. It's good for 1st years that are lost. It'll be something for them to keep doing or give them the option to go to different paths. It's a great way to foster relationships and build more. Discovery people are leaders, too.
 - a. *Yielded to Senator Caputo*: One of the registration committee's primary purposes is to check whether clubs have conflicting purposes.
 - 4. *Senator Gitlin (Speaker against)*: I don't like being against this, but I'm going to repeat what's been said before. They sound really similar to Circle K International, which we passed just a couple weeks ago so I think there might be some problems in that. In SGA it doesn't make sense to pass clubs that are doing similar things, but if there's, for example, one lacrosse and then another, we don't want that. Same for community service. This club seems too similar to another organization that we passed. This was one of the central debates when we were passing Circle K International.

5. Senator Beer motions for an unmoderated caucus
 - a. Objection
 - b. Senator Beer rescinds his motion
 6. Chair Harris motions for a moderated caucus for two minutes with two speakers each, four speakers total
 - a. Second
 - b. Motion passes 27-0-0
 7. *Chair Engelson (Speaker for)*: So going off of what Senator Gitlin and Chair Blain said, Circle K is similar, but I'm actually looking at my notes from when we passed them and they do more things like fundraisers and raising money for different things. They don't do specific community events and go out into the community.
 - a. *Yielded to Senator Beer*: Policy and practice. It's great if they go to Circle K and join up with them The Discovery club will still exist without us, but do less. They won't all jump ship and go to other club; it simply doesn't happen like that.
 8. *Speaker Manuel (Speaker for)*: In regards to policy and practice we have to be mindful of our policy until we change that policy. If we see them as policy, their practice and policy is different from Circle K. Policy doesn't say we have to combine clubs, we shouldn't have to pass them to get them to join.
 - a. *Yielded to Senator Casey*: They talked about this in Rules. They're more about the personal aspect and it's about a personal journey. A lot of other community services focus on the outside and not the inside.
 9. *Senator McKeown*: How many SGA recognized community service clubs are there?
 - a. *Chair Engelson*: I don't have the exact number with me, but I would say 50 community services clubs off the top of my head, and that's just SGA recognized clubs.
- vi. The Discovery club passes as an SGA recognized club by 23-4-0
- d. Senator Gitlin motions to extend speaking time preemptively to 5 minutes and questioning time to 10 minutes
- i. Seconded
 - ii. Objection
 - iii. Debate
 1. *Senator Gitlin (Speaker for)*: First off, after 1.5 years of seeing clubs asking for recognition, I have found that we extend debate by about two times and that they don't use all of the second time, so that's about five minutes of speaking time. I have seen questioning time go way beyond that. It is unreasonable and disrespectful to interrupt clubs in the middle of speaking. They have to compress the amount of speaking and if they don't need it, they won't use it.
 2. *Chair Harris (Speaker against)*: We usually ask to extend time but now that we know that, we should change it to 6 minutes for speaking and 6 minutes for questioning time because 10 minutes is a lot. Not that they don't deserve it, but 10 minutes is excessive.
 - a. *Yielded to Senator Gitlin*: The questioning period is for us.
 3. *Senator Beer (Speaker for)*: If you don't want to extend the questioning time, don't ask a question. The answer is simple, legislatures have to be simple, but we can run the meeting, get money and get out of senate. Let's pass this!
 4. *Chair Engelson (Speaker against)*: We run the meeting at our own time. If we go to 10 minutes, we will use it. We like to hear ourselves talk so if we really want to

listen to them, then we should do 6 minutes speaking time and 6 minutes questioning time.

- a. *Yielded to Senator Beer*: If we want to take longer, questioning time is fine.
 - i. *Yielded to Chair Shepherd*: We are arguing about time. Can we please stop?
- iv. Motion passes 15-10-0
- e. Music and Entertainment Industry Student Association (MEISA)
 - i. *MEISA*: We are a pre-professional club. We focus on offering students interested in the music industry opportunities. Right now we are open to all students, PR majors, music merchandising majors, etc. or anyone interested with music. This club will teach others about music and business. It's hard to know exactly what sectors are open to you. We spend our meeting talking about different facets about the music industry. We talk about different parts of the music industry that people wouldn't be aware of normally. We also have a music industry conference every year and have speakers from different sectors (A&R, song writers, publishers, etc.). Students are able to sit, listen and ask questions about what they do. These people are willing to offer internships to these people. Many people in our club got their internships through them. We are a small community about making people more comfortable and thinking about the future since that is something we have to do early on.
 - ii. Questioning period
 1. *Senator Ho*: Is your club open to everyone on campus?
 - a. *MEISA*: We are open to anyone interested in music. We want to see them broaden their horizon.
 2. *Senator Ho*: How many of your members are not business/music majors?
 - a. *MEISA*: About half weren't business/music. We had about 10 people at our last meeting.
 3. *Senator Mishkin*: Do you guys pay for airfare, hotels, etc. for speakers?
 - a. *MEISA*: Probably, I think that was something that our previous E-board did, but I don't know.
 4. *Senator Ramdhani*: Do you guys do gigs, or get gigs for members?
 - a. *MEISA*: We focus on every aspect of the music industry.
 5. *Senator Taconelli*: Do you guys teach people music, or do they need to know that before joining the club?
 - a. *MEISA*: We don't teach people music. We focus more on public speaking, networking, etc. We don't actually give lessons.
 6. *Senator Gitlin*: How long has your club been around?
 - a. *MEISA*: We're looking to reactivate the club. It was there when I was a freshman and we used to be a specific chapter of nationals.
 7. *Chair Engelson*: Do you have a history of working with other clubs on campus?
 - a. *MEISA*: I know we worked on the conference with another clubs and we talked about linking up with other clubs to get our name out there and recruit people of all majors.
 8. *Senator Mishkin*: Is your club just for people interested in music, or people wanting to be in music business?
 - a. *MEISA*: Music composers work with supervisors. We have many different sectors of the music industry during the conference and one of the meetings will be about song writing.
 9. *Senator Diaz*: How many members do you have on Collegiate Link?

- a. *MEISA*: Not sure exactly, but we have a little over 100 likes on our Facebook and we've been checking people off every day on Collegiate Link.
 - 10. *Senator Diaz*: How many members are consistently active in your club?
 - a. *MEISA*: We've seen the same faces and names coming up regularly, so we have 10 consistent members so far.
 - 11. *Senator Diaz*: Do you have any planned events?
 - a. *MEISA*: We plan to have the music industry conference next semester and have speakers for the same fields that we've had in the past, but different speakers. We also want speakers from the places that the E-board has interned with and have people who have worked in our company come and talk.
 - 12. *Chair Engelson*: They have 29 people on Collegiate Link since last Tuesday.
- iii. Debate
 - 1. *Senator Mishkin (Speaker for)*: This club is really great because pre-professional clubs are extremely successful in allowing students to thrive inside and outside of college. My parents are in the music industry and they said that most students don't understand what the music industry is about. So this club would be really helpful in teaching students about aspects of the music industry, instead of just having students jump in without knowing. SGA recognition would help their club be able to get more involved with different radio shows on campus and get a better sort of support system on Long Island.
 - 2. *Senator Roome (Speaker against)*: My only issue is that I don't see how this so much different from our music department. Is our music department failing? If they seek from SGA a bigger voice, put bulletins in the music department. We are not so musically inclined to help them with their purpose.
 - 3. *Senator Esteban (Speaker for)*: The music department isn't failing, it's because in a club you are among your peers and expanding your horizons. Especially in this industry, MEISA would provide experience and a sampling of different things. So even if you're interested in different things, it allows you to figure out if you like it and get a sample of it without it being official. Gigs and networking allow you to get more confidence for your career and lets you further your career because you took initiative.
 - 4. Chair Blain motions for a moderated caucus for three minutes with three speakers total.
 - a. Senator Beer objects
 - i. Senator Beer rescinds his objection
 - b. Seconded
 - c. Motion does not pass 11-15-0
- iv. MEISA is passed as an SGA recognized club by 24-2-1
- f. Hofstra Ballroom Dance
 - i. *Hofstra Ballroom Dance*: We all took a ballroom dance class and our Teacher's Assistant was a competitor. He wanted to introduce us to the competitive world, so we tried it. After learning 12 dances in 2 weeks, we created a huge bond and friendship with each other and we want to share this with our Hofstra community.
 - 1. *Ashley Armstrong*: We did create a family, so we really want to open it up. You don't have to be a dance major and we really had a great time. We want to expand the ballroom dance community beyond the Tuesday/Thursday class.
 - 2. *Daniela Locurto*: No prior dance experience needed.

