

A.S. Office of the President 11.6.11

Meeting

Agenda

- Roses and Thorns
- Office Ish
- Updates
 - D.D.'s
 - Career Program
 - Fellowships
- Financial Requests
- - Mrgan Foranda

Updates:

- **Alejandro:** 1) Meeting with heads of university officials. Getting input for the career program launching this year. We're going to restructure it so that it's competitive so that we get students at a high demand. We're bringing in the Alumni Association and finding out where our alumni are in the career world. Healthy conversations about funding, units, internships and how to gain all of those resources. Addressing all of those problems and concerns. The long term goal is to fund students to do internships over the summer with alumni. Mostly geared toward third and fourth year students because as a first and second year there are leadership programs around campus to help students navigate campus. This is for those students graduating. UCDC is tailored for people who are political majors, this is an alternate avenue; UCDC might be utilized but this is more branching out to where our alumni are. 2) **Safe Space:** Inclusive, Security, MCC, Supportive, Representation, Community, Friendship, Love, Acceptance, Family, Equity, Warm, Limitless, No judgment, Confidential, Relief, Home, Tolerance, Understanding.
- **Cedric:** 1)Went with Harrison and met with campus affairs. Heading toward first staff for the new A.S. building. Meeting tomorrow and the prelim-model should be ready by the next Campus Planning meeting. Blurring the line between Isla Vista and campus so that it's not such a stark contrast between the town and UCSB. 28,000sq. ft to develop for student study space, wellness center and resource center for student veterans. 2) Connection to the library left UCSB and now has to reconnect with people to find out what's going on with the building of the library. The sub-committee for committee financial fund will be meeting on Tuesday, so now discussing the logistics in detail.
- **Brady:** 1) Currently there's a competition of who can get the most likes to the ASOP Facebook page. We're currently at 385; we're up 82 from Friday. Goal is to have 1,000 likes to the page but we're playing it by ear. 2) First diversity dinner yesterday with the LGBTQ community. Really good discussion. Looking to have four more diversity

brunches and dinners to hit more people up. Branching out from cultural diversity groups to also Greeks, Engineers, CCS students and non-traditional students. Will start working on those tomorrow. 3) Looking to make sure the "Write Your Own Bill" will happen earlier winter quarter. Looking to table more and get feedback. **IDEA!** To have a survey and by the end of the caucus to turn in that survey. Take to leg council and have the survey distributed by the BCCs.

- **Amanda:** 1) Posters on stress, drugs and food will be coming out. If you have any comments email Amanda as soon as possible. The posters will be sent out for Finals Weeks around campus (library, Res Halls, etc.). The ASOP emblem will be on the posters. [size =24X36] 2) The Last Lecture: The nominations will be cut off right before thanksgiving. There will be a top three and they will go through the three professors and they'll be contacted to make sure at least one of the professors will want to do the lecture.
- **Yoel:** 1) Tomorrow is Black Solidarity day. They're asking everyone to wear black to stand in solidarity, 2) Wednesday from 12-1pm is a budget cut rally. Will meet in Storke and march to the Arbor. **Point of Information:** There's a new proposal by the UC President to increase tuition by 16%. The class of 2012 is paying 83% more than what they started paying. If the state falls short of their obligation then students will be paying 16%. \$22,000 tuition by the time 2014 class graduates and that's if the state doesn't cut funding, so it could be more than that and there's a good chance that there will be more than that. The rally is part of an escalation plan and there will be more during the Spring Quarter. How not being able to take the classes that you need to take affects you personally.
- **Sarah:** 1) Made a timeline with all of our projects, it's done by quarter and week. All the due dates for things should be done. The community service event is November 20th in the morning. Wants 12 people (six and six). If you're not Facebook friends with your commissioner then please add them on Facebook. Also add yourself to the ASOP group. 2) Will be working a lot with the career program with Alejandro. End of the quarter 2 on 1s will be scheduled soon.
- **Ryan:** 1) Working on a newsletter about where every dollar you spend here at the school goes. The newsletter will be [hopefully] drafted by week 10 of this quarter and handed out by winter break.
- **Abby:** 1) Met with Kay Maynard to get info on the sustainable workgroup. Working on getting the environmental GE put in. However students are having a hard time getting into the ES classes and so they're hoping every department can have a class that will fulfill the ES requirement. 2) E-Coalition; would love if we started back up. Monthly potluck idea 3) Rooftop faculty meeting 4) Peace in the park is being incorporated into the Occupy Isla Vista movement. [Human Rights Board is putting on a Peace in the Park] 5) Plastic Pollution Prevention Week will be the Second Week of Winter Quarter
- **Harrison, Sarah & Morgan:** All binders for fellows in your boxes. Emailed an insert to print out in color to put into the Fellow binders. If you want Harrison to print it out for

you then email him back with the complete names of your fellows. Email a strategy chart to Sarah and she will print them. Survey questions. Email Morgan your contact information so that

Funding Request:

- Megan Foranda (from S.C.O.R.E.): Requesting money for the S.O.C.C. which will be held this upcoming weekend at UC Davis. It's a UC-wide annual event that aims to gather students of color (and allies) from all the UC campuses. It includes keynote speakers and workshops to. Requesting **\$750.00 for transportation**. They're using a charter bus, which was more expensive, but they've cut one of the nights at the hotel and they're only staying one night. Leaving Sat night at Midnight to UC Davis to arrive at Saturday morning for the conference. The hotel cost was cut by half (brought down to \$1,400/\$1,500). Other orgs have fully funded their requests thus far. Going to C.I.R.C. on Thursday and asking the MCC and the Chancellor and Vice Chancellors Offices; asking all the Executive A.S. Offices. Next quarter S.C.O.R.E. will be hosting "Facing Race" which is a mini-S.O.C.C. here. And there will be an event Spring Quarter as well out in IV. Budget is split evenly through all three quarters. [This is a UCSA Conference]. **Update: The request is for \$1,000 for Transportation.** [The money will be coming from special projects but outside of the \$1,000 allotted to each commissioner/exec.] It's up to the exec offices to step up to fund S.O.C.C.
- Move to allocate \$1,000 by Sarah; Second by Brady; Call to question by Cedric; objection by Yoel; retraction by Cedric; Motion by Yoel to fund \$850. Motion by Alejandro to put in \$200 from general and have each commissioner put in \$100 from their own budget.
- Yoel: \$100; Alejandro: \$100; Amanda: \$100; Brady: \$100; Cedric: \$0.00. Sarah: \$450. \$150 from general fund. Motion to fund \$1,000 total to S.O.C.C. for transportation. Motion seconded by Amanda, Called to Question by Cedric. 8-0-0 Motion passes with a vote of consent.

Closing Remarks:

- **Morgan:** Talking to Sean tomorrow about the printer. Also consolidating a contact sheet for the fellows tomorrow during office hours.
- **Brady:** Reumania located in the Career Services building.