3. *Ria Isabelle Dela Rosa*: There are so many dances that they can learn, so you only need an interest. We don't require auditions, we welcome everyone. We want to teach you.
 4. *Joshua Cordova*: Ballroom is a passion and we want to share it with other people.
 5. *Ria Isabelle Dela Rosa*: Ballroom dance teaches interpersonal communication and working towards a goal.
 6. *Daniela Locurto*: The class turned into so many things. I even won ribbons at Columbia and NYU and it has been the best experience. It makes you come out of your comfort zone, dancing in front of 300 people. It was a good experience. There is no club at Hofstra for ballroom dancing. It's very intimate: working and feeding off of other people.
- ii. Questioning period
1. *Chair Engelson*: How are you going to meet the needs of those not only interested, but those people who are also very advanced?
 - a. *Ballroom*: We have certain positions that teach more beginner style of dance and we also have more advanced students going to meet with a coach.
 2. *Senator Gitlin*: Before this did you all compete as club?
 - a. *Ballroom*: We competed as students from a class.
 3. *Senator Ramdhani*: How many competitions do you guys have left for this year?
 - a. *Ballroom*: We only have one more left. It's at Columbia.
 4. *Senator Diaz*: How many members do you have on Collegiate Link?
 - a. *Ballroom*: We have 30 on Collegiate Link from the 47 interested, potentially more.
 5. *Senator Senderowicz*: How many pairs do you take to competitions/conferences?
 - a. *Ballroom*: Right now we have 10 potential couples wanting to compete.
 6. *Chair Engelson*: 1) What if someone doesn't want to compete? 2) For those who do, how would you accommodate them?
 - a. *Ballroom*: We do have a social aspect for those who don't want to compete. And competitively we would be participating in intercollegiate competitions along the East coast. Our next competition is Dec 6th-7th.
 7. *Senator Gitlin*: What can SGA recognition give you?
 - a. *Ballroom*: SGA recognition would help us promote ballroom dance and promote relationships.
 8. *Chair Gallagher*: Does being recognized mean anything for intercollegiate competition?
 - a. *Ballroom*: It would, it wouldn't just be "we're a ballroom dance club", but if they bring home a ribbon, that's really cool for the Hofstra community. How cool would that be? Like to be recognized that way and be proud of what we do. It carries on PRIDE principles that we carry as Hofstra students.
 9. *Chair Babadzhanov*: Is there a limit to how many you can take to competitions and how do you determine who goes if there is?
 - a. *Ballroom*: Right now there is no limitation. If we limit, it would have to be dependent on how many practices someone attended or his/her level of skill.
 10. *Senator Ramdhani*: Besides performing in competitions, would your club be interested in performing at future Hofstra events?
 - a. *Ballroom*: Yes, we've already been contacted about that by other clubs.
 11. *Chair Engelson*: Which clubs?

- a. *Ballroom*: Hofstra Gospel Ensemble and HOLA.
 - 12. *Chair Shepherd*: Beside competitions, what else would you do for students on campus?
 - a. *Ballroom*: So we have our social aspects, but we would also do events like teach Hofstra students. For example we are thinking of holding a Latin Dance Explosion event where we teach students how to dance Latin dances.
- iii. Debate
 - 1. *Chair Gallagher (Speaker for)*: I am invigorated by this club. It's fresh, it's exciting. I really want to go to the Latin fusion thing because I don't have time to take the class. I like it because it is unique. Usually we see this circular debate about how clubs are similar. This club is unique and offers opportunities for many different people. This will build community. I talked to Alyssa O'Brien about funding. The club is not crazy expensive and they're offering something new.
 - 2. *Chair Shepherd (Speaker against)*: We don't have to pass every club and they can still do everything they want to do without being recognized. When they came last week they weren't very cooperative and we want clubs to be respectful and work with us. We want to support clubs and have clubs that support us by being respectful and caring.
 - 3. *Senator Stengel (Speaker for)*: This club is what college is all about. It makes kids come out of their shell outside of class. It creates family and community.
 - a. *Yielded to Senator Gitlin*: We can't judge a club just based off of an E-board that came and spoke with us. Also we've had a number of clubs that in the past have not cooperated with us and been SGA approved and that wasn't a factor. I don't think that we should judge them like that.
 - 4. *Senator Beer (Speaker against)*: After last week, I wouldn't have thought that we could have a working relationship with them. I thought last week was uncalled for. It seemed like a person attack against Rules Chair Babadzhanov, and I don't like that. What can we do for them? What can SGA recognition give them? They didn't even give us a good answer, but I don't necessarily think that SGA recognition is what should be strived for and we should tell clubs that it's not necessary.
 - a. *Yielded to Senator Casey*: Their constitution was not worked out before the committee meeting Monday and Senator Ho had to sit with them for an hour and fix their formatting issues.
 - 5. Chair Gallagher motions for a moderated caucus for four minutes with two speakers each, four speakers total
 - a. Seconded
 - b. Motion passes 27-0-0
 - 6. *Chair Gallagher (Speaker for)*: Programming Chair Shepherd made great points, but I just want to clarify. If we took disrespect into account, a lot of clubs would not be SGA recognized. I don't mean to make a broad statement, but we get that a lot. We can understand frustration when someone is passionate about something.
 - a. *Yielded to Senator Mishkin*: SGA's job is to be helpful to students. Our job is to be the bigger person when someone is not respecting us.
 - 7. *Senator Braitman (Speaker against)*: SGA is nice to know for them. SGA recognition is just for them and I don't know if recognizing will do anything for them. Our recognizing isn't going to put much of a sense in what they do and how they're recognized. Us recognizing them is not going to hurt them either.

- a. *Yielded to Chair Engelson*: They went around Rules, so they might do it with administrative things. I also think they started sounding exclusive.
 - 8. *Senator Casey (Speaker against)*: It's hard to work with clubs when they're not going to be professional and they didn't come to us. During the Rules Committee meeting it was disrespectful and inconvenient to other clubs. It took an hour to reformat their constitution and they could have been in and out if they had just taken the time to work with us.
 - a. *Yielded to Senator Braitman*: There's a difference when they're being constantly asked to fix something and keep having to come back.
 - i. *Yielded to Senator Ramdhani*: They can't even follow the rules and regulations of SGA (...).
 - 9. *Chair Manuel (Speaker for)*: We may have differences and wish they'd work differently with us; however it doesn't change how we operate. This is the club that follows SGA's motto the best. Most other clubs don't follow SGA's motto.
 - iv. Hofstra Ballroom Dance passes as an SGA recognized club by 16-7-5
- V. Executive Board Reports
 - a. President
 - b. Vice President
 - c. Secretary: presented by Senator Braitman
- VI. Committee Chair Weekly Reports
 - a. Academic Affairs
 - i. New initiatives
 - 1. List of all initiatives that they've thought of doing
 - 2. List of initiatives in progress
 - ii. Meetings
 - 1. Academic appointment: Senator McKeown is making a list of what to do
 - 2. Committee had a meeting with Steve Babbitt, the manager of the bookstore
 - 3. Meeting with Provost
 - 4. Upcoming week, more meetings: many initiatives are going to whom they need to go to
 - iii. NYT
 - 1. Student Center and Library
 - 2. Maybe Netherlands and Breslin
 - iv. Chair Harris motions to pass
 - 1. Seconded
 - 2. Motion passes 27-0-0
 - b. Appropriations
 - i. \$24K requested, \$2k allocated
 - ii. Delta Chi
 - 1. Double Dare similar to old Nickelodeon show
 - 2. Raise money for philanthropy event
 - 3. Campus wide event as per 5% legislation
 - iii. Rock Climbing
 - 1. Already allocated \$7K for the semester
 - a. Asked for 15 people during Budget Weekend
 - b. Taking 30 people/trip this semester
 - 2. Ran out of money
 - 3. Budgetary restraints
 - iv. Hofstra Body Positive

1. *Chair Engelson*: We have sharpies that we can give them. Can they reallocate the \$22 for other uses?
2. *Chair Gallagher*: I was misinformed about the sharpies. I didn't know we had any, and yes they can reallocate the \$22. They really want to see this movie, so they can reallocate it to that.
- v. \$1,600 left for Appropriations to give
 1. Split between two meetings?
 2. *Chair Engelson*: Can you have your last meeting be a reallocation meeting and meet with clubs to move around funds that they have?
 - a. Clubs can do that anytime
 - b. Does not require a meeting
- vi. Budget Weekend
 1. Budgets due **November 5th @ 11:59 PM**
 2. PDF document
 3. Send to **SGA_budgets@pride.hofstra.edu**
- vii. Budget appeals
 1. November 20th
- viii. Senator Beer motions to pass
 1. Seconded
 2. Motion passes 27-0-0
- c. Club Relations
 - i. Researched 46 clubs so far
 - ii. Senator Beer
 1. College Link
 - a. Teach club leaders (suggestions welcome)
 - b. Want clubs to use it
 - c. Need SGA to embrace it and help with training
 2. Club Olympics
 - a. Greek week for clubs
 - iii. Senator Gitlin
 1. Make winter fair bigger
 2. Wednesday, February 4th during Common Hour
 - iv. Senator Caputo
 1. Looking for an office space for IFSC
 - v. Initiatives
 1. How to be there for clubs other than just a bank
 2. Storage for clubs
 3. Met with 9 clubs so far, will meet with 91 more before Thanksgiving
 - vi. Senator Stengel motions to pass
 1. Seconded
 2. Motion passes 27-0-0
- d. Programming
 - i. Finalizing Country Pride
 - ii. Build-a-bear
 1. Cookies
 2. Finalizing vendor
 - iii. SGA Retreat ideas
 1. Hosting Super Bowl Party with OSLA
 2. Stress Buster: bounce house, popcorn, cupcake decorating
 3. Hofstra Comedy Fest

- a. Contacted by comedian from Girl Code
 - iv. Tim Decker (could win one of the paintings)
 - v. Chair Engelson motions to pass
 - 1. Seconded
 - 2. Motion passes 27-0-0
 - e. Sprit
 - i. Pride Unleashed
 - ii. Undie Run: (working with Body Positive) body acceptance
 - iii. Meeting with Karl Koeppe in OSLA
 - 1. Spirit by collaborating with cheer, dance, and pep band
 - iv. Updates
 - 1. Senator Price made t-shirts for Wear Pride Wednesdays
 - 2. Spirit Rock
 - a. 1,000 lb. rock or 3 ton (6,000 lb.) rock
 - b. Suggestion to call it Pride Rock
 - v. Senator Beer motions to pass
 - 1. Seconded
 - 2. Motion passes 27-0-0
 - f. Motion to add Student Services to the Senate agenda
 - i. Seconded
 - ii. Motion passes 27-0-0
 - g. Student Services
 - i. Senator Stengel
 - 1. Beach Shuttle
 - 2. Suggestions @ Hofstra
 - ii. Senator Ahmedin
 - 1. All-access ATMs
 - iii. Senator Esteban
 - 1. Remotes on 13th floor
 - 2. Sprinklers on sidewalk
 - iv. Senator Andrews
 - 1. Good in terms of meal plans for Lackmann
 - 2. Colonial Square initiatives
 - a. Water filtration stations
 - b. Pride Print
 - v. Roy L.
 - 1. Looking to be SGA associate senator
 - vi. Chair Shepherd motions to pass
 - 1. Seconded
 - 2. Motion passes 27-0-0
- VII. For the Good of the Order
- VIII. Announcements
- IX. Snap Cup
- X. Adjournment
 - a. Motion to adjourn at 9:20 PM
 - i. Motion seconded
 - ii. Motion passes 27-0-0

Respectfully submitted,

So-Van Ho
Student Government Association Archivist

Cabinet Minutes

October 29, 2014

Meeting Called to Order 8:10 PM

- I. Updates
 - a. New graph was very successful
 - b. For any questions please refer to the wall
 - c. Academic Affairs
 - i. Meetings with multiple chairs and departments
 - ii. List of where to go should be done on Monday
 - iii. Talked to Bookstore about book orders
 1. Trying to get teachers to continue to have their book orders in on time
 - iv. LIRR
 1. Dean Oppenheim agrees with our initiative
 2. Looking into it as well
 - v. More Hydration Stations/servicing
 1. Meeting with VP Barkwill
 - vi. Adopt-a-freshman
 1. Looking into maybe doing a poll to find out if this is a good idea
 - d. Appropriations
 - i. Online signups
 1. Looking into doing Appropriations signups online
 2. Will not have a wait list
 - ii. Budget Book
 - iii. Event Audit form
 1. Want to have senators audit SGA funded club events to see how successful they are
 - iv. Internal Review Committee
 1. Working on appointing members
 - v. Comptroller Report
 - e. Club Relations
 - i. Facebook Like Page
 1. Changed the friend page to a like page
 - ii. SGA Office Application
 1. (?) To do February 27th
 2. Probably the same week as the club fair
 - iii. *The Chronicle*
 1. Trying to figure out how we can put a club calendar in the issues
 - iv. Collegiate Link training
 1. Finding out what ways we can help make it more effective
 2. Seeing if we can put a Collegiate Link icon next to Blackboard
 - v. Club Storage
 - vi. Club Fair
 1. Senator Gitlin is working on this
 2. Trying to figure out which clubs to put in which rooms
 - vii. Club Olympics
 1. Spring Semester
 2. Similar to Greek Week
 - viii. How to define Club Congress

1. Making it more useful for clubs
- f. Programming
 - i. Office Hour Fact Sheet
 1. In Progress
 2. Will have facts about what to do in the office
 - ii. Events Binder
 1. Rolling as events are completed
- g. Public Relations
 - i. Increasing social media awareness
 - ii. Press Releases
 1. Will be November 5th
 - iii. SGA Hangouts with Students
 1. One on one hangouts with students to get feedback
- h. Spirit
 - i. Spirit Rock
 - ii. Pride Unleashed Week
 1. Week of November 10th
 - iii. Midnight Madness
 - iv. Hofstra For the Holiday
 1. Working with Pep Band
 - v. Game Calendar
 1. Will be finalizing this weekend
 - vi. Tailgates
 1. Will take place on the same day as the national televised games
 - vii. Senior Send off
 1. Similar to the First-year student welcome
 - viii. Pride Puzzle
 1. Pieces designed by different clubs
 - ix. Color Run/Tailgate
 1. Fall 2015?
- i. Student Services
 - i. SGA at the Corner
 1. Working with PR to collaborate on questions
 - ii. All Access ATMs
 1. Only the TD bank is all access
 2. All ATMs are free on campus
 - a. An all access will be more expensive
 - iii. Locked Soccer Goals
 1. Field is specific for athletic teams
 - a. Not open to all students
 - b. Intramural season is over so the field will be more open for students to use
 - iv. Healthy Vending Machines
 1. Should be in there soon
 - v. Commuter Bulletin
 1. It's up!
 2. Anita Ellis does not know where the key is
 - a. Hopefully pursue where the key is
 - b. Maybe reaching out to Plant to make the key
 - vi. Train Shuttles
 1. No new updates
 2. On going

- II. IVCF Memorandum
 - a. Programming Chair Shepherd signed onto the Memorandum
 - b. Will be bringing to Senate
 - c. There is leadership exclusivity in their constitution and we need to bring it forward with that in mind
 - d. Great that the club is standing by their morals
 - e. Motion to put on the Agenda
 - i. Second
 - ii. Passed 6-0-0
- III. It's on Us
 - a. Working to get people to be involved in the video
 - b. Raising awareness for Sexual Assault
- IV. WELCOME KARL KOEPPEL
 - a. He is our new advisor
 - b. Will be starting on Monday!

Meeting Adjourned at 10:10 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Nicole Olson
Student Government Association
Vice President

Academic Affairs Mid-Semester Report

ACCOMPLISHED

1. NYT Back on Campus (big)
2. Research retention
3. Provost Scholarship Reception
4. More events with Provost?
5. Bio Major Research
6. Speaking workshop
7. UTP Contact/Meeting

TO BRING TO PROVOST

1. UTP Meeting and research
2. TK-20
3. January/Summer Scholarships (big)
4. 18th Credit
5. Orientation leaders help with learning the library
6. Dual-Credit (big)

IN PROGRESS

1. Adopt-a-freshman (big)
2. Phone Charging Stations
3. Communication School LIRR (big)
4. Flowchart/list of where to go
5. Adding Music Therapy as a major Research (big)
6. Degree plans for every major (Suggested courses to take when)
7. Steinway School
8. UTP Flyers/Publicity
9. Mobile Printing Publicity
10. Smoking policy on campus
11. Teacher Evaluations Online
12. More frequent hydration station servicing

FOR THE FUTURE

1. NYT Open forum meeting
2. Student Teaching abroad
3. GRE Prep Courses for future grad students research
4. Book orders

STRATEGIC RETREAT

1. Clocks in Classrooms
2. Paperless Override Forms

Respectfully submitted,

Hunter Blain

Academic Affairs Chairman

Appropriations Mid Semester Report

				Percent
Week 1: Name of Club	Type of Club	Requested	Allocated	Allocated
Masquerade Music Theater	Performance	\$4,528.54	\$4,401.50	97.19%
Hofstra Club Field Hockey	Club Sports	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00%
The Spectrum Players	Performance	\$4,194.96	\$4,095.42	97.63%
H*INT	Multicultural	\$432.76	\$350.00	80.88%
HOLA	Multicultural	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00%
Guitar Club	Performance	\$296.75	\$296.75	100.00%
Men's Ultimate Frisbee	Club Sports	\$4,725.00	\$3,563.40	75.42%
Roosevelt Institute	Politically/Soc	\$396.50	\$153.00	38.59%
Total		\$14,574.51	\$12,860.07	88.24%

				Percent
Week 2: Name of Club	Type of Club	Requested	Allocated	Allocated
HEAT	Entertainment	\$6,010.66	\$5,023.95	83.58%
Society of Physics Students	Academic	\$1,730.88	\$1,345.42	77.73%
Ice Hockey	Club Sports	\$12,950.00	\$7,770.00	60.00%
Hofstra Women's Club Soccer	Club Sports	\$2,824.51	\$1,800.00	63.73%
Newman Club	Religious	\$2,346.18	\$1,962.11	83.63%
Rhythmix	Performance	\$650.00	\$650.00	100.00%
Hofstra Billiards Organization	Club Sports	\$3,600.00	\$2,880.00	80.00%
Institute of Management Accounting	Pre-	\$1,095.00	\$620.00	56.62%

	Professional			
Hofstra Shooting Club	Club Sports	\$7,871.66	\$2,914.20	37.02%
The Pride Network	Politically/Soc	\$3,114.86	\$2,392.23	76.80%
HOLA	Multicultural	\$1,553.05	\$820.20	52.81%
Hofstra Club Field Hockey	Club Sports	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00%
Total		\$43,746.80	\$28,178.11	64.41%

				Percent
Week 3: Name of Club	Type of Club	Requested	Allocated	Allocated
Hofstra Men's Club Lacrosse	Club Sports	\$2,026.78	\$1,320.00	65.13%
Danceworks	Performance	\$2,000.00	\$1,241.28	62.06%
Neuroscience Club	Academic	\$361.75	\$361.75	100.00%
Hofstra Quidditch	Club Sports	\$3,559.64	\$2,060.02	57.87%
	Pre-			
National Association of Black Accountants	Professional	\$3,300.30	\$0.00	0.00%
Entertainment Unlimited	Social	\$130.00	\$0.00	0.00%
Total		\$11,378.47	\$4,983.05	43.79%

				Percent
Week 4: Name of Club	Type of Club	Requested	Allocated	Allocated
National Society of Black Engineers	Academic	\$1,267.19	\$592.00	46.72%
Hofstra Gospel Ensemble	Religious	\$1,357.25	\$1,226.00	90.33%
Hofstra Women's Club Soccer	Club Sports	\$337.25	\$334.25	99.11%
Total		\$2,961.69	\$2,152.25	72.67%

				Percent
Week 5: Name of Club	Type of Club	Requested	Allocated	Allocated
Hofstra University Society of Professional Journalists	Pre-Professional	\$388.20	\$345.20	88.92%
Adopt a Dream	Politically/Soc	\$194.50	\$194.50	100.00%
Phi Alpha Delta	Pre-Professional	\$1,050.00	\$400.00	38.10%
Hofstra Crew	Club Sports	\$6,374.20	\$435.00	6.82%
NABA	Pre-Professional	\$3,300.30	\$625.30	18.95%
Total		\$11,307.20	\$2,000.00	17.69%

				Percent
Week 6: Name of Club	Type of Club	Requested	Allocated	Allocated
Delta Chi	Non-SGA Recog	\$72.11	\$19.11	26.50%
Hofstra Rock Climbing Club	Club Sports	\$10,850.00	\$0.00	0.00%
Muslim Student Association	Religious	\$1,066.50	\$520.25	48.78%
Hofstra Body Positive	Politically/Soc	\$1,007.84	\$121.99	12.10%
Hillel	Religious	\$11,170.00	\$1,338.65	11.98%
Total		\$24,166.45	\$2,000.00	8.28%

Week 7: Name of Club	Type of Club	Requested	Allocated	Percent
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Allocated				
	Pre-			
NSSLHA	Professional	\$30.00	\$30.00	100.00%
Hofstra Bhangra	Performance	\$1,505.96	\$350.00	23.24%
Hofstra Roteract	Politically/Soc	\$250.00	\$0.00	0.00%
	Pre-			
Hofstra Health and Wellness	Professional	\$490.00	\$250.00	51.02%
Hofstra University Robotics Academy	Social	\$1,154.99	\$0.00	0.00%
Total		\$3,430.95	\$630.00	18.36%

Allocated Per Week	Requested	Allocated	Percent
			Allocated
Week 1	\$14,574.01	\$12,860.07	88.24%
Week 2	\$43,746.80	\$28,178.11	64.41%
Week 3	\$11,378.47	\$4,983.05	48.01%
Week 4	\$2,961.69	\$2,152.25	72.65%
Week 5	\$11,307.20	\$2,000.00	17.69%
Week 6	\$24,166.45	\$2,000.00	8.25%
Week 7	\$3,430.95	\$630.00	18.36%
Total	\$110,636.27	\$52,803.48	47.73%

Completed Initiatives

- Budget Book
- In process of creating an electronic appropriation meeting sign-up form.

Future Initiatives

- Create a calendar of events for next semester to evaluate through Appropriation Audits in order to measure consistency and see how events actually play out.

Summary:

- The Appropriations Committee has successfully held seven meetings, in which they allocated funds to clubs and organizations here at Hofstra University.
- The committee has seen a total of 44 clubs, of which 38 were unique (meaning, some were counted twice in the 44 total clubs seen)
- The committee has allocated \$52,803.48 so far this semester.

Respectfully submitted,

Damian Gallagher

Appropriations Chairman

CLUB RELATIONS MID SEMESTER REPORT

October 29th, 2014

1) Researched 57 Clubs:

- a) *The Chronicle*
 - i) President: Magdalene Michalik
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Monday @ 8:00 PM in Student Center 203
 - iii) Mission: The official student newspaper of Hofstra University, the Hofstra Chronicle publishes a weekly newspaper during the school year.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://twitter.com/HUChronicle>;
<https://www.facebook.com/hofstrachronicle>; <http://www.thehofstrachronicle.com/>
- b) Nexus Hofstra Yearbook
 - i) President: Dianne Fallucca
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: TBD in Student Center 203
 - iii) Mission: Hofstra Nexus Yearbook compiles, edits, and publishes an undergraduate yearbook for the Hofstra community
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://twitter.com/NexusYearbookHU>
<https://www.facebook.com/HofstraNexusYearbook>
- c) Intervarsity Christian Fellowship
 - i) President: Sherin George
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Thursday @ 7:00 PM in Hofstra USA
 - iii) Mission: A non-exclusive movement of people who want to show others that there is a relevant God who cares and love them.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Hofstra-InterVarsity-Christian-Fellowship/156720707704385>
- d) Gospel Ensemble
 - i) President: Jadia Bullock
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Monday @ 9:00 PM in Student Center Greenhouse
 - iii) Mission: A cast of musicians, singers, and ministers who are spiritually rooted.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds:
- e) Black Student Union
 - i) President: Laury Saunders
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Monday @ 8:30 in Student Center 206
 - iii) Mission: Serves as a conglomerate of all minority organizations whose purpose is to attend to the needs of the minority population at Hofstra.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds:
- f) African Caribbean Society
 - i) President: Line-Ariel Bretous
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Tuesday @ Student Center 206
 - iii) Mission: We aim to bind cultures and create unity while educating, enlightening and exciting.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://twitter.com/acshofstra>
- g) Imani Dance Ensemble
 - i) President: Yasmin Wamala
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday @ 9:00 PM in the Physical Education Building
 - iii) Mission: Provides the Hofstra community with an outlet for cultural expression through dance.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/ImaniDanceEnsemble>
<https://twitter.com/imani1972>
- h) Inter Fraternity Sorority Council
 - i) President Zoe Hoffman (zhoffm1@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Monday @ 8:30 PM in Student Center 142

- iii) Mission: To Govern Greek Life
- iv) Social Media Links/feeds <https://twitter.com/HUGreeks>
<http://www.hofstra.edu/StudentAffairs/StudentActivities/greek/index.html>
- i) Hofstra versus Zombies
 - i) President Graham Howe (ghowe1@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesday @ 8:00 PM in Breslin 0100/Hauser 109/Berliner 117
 - iii) Mission: Hofstra Versus Zombies is an organization that puts on Humans vs Zombies matches.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds <https://www.facebook.com/HofstraVersusZombies>
<https://twitter.com/HUvZ>
- j) Hofstra's Habitat for Humanity
 - i) President George Calvo (gcalvo1@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesday @ 8:00 PM in Student Center 145
 - iii) Mission This organization helps to build homes for those who are less fortunate.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds <http://www.huhabitat.org/>,
<https://www.facebook.com/HofstrasHopeForHumanity>, <https://twitter.com/@huhabitat>
- k) Hofstra Cultural Italian American Organization
 - i) President Christopher Carchia (ccarch1@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: TBD
 - iii) Mission To learn more about Italian American Culture
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds <https://sites.google.com/site/hofstraciao/home>
- l) College Republicans
 - i) President Joseph Sica (jsica2@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Thursdays @ 8:30 PM in Barnard 102
 - iii) Mission: Promote and advocate for the ideology of the Republican Party and conservative values.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds
- m) Entertainment Unlimited
 - i) President Gabriella Munoz (gmunoz1@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesdays @ 8:00 PM in Student Center 143
 - iii) Mission: To host events on and off campus at a reduced rate for students.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds <https://www.facebook.com/HofstraEU>, <https://twitter.com/HofstraEU>
- n) Hofstra Concerts
 - i) President: John Kowalchuk [jkowal10@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Mondays @ 8:00 PM in the Student Center Greenhouse
 - iii) Mission: Hofstra Concerts seeks to bring music performances to school. They host Coffeehouse shows and bring well known artists to campus for the Music Fest in the Spring.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/hofstraconcerts>
- o) Hofstra American Marketing Association
 - i) President: Jules LaBranche [jlabra1@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Biweekly; Mondays @ 8:00 PM in Breslin 020
 - iii) Mission: Hofstra's largest pre-professional organization, HAMA works in conjunction with the Zarb School of Business to offer career building opportunities for business majors.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/HofstraAMA>
- p) The Pride Network: Hofstra University Region
 - i) President: Jahmila Smith [jahmila@thepridenetwork.org]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Mondays @ 8:30 PM in Student Center 218
 - iii) Mission: The Pride Network seeks to educate students about the GLBT community and unite and empower students across campus.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds
- q) National Association for the Advancement of Colored People
 - i) President: Shannon Alomar [SALOMA1@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesdays @ 8:00 PM in Student Center 219

- iii) Mission: The NAACP seeks to promote and ensure equality of rights among all persons, eliminating race-based discrimination.
- iv) Social Media Links/feeds:
- r) Muslim Student Association
 - i) President: Soha Salman [ssalma1@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesdays @ Common Hour in Student Center 141
 - iii) Mission: MSA offers a place for Muslim students to connect and discuss their faith with other Muslim students and non-Muslim students.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/hofstra.msa>
- s) Hofstra's Organization of Latin Americans
 - i) President: Jennifer Toledano [jtoled2@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesdays @ Common Hour in Student Center 143
 - iii) Mission: HOLA seeks to spread an understanding and pride of Latino heritage through service, social, and educational events.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/HolaAtHofstra>
- t) Collegiate Women of Color
 - i) President: Mikwaevonn Mills [mmills5@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Thursdays @ 8:00 PM in Student Center 143
 - iii) Mission: CWC seeks to promote sisterhood among Black, Hispanic, and Asian women through educational events.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://twitter.com/HofstraCWC>
- u) Danceworks Productions
 - i) President: Nicole Marinucci [nmarin6@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Mondays @ 6:00 PM in Student Center 143
 - iii) Mission: Organizes and puts on two major performances in the Adams Playhouse each year, promoting the art of dance and providing dancers with a way to perform, teach, learn, and choreograph.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Hofstra-University-Danceworks-Productions/178766358844537>
- v) Hofstra Crew
 - i) President: Katie Navarino
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday @ 5:00 AM at Oyster Bay, NY
 - iii) Mission: To meet the challenges of extraordinary performance that Hofstra and the sport of rowing have come to expect and demand.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/HofstraCrew>
- w) HaHa Hofstra - Couldn't Find on Collegiate Link
 - i) President
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets
 - iii) Mission
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds
- x) Hofstra University Model United Nations
 - i) President: Nick Aprea
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesday @ 8:00 PM in Small Clubs Office
 - iii) Mission: A debate team focusing on international forum with United Nation style debate.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds:
- y) Democrats of Hofstra University
 - i) President: Blain Volpe
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Sundays @ 6:00 PM in Small Clubs Office
 - iii) Mission: Organizing college students in order to encourage and develop the participation of young Americans in the political process and the Democratic Party
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://twitter.com/HofDemocrats>
<https://www.facebook.com/Hofdemocrats?fref=ts>

- z) Students for a Greener Hofstra
 - i) President: Tsu Hin Tang (ttang5@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesdays @ 8:00 PM in Brower 204
 - iii) Mission: SGH is a club for environmentally and politically conscious students to meet. We make green projects on campus, like advertising the Campus Conservation Nationals and making reused paper crafts.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/352979831503676/?fref=ts>
- aa) Women of Action (Not on Collegiate Link)
 - i) President
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets
 - iii) Mission
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds
- bb) Adopt a Dream
 - i) President: Alexandra Engelson (aengel6@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Monday @ 7:45 PM in Student Center 143
 - iii) Mission To help provide dreams to children who are underprivileged, chronically ill, or disabled.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds
 - <http://adoptadream.tumblr.com/>
 - <https://www.facebook.com/HofstrasAdoptADream>
 - <https://twitter.com/HUAdoptADream>
 - <https://www.youtube.com/user/HofstraAdoptaDream>
- cc) Hofstra University's Association of Black Journalists
 - i) President: Alex Pineda (apined2@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Mondays @ 6:45 PM in Student Center 141
 - iii) Mission: Focuses on the development of minorities in various fields of communication.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds
 - <http://habjblackink.wordpress.com/>
 - <https://www.facebook.com/HofstraUABJ>
 - <https://twitter.com/HofstraUABJ>
- dd) Quidditch
 - i) President: Mike Iadevaia [miadev5@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesdays @ 8:00 PM, Fridays @ 5:00 PM, and Sundays @ 12:00 PM in the Intramural Fields
 - iii) Mission: Hofstra's Quidditch team plays a modified version of the sport invented for the Harry Potter novels, which is played by schools all over the country. The Flying Dutchmen compete in scrimmages and tournaments against these schools.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/hofquidditch?fref=ts>
- ee) Paw Pals
 - i) President: Lauren Walsh [lwalsh7@ride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Tuesdays @ 7:30 PM in Student Center 145
 - iii) Mission: Aims to both connect students with nearby animal shelters where they can volunteer and raise awareness for nearby animal organizations.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/hofstrapawpals?fref=ts>
- ff) Strictly Steppin'
 - i) President: Jazara Morales [jmorales1@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Tuesdays and Thursdays @ 9:00 PM in the Rathskeller
 - iii) Mission: Hofstra's only "stepping" group, they seek to bring this style of dance and music to life on campus through performances.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/208362619233508/?fref=ts>
- gg) National Student Speech Language Hearing Association
 - i) President: Deanna Lino [dlino1@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesday @ Common Hour in Breslin

- iii) Mission: Provides Speech-Language-Hearing-Science students and any other interested students a place to learn about that field of medicine through volunteer opportunities and other events.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100008025975325&fref=ts>
- hh) Newman Club
- i) President: Sean Greal [sgreal1@pride.hofstra.edu]
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Mondays @ 9:00 PM in Student Center 219
 - iii) Mission: Strives to encourage all students to grow deeper in their faith. Hosts Bible studies, prayer groups, and take mission trips in association with Catholic Campus Ministry.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/2269956380/?fref=ts>
- ii) Accounting Society
- i) President: Nicole Garizio (ngarizio1@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesdays in Breslin 106
 - iii) Mission: To teach members more about accounting.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds None
- jj) Club Baseball
- i) President: Aaron Brown (abrown1095@gmail.com)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesdays @ Common Hour in the Intramural Fields
 - iii) Mission: Provides students with opportunity to play competitive and organized baseball.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds
<http://www.hubaseballclub.com/>
<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Hofstra-University-Baseball-Club/136159814529>
<https://twitter.com/hubaseballclub>
- kk) Hofstra Body Positive
- i) President: Kristen Klein (kklein14@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesday @ 7:00 PM in Davison 017
 - iii) Mission: To promote body acceptance and positive views on body diversity.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds
<https://www.facebook.com/hofstrabodypositive>
<https://twitter.com/HUBodyPositive>
- ll) Buddhism Club
- i) President: Emily DiLaura
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Thursdays @ 8:00 PM in Heger 104A
 - iii) Mission: Open to all students regardless of religious background and share Buddhist ideas with all who are willing to learn
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/hofstrabuddhismclub>
- mm) Chabad at Hofstra
- i) President: Mariah Brown
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Monday @ 7:45 PM in Student Center 219
 - iii) Mission: To provide a more enriching Jewish experience on Campus
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://twitter.com/hofstrajewish>
<https://www.facebook.com/chabadathofstra> <http://www.jewishpride.net/>
- nn) Circle K International
- i) Club Name: Circle K International
 - ii) President: Samantha Effinger
 - iii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesday @ 6:00 PM/8:15 PM in Student Center 219
 - iv) Mission: To provide opportunities for students to do service work.
 - v) Social Media Links/feeds: None
- oo) Computer Science Society
- i) President: Jacqueline Hsu
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Wednesday @ Common Hour in Adams 200
 - iii) Mission: Provide connections and an open forum for students to share ideas related to the field of Computer Sciences.

- iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://twitter.com/hofstracss>
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/HofstraCSS/>
- pp) Culinary Society (Not on Collegiate Link)
 - i) Club Name: The Culinary Society
 - ii) President: AnnMarie Gaglio [\[agaglio1@pride.hofstra.edu\]](mailto:agaglio1@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - iii) When/where/what time the club meets: TBD
 - iv) Mission (in your own words): Seeks to provide a social environment through the bonding experience of cooking.
 - v) Social Media Links/feeds: None
- qq) Discovery Club
 - i) President: Rachael Burlette
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Tuesdays @ 7:30 PM in location *TBA
 - iii) Mission (in your own words): The Discovery Club is a community service based club that holds hands on service events about community, outdoors, sustainability, and social awareness
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: not listed
- rr) Hofstra English Society
 - i) President: Alison Coolidge [\[acooli1@pride.hofstra.edu\]](mailto:acooli1@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Thursday @ 8:00 PM in CV Starr 108
 - iii) Mission: Discusses literary topics and reads and reviews literary works. Seeks to promote literature on campus, especially through the newly reestablished *Font Magazine*.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/hofstraenglishsociety?fref=ts>
- ss) Hofstra eSports
 - i) President: David Harupa Jr. [\[dharupa1@pride.hofstra.edu\]](mailto:ddharupa1@pride.hofstra.edu)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Tuesday @ 6:30 PM in Student Center 141
 - iii) Mission: Hofstra eSports brings the growing trend of collegiate level competitions in video games here to Hofstra. With a current focus on *League of Legends*, eSports will train and compete in tournaments.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/HUELoL/?fref=ts>
- tt) Hofstra Entertainment Access Team
 - i) resident: Celia Werner [\[heatnetwork@gmail.com\]](mailto:heatnetwork@gmail.com)
 - ii) When/where/what time the club meets: Thursdays @ 8:00 PM in Lawrence Hall Studio A
 - iii) Mission: Hofstra's own student-run television network! Broadcast on channels 32.2 and 32.3, HEAT hosts Thursday Night Live, Sport's Beat, Director's Cut, and Hofstra Today.
 - iv) Social Media Links/feeds: <https://www.facebook.com/HEATnetwork?fref=ts>
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2) Club Meet and Greet-- September 9th, 2014

- a) Student Center Theatre
- b) 175 people in attendance
- c) 3 breakout sessions
 - i) Budget Training

- ii) Question and Answer
- iii) Learn about Rules, Programming, and Spirit

3) Club Congress- October 7th, 2014

- a) Student Center Theatre
- b) 118 clubs in attendance; 125 people
- c) 2 parts
 - i) Brief overview of policies
 - ii) Open forum
- d) Pros:
 - i) A lot of clubs present
 - ii) More interaction from SGA
 - iii) Breakout sessions
 - iv) Club Handbooks #1
 - v) Different computer stations with different ones per section of alphabet.
 - vi) Personalized messages- encouraged open communication
- e) Cons:
 - i) Personalized handbooks added to chaos during check in
 - ii) Not enough flair--too much talking at not enough open communication and fun
 - iii) Name of event--negative connotation
 - iv) An extra event that clubs have to attend
 - v) SGA members attitude portrayed
- f) Improvements
 - i) Polling prior to see what they want hear or know--well before Club Congress
 - ii) Poll about what they thought of it while at event
 - iii) More networking
 - iv) Talk to clubs about what they do to make successful fundraisers

4) Club Handbook

- a) Completed and distributed to 125 clubs

5) Office Space Application/Process

- a) Re-vamped criteria and application for Office Space Allocation in the Spring
- b) Put together process for office allocation
- c) Due February 27th

6) Club Relations Page on Facebook

- a) Purpose: to promote Club events and to connect club leaders with other club leaders

7) Office Spaces: Hours and Swipe Access

- a) Created a database of office hours and swipe access to offices

8) Database of Events

- a) Working on keeping track of all club events

9) Meet with 100 clubs by Thanksgiving:

- a) Current: 10
 - i) Phi Delta Epsilon
 - 1) Went over handbook; they want to apply for an office space/ get legislation passed to allow them (They're not SGA recognized); they are doing community service
 - ii) HUABJ
 - 1) Only 6 current and active members; their Collegiate Link has a glitch; gave him fundraising goals and promotional and logistical goals; wants to work with me to make club grow
 - iii) Rock Climbing
 - 1) Spoke about fundraisers and sponsorships-- they will have 4 atrium tables prior to end of October--basic bake sales with a creative rock climbing theme; sponsors: will reach out to farfetched places to request sponsorship--Income goal for semester: \$1,000 from sponsors and fundraising-- for semester is \$5,000 to have in account to go on more trips

- iv) NSSLHA
 - 1) Holding a raffle on December 3rd, needs to sell 100 tickets prior; discussed which groups to target to get them to purchase tickets; personalized emails, Facebook promotions, flyers
- v) MEISA
 - 1) Went over club handbook; helped update and teach about collegiate link; discussed recruitment and networking events
- vi) Tax Society
 - 1) Will speak with various academic departments to promote organization and get more people interested in participating; currently have 35 members would like to have 60 by the end of the semester, with training for tax returns. Will table to get people interested: best sellers: learn to do taxes, resume booster
- vii) Buddhism
 - 1) Current E-board:
 - a) President: Emily DiLaura
 - b) Vice President: TBD
 - c) Treasurer: TBD
 - d) Secretary: TBD
 - e) Advisor: Kamiko
 - 2) Meet every Thursday at 8pm
 - a) 20 members at meetings
 - b) 39 on collegiate link
 - 3) Attend Treasurer's training on October 30th at 4:00pm in the Multi-Purpose Room
 - a) bring any potential treasurers to this meeting to learn how make a budget and manage funds
 - b) Work on Budget for next semester--due November 4th at 11:59pm
 - 4) Start planning for next semester:
 - a) Book room for weekly meetings
 - b) Start planning the Yogic Meditator
 - c) Work on Earth Day event with other green clubs
 - i) henna
 - ii) Meditation Event
 - d) Monastery Trip
 - e) Interfaith Dinner
 - i) reach out to Sam from Hillel and Sean from Newman club
- viii) Stand Up Speak Up
 - 1) Club President wants to cancel club after meeting Club Relations chair
- ix) Powerlifting
 - 1) Need: More than one squat rack
 - a) Texas Barbells
 - 2) 10 Current Members:
 - a) Goal: 15 people
 - 3) Coach insisting upon getting paid
 - 4) Competing in November and next semester either in January, February, or March
 - 5) Competitions:
 - a) Team Cost
 - b) Individual Cost= \$95 a person
 - 6) Fundraising Goal
 - a) for year= \$1,000
 - b) For semester = \$200
 - 7) Bake sale in November
 - a) Protein based baked goods

- i) get creative with shapes
- b) Book atrium table ASAP--
http://www.hofstra.edu/StudentAffairs/StudentActivities/stdact_club_tablecontract.html
- c) Create flashy flyer so people want to purchase baked goods
- x) In the Lines:
 - 1) discussed future of club and handbook
- b) Left: 90

10) Committee Registration:

- a) Have approved 20 clubs so far this semester and have turned down 2 clubs
- b) Working on making less duplicate clubs

11) Working on:

- a) Collegiate Link positive energy revamping
- b) Club Olympics
- c) Storage unit for clubs
- d) Bigger Winter Club Fair
- e) Improve relations between IFSC and SGA
- f) Club Congress for Spring
- g) Mini leadership conference for Club Leaders

Respectfully submitted,

Alexandra Engelson
Club Relations Chairwoman

SGA Programming Board Fall 2014 Mid Semester Report

Completed:

- Established a promotion committee and started a SGA Programming Board Instagram page → still working on getting at least 500 likes on Facebook
- Made it to 15 board members!!!!
- Pink Weekend – Oct. 17
Pros: none
Cons: unsuccessful, did not receive table materials in time
- Tim Decker – Oct. 24
Pros: Fun, exciting, energetic, amazing art, great painting for the office
Cons: Not a lot of SGA presence, needed better marketing
- Halloween Festival – Oct. 29
Pros: Great turnout, great weather, had at least 50 students present, President Rabinowitz stopped by, candy bar and tie-dye shirts were a hit
Cons: ran out of rubber bands, needed more mason jars, still not a lot of SGA presence

End of Semester:

- Donuts 4 Dollars – Nov. 4 (free donuts and purple ribbon for pancreatic cancer)
- Country Pride Weekend – Nov. 14-16 (Texas style BBQ and line dancing)
- Build A Bear - Dec. 1 (winter wonderland theme penguins, moose, polar bears)
- Event Binder Initiative → Dec. 5

Respectfully submitted,

Whitney Shepherd
Programming Chairwoman

Rules Committee Mid-Semester Report Fall 2014

Legislation:

- Archivist legislation
- Club elections legislation
- Office Space Reallocation Time Period legislation

Other

- Office Space Reallocation legislation
- Intersarsity Christian Fellowship Memorandum

Clubs

- New
 - Hofstra University Shooting Club
 - Hofstra eSports
 - Hofstra Body Positive
 - Hofstra Ballroom Dance
 - Creative Genius
 - In The Lines: Hofstra University's Coloring Book Club
- Update
 - Buddhism Club
 - Newman Club
 - Collegiate Women of Color
- Reactivate
 - Circle K International
 - Music and Entertainment Industry Student Association
 - Discovery Club

Respectfully submitted,

Aleksey Babadzhanov
Rules Chairman

Spirit Committee Mid-semester report: Fall 2014

- I. Fall Festival Completed
- II. Midnight Madness Completed
- III. Game Calendar
 - a. Verify dates
- IV. Hofstra Compliments
 - a. Completed
 - b. Shayna is in charge of it
 - c. Keep Sending compliments
- V. Wear Pride Wednesdays
 - a. Completed
 - b. Senator Price is in charges
 - c. T-shirt designs are made
- VI. Hofstra Celebrates for the Holidays
 - a. Collaborating with Pep Band
 - b. Contacted Hofstra concerts
- VII. Pride unleashed week
 - a. Purchase Rally towels
- VIII. CAA
 - a. Research hotels
 - b. Book a night of pride to pep people up for the CAA
- IX. Spirit Rock
 - a. Need to talk to collaborate on purpose of spirit rock
- X. Tailgates
 - a. Tailgates for two televised games in February
- XI. Pride Puzzle
 - a. Speak to OSLA
- XII. Pride Wars
 - a. Speak to OSLA
- XIII. Color Run: Spring 2015 Initiatives
- XIV. Club Flea Market: Fall 2015 Initiatives
- XV. Senior Send Off
- XVI. Pride Frame
- XVII. Class Wars

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Harris

Spirit Chairwoman

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

Mid Semester Report Fall 2014

- I. Initiatives:
 - a. Healthy Vending Machine Food
 - i. Done
 - b. Make all access ATM's
 - i. In Progress
 - c. Shuttles
 - i. Airport
 - 1. In Progress
 - ii. Mineola Train
 - 1. In Progress
 - d. Locked Soccer Goals
 - i. Found alternative solution
 - e. Commuter Bulletin Board
 - i. Done
 - f. SGA @ the Corner
 - i. In Progress

Respectfully Submitted,

Mikio Manuel II

Student Services Chairman

Academic Affairs Minutes

October 27, 2014

Attendance: Chairperson Hunter Blain, Pratik Shah, Colleen McKeown, Bianca Kroening, Megan Andrews

Meeting called to order: 6:06 PM

- **What we did:**

- Senator McKeown: Research for upcoming meeting, 18th credit research, worked on list, researched student teaching abroad
- Senator Shah: Asked around Biology, wrote email to Registrar
- Senator Kroening: Scheduled meeting with School of Communications, Sent confirmation, researched LIRR and prior initiatives
- Chair Blain: Meetings with Dean Oppenheim and Dean Bales, Scheduled meeting with VP Barkwill, Followed up with Career Center, Followed up with Steve Babbitt
- Senator Andrews: New Member!

- **What we will be doing:**

- Senator Shah: Email registrar, Online Teacher Evaluations opinion (mandatory possibility), new questions for teacher evaluations
- Senator McKeown: Meeting with Dr. Rob, list of where to go finished by next week
- Chair Blain: Meeting with VP Barkwill (phone charging stations, more frequent hydration station servicing), meeting with Dean Godlove (Adopt-a-freshman), meeting with Dean Firestone (Adding new major: Crisis Management)
- Senator Kroening: Meeting with Dean Oppenheim, University Tutorial Program (UTP) flyers, UTP publicity, Mobile Printing Publicity
- Senator Andrews: Contact Mike Stankiewicz (former Academic Affairs chair) and get 18th credit research, find referendum question about smoking

Meeting Adjourned at 6:46 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Hunter Blain

Academic Affairs Chairman

Appropriations Minutes

October 28, 2014

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

Meeting Commenced: 6:15 PM

1. NSSLHA
Requested: \$30.00
Zumba Fundraiser/Zumba Instructor
Allocated: \$30.00
Zumba Fundraiser/Zumba Instructor: \$30.00
2. Hofstra Bhangra
Requested: \$1,505.96
Uniforms, Bhangra Equipment, Audio Equipment, Medical Kit, Cones
Allocated: \$350.00
Uniforms: \$250.00
Bhangra Equipment: \$100.00
3. Hofstra Rotaract
Requested: \$250.00
Apparel
Allocated: \$0.00
4. Hofstra Health and Wellness
Requested: \$490.00
Train Tickets, Apparel
Allocated: \$250.00
Train Tickets: \$0.00
Apparel: \$250.00
5. Hofstra University Robotics
Requested: \$1,154.99
Lego Sumobots Competition
Brown University IEEE Robotics Comp.
Allocated: \$0.00

Total Requested: \$3,430.95

Total Allocated: \$630.00

% Allocated: 18.36%

Meeting Adjourned: 7:50 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Damian Gallagher
Appropriations Chairman

Club Relations Minutes

October 28, 2014

Attendance: Chairwoman Engelson, Senator Gitlin, Senator Beer, Senator Pollock

Visiting: Senator Ramdhani

Absent: Senator Caputo

Meeting Started: 6:00 PM

- **Meeting: In the Lines Club**
- **Registration Committee Update**
 - 7 new clubs were approved
- **Warm Up: 3 Clubs a member:**
 - o Club Name
 - o President
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 - o Mission (in your own words)
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Total Clubs researched: 57

Stand Up, Speak Up decided to end being a club

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) Get clubs to understand that Collegiate Link is their #1 source for communication with other clubs and the benefits
 - 2) Designed for First-years - Club fair from anywhere

- ii) How to promote?
 - 1) Orientation
 - 2) Change name on portal from *CollegiateLink Student Community* to *CL Club Database*
 - 3) Admissions and admissions events
- 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
 - 2) How to make it a more positive movement
 - a) WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS for CLUBS?
 - i) Advertising
 - ii) Positions
 - iii) Contact information
- iv) What are the CL issues:
 - 1) Button on main ribbon instead of in MyApps
 - a) Stan looking into it
- v) Training for Orientation Leaders for the First years
 - 1) Is it possible?
 - a) Talk to Stan or Karl
 - 2) When?
 - a) End of Spring
- vi) General data about club leaders' feelings-- survey for next week
 - 1) What don't you know?
- b) Club Olympics
 - i) What do you want in it?
 - 1) Mixture of events
 - a) Sporty
 - b) Jeopardy
 - ii) What type of clubs?
 - 1) All Clubs
 - iii) Group clubs together and give each grouping a country
 - iv) How long?
 - 1) One Weekend, 5-8 events on a point system
 - a) What events?
 - v) Motivation for clubs?
 - 1) Getting their name out and cool events
 - vi) Prizes?
 - 1) Lackmann sponsoring catering
 - 2) Student Affairs
 - 3) Money
 - vii) Cost?
 - viii) When?
 - 1) Look at academic calendar
- 2) Senator Gitlin
 - a) Winter Fair bigger and more significant--February 4th: Common Hour: FOR NEXT WEEK:
 - i) Infographic of all the clubs there--MAP
 - ii) Music-- DJ?

- iii) Food-- basic kid food--pigs in blankets
 - iv) Cheer leaders and sports teams
 - 1) Contacting Karl Koepfel
 - 2) Performing in the Multipurpose room
 - v) Clubs in Multipurpose room
 - vi) Clubs in Plaza rooms
 - vii) 3 goals for this year
 - 1) More grandiose in scale
 - 2) More heavily advertised
 - 3) Centered around what clubs are up to
 - viii) Cons about last year
 - 1) Not widely attended
 - 2) Not widely advertised
- 3) Senator Caputo
- a) Improve relations between SGA and IFSC
 - i) Advocate to Hofstra to get an IFSC their own office
 - 1) How?
 - 2) Where?
 - a) Concerts production office
 - 3) Who to speak with?
 - 4) Why?
 - b) Outline the full benefits that SGA can provide for clubs
- 4) Senator Pollock
- a) Managing Hofstra SGA Club Relations Facebook Page for the next week
- 5) Committee:
- a) Storage Unit for Clubs
 - i) Email/ meet with VP Barkwill
 - 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 side
 - 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
 - i) Go back to actual congress
 - ii) Executive order committee
 - 1) 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!
 - c) Mini Club Leader Leadership Conference

- i) Break-out sessions
 - 1) Collegiate Link
 - 2) Fundraising
 - 3) Constitution making
- d) Ways to promote events:
 - i) Word of mouth
 - ii) Social Media:
 - 1) Page not Person
 - 2) Event calendar per week-- post once a week

Club Meetings: Goal by Thanksgiving= 100
Accomplished: 10 Clubs
Left: 90 Clubs

Meeting Adjourned: 8:16pm

Respectfully submitted,

Alexandra Engelson
Club Relations Chairwoman

Programming Board Minutes

October 27, 2014

Attendance: Priya G., Coco S., Alex K., Kelly M., Michelle H., Ashlyn G., Danielle E., Danielle K., Nyala S., Cory M., Christian R., Amber B., Miranda M., Nicole B.

Meeting commenced: 6:02 PM

1) Special Business

a. Event Follow Ups

- i. Evaluated Tim Decker Event
- ii. Finalizing contract for Build-A-Bear
- iii. Got a vendor for Country Pride Weekend cookies
- iv. Board presented their Spring 2014 event ideas
- v. Proposed event ideas
 1. Hofstra Comedy Fest including Girl Code and MTV Wild'n Out

2) Upcoming Events

- a. Donuts 4 Dollars – November 5th
 - i. Common Hour!
 - ii. Free Donuts
- b. Country Pride Weekend – November 14-16th
 - i. Texas Style BBQ and line dancing

Spring 2014 event plans

- Athletics: Themed Student Section, Cross Fit, Club Olympics
- Class: End of the year Cook-off, Senior Send-off, Wax Hands
- Novelty: Movie Night under the Stars, Military Boot camp
- Speakers: April Texting & Driving month, Safe Spring Break
- Multicultural: Chinese New Year Celebration, Luau Stress buster, Toms Event, Around the World Day

Meeting adjourned: 6:54 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Whitney Shepherd

Programming Board Chairwoman

Public Relations Minutes

October 28, 2014

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

Visiting: President Mark Atkinson, Vice President Nicole Olson Spirit Chairperson Sarah Harris, Forrest

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Meeting called to order 7:35 PM

- I. Recap of the semester
- II. SGA Press Releases
 - a. Getting the info during cabinet
 - i. Will be forwarded to Senator Barry to format for the flyer
 - b. Handing out November 12th during Common Hour
 - i. Will be reaching out to Senate to help out
 - ii. Maybe reaching out to *The Chronicle* to put in next issue
 - c. Second Wednesday of every month
- III. SGA at the corner
 - a. Week of November 10th
 - i. This will count as everyone office hours
 - b. Questions
 - i. Do you know about the Lackmann Food Committee?
 - ii. How do you most often find out about events on campus? (Word of mouth, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, etc.)
 - iii. How could we raise school spirit on campus?
 - iv. Do you feel like SGA is a positive influence on campus?
 - v. Talk to Student Services Chairperson Manuel about other questions
- IV. Social Media
 - a. Make sure any SGA rep at any club event
 - b. Look into who runs Hofstra Social Media
 - i. Senator Diaz is going to reach out to that
 - c. Maybe putting up a sign on something that we actually did with our social media
 - d. Student Spotlight
 - i. Changing Athlete Spotlight to Student Spotlight
 1. Moving towards club leaders and students too
 - e. Twitter
 - i. Creating a new handle to use
 - ii. Senator Shafranski will create once we have the PR email back
 - f. Facebook
 - i. Asking Senate to share and change profile pictures to event flyers
 - ii. Post in the "Class of" pages on Facebook
 - iii. Goal of 1500 likes
 - g. Instagram
 - i. Trying to post more events for clubs
 - ii. Posting pictures of people at events and SGA attending
 - iii. Work on getting more followers

- 1. Goal of 300 followers
 - h. During Senate asking everyone to invite friends to like the Facebook page
 - V. Tabling for SGA
 - a. Netherlands and Student Center
 - i. Student Center
 - 1. Submitting request for table on Wednesday November 5th during Common Hour and/or 6:00pm
 - 2. Order a cookie tray from Lackmann, bring SGA tumblers and pens
- VI. Pride Unleashed Week
 - a. Will be handing out press releases during Common Hour
 - b. Going to post pictures at different events
 - c. PR hangout at the Netherlands Wednesday, November 12th?
- VII. Awareness push
 - a. Posting flyers in residence halls
 - i. Senator Shafranski will be creating a flyer to post
 - ii. Will have different spirit (...)
 - iii. Would be coming hopefully every month or week
 - iv. Maybe handing out candy wrapped in our logo
 - b. SGA hangout
 - i. Cookies and go hangout with students and have one on one meetings with everyone to find out how their school experience is going
 - ii. Use data for SGA at the corner
- VIII. Google Calendar
 - a. Have events posted for clubs and SGA event
 - i. Senator Shafranski and Senator Diaz will look into it

Meeting Adjourned 8:36pm

Respectfully submitted,

Nicole Olson
 Student Government Association
 Vice President

Rules Minutes

October 27, 2014

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

Meeting Commenced: 6:30 PM

1. Creative Genius
 - a. New club
 - i. Network and educate those who are interested in creative things
 1. Photographers
 2. Artists
 3. Musicians
 4. Etc.
 - ii. Bring lectures on campus
 - iii. Prevent “starving artist” future
 - iv. Attendance: 20 people/meeting
 1. 2 e-board meetings
 2. 2 general assembly meetings
 - b. Constitution review
 - i. Article X: Logistics, Section A: Events
 1. Recommend taking out
 2. Too specific
2. In the Lines
 - a. New club
 - i. Reaching out to Hofstra Community for coloring therapy
 - ii. Raise and donate money for coloring books for kids in schools/hospitals
 - iii. Color with children and elderly
 - b. Constitution Review
 - i. Formatting issue
 - ii. Grammatical issues
3. SGA Memorandum
 - a. Confirm Senator/Chair cosigner
 - b. Senator Ho motions to pass the Memorandum
 - i. Seconded
 - ii. Motion passes 5-0-0
4. Club Constitution Template
 - a. Added directive to maintain formatting guidelines in opening paragraph
 - b. Added Preamble to template
 - c. Added Article VIII: Method of Amendment, Section B
 - d. Amended Article IX: Fundraising, Section B, subsection a
 - e. Reviewed grammar

Meeting Adjourned: 8:41 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Aleksey Babadzhanov
Rules Chairman

Spirit Minutes

October 30, 2014

Attendance: Chairperson Sarah Harris, Shayna Braitman, Kristina Shafranski, Jacquelyn Dent, Rita Cinquemani, Martin Beer, Gregory Stengel

Visiting: Micah Pleshette Varnado

Absent: Amanda Price

Meeting commenced: 5:00 PM

1. Pride Unleashed
 - a. Week of events November 7th-14th
 - i. Thursday Atrium night
 - ii. Purchase rally towels
 - b. Talk to athletes about renovating stadium
 - c. Pride Frame for game
2. Updates
 - a. Spirit Rock
 - i. Meeting with Sarah Young next week
 - b. Senator Dent editing Game Calendar
 - c. Stony Brook Rivalry
3. New Initiatives
 - a. Work with OSLA and Programming for Senior Send-off
 - b. Senator Stengel researching alumni brick
 - c. Hofstra on the Quad
 - d. Pride Puzzle
 - i. Committee looking for locations
 - ii. Senator Beer researching how many clubs there are
4. Color Run
 - a. Senator Braitman researching other school's color runs

Meeting adjourned: 5:45 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Harris
Spirit Chairwoman

Student Services Committee
Hofstra Student Government Association
Hofstra University, Long Island, New York
October 28, 2014

Present: Chairperson Mikio Manuel, Greg Stengel, Sarah Esteban, and Mabruk Ahmedin

Visiting: Roy Levin, President Mark Atkinson, Spirit Chairperson Sarah Harris

Meeting Commenced: 6:20 PM

II. SGA @ the Corner

a. Food

i. Food Committee

ii. Food Survey

1. Quality

2. Variety

a. Cultural

iii. Bits and Bytes Times

iv. Hofstra USA

1. Quality

2. Hours

3. Late night menu

b. Universal Remote

c. Beach Shuttle

Meeting adjourned: 7:00 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Mikio Manuel II

Student Services Chairman