

UNT SGA 54th Student Senate Spring 2020 Session Ogbu & Ayers Administration 01/22/2020

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Old Business
 - a. Meeting Minutes Approval November 20th
 - i. Approved
- IV. New Business
 - a. Appointment Approvals
 - i. Secretary of the Senate
 - 1. Daniel Ojo appoints Jennifer Moyers
 - a. Jennifer Moyers approved
 - ii. Vice President Deana Ayers
 - iii. Chief of Staff Fatim Karamoko
 - 1. Vote by Roll Call
 - a. Approved
 - iv. Student Allocations Director, Raupe Travel Grant Brooke Roberson
 - 1. Vote by Roll Call
 - a. Approved
 - b. Memorandum of Understanding approval
 - i. Keaton: Is Deana able to be on the form prior to us voting her into office?
 - 1. Yolian: We can remove her name and vote on it today.

 However, if you want to table and vote after she is voted in, that is okay as well.
 - **2.** Daniel: We are going to vote her in regardless, so this is a technicality that we can adjust after.



- ii. Asia: What is the communication between SGA and GSC?
 - 1. Yolian: We are housed in the same office and so our communication is efficient. This is an understanding that if a referendum does occur, we are on the same page.
- iii. Vote by roll call
 - 1. Approved
- c. Budget approval
 - i. Fatim: This is everything we have spent from September to now. February on is our proposed budget. Spending already occurred for 2020 for tampon/pad upkeep apart of menstrual health initiative.
 - **1.** Asia: Where are the tampon dispensers? We do not have any in CVAD.
 - a. Yolian: Facilities should be keeping track of locations.
 - b. Fatim: I will check with facilities.
 - ii. Approved.

V. Officer Reports

- a. Student Allocations Director Raupe Director
 - i. Receiving and reviewing applications. Forming committee of 5-6 students. First meeting tomorrow at 6:15.
- b. Student Allocations Director Eagle's Nest
 - i. First meeting yesterday, one application approved. Next resource meeting happening next week.
- c. Communications Director
 - Working on graphics to promote open SGA positions for spring. Currently promoting the State of the Student Body, next Wednesday from 6-8. Bringing back SGA Member Highlight. Website is updated. Forming Communications team of 10-12 students. New SGA t-shirts and tote bags available for pickup in



office. Working to form rapport with student organizations. Now working with Outreach to represent the transportation committee. NTTV interview with Yolian available to view. Sending out branding kit for consistent branding across SGA.

- ii. Marisela: Does transportation include e-rides?
 - 1. Noah: Yes.

d. Outreach Director

84 students expressed interest in becoming involved in SGA.
 Looking to plan SGA collaboration with Carter Bloodcare and UNT Greek Life. Minimum wage town hall 02/11, 4:00. Conducting climate survey with Gabbie Tilley to see how SGA can get involved.

e. Strategic Planning Director

- i. Student living survey complete. Planning sexual assault Week of Action. Working with Kathleen from Pride Alliance to map bathroom resources. Looking to work with UNT Dallas and UNT Health Science Center on minimum wage concerns to develop system-wide approach.
- ii. Daniel: Is there a cap on external contributions to work-study?
 - Brightyn: Money is sent back when work-study is not used.
 \$400,000 sent back last year.

f. Chief of Staff

 Finalize Raupe recipients. Updated budget. Planned executive and all-member retreats. Preparing for Student Services Town Hall and State of Student Body.

g. President

- i. State of Student Body, 01/29 from 6:00-8:00, will include GSC. Dr. With and President Smatresk will be present.
- ii. Victory: Repeat dates and times.



- 1. Yolian: 01/29, 6:00-7:00 State of Student body in Union 333, 7:00-8:00 networking reception in Union 406A. This will occur in lieu of usual Senate Meeting. Business casual attire expected.
- iii. Office of the President invited us to cultural competency meeting. Yolian chairs Student Services Committee, dedicated time to decide allocations of Student Services fees, will keep us updated as meetings are scheduled. SGA is operating from equitable and inclusive campus theme but Executive Board fully supports legislation of any theme. Developing Demands Task Force concerning university upkeep of request for culturally competent practices, please email Yolian if interested. Seeking to do greater job accommodating the needs of student organizations. Deana has done good work keeping up with legislation from last semester.
- iv. Jana: Where is the Cultural Competency meeting?
 - 1. Yolian: The Lyceum.
- h. Vice President

VI. College Reports

- a. College of Music
 - i. No senator present.
 - 1. Devon: Encourage peers in College of Music to sign up!
- b. College of Business
 - i. Working on list of available resources in the BLB to be available online. Goals include tabling consistently and schedule meeting with Dean.
 - 1. Devon: College of Business has four open seats.
- c. College of Education
 - i. Looking to develop relationship with Amanda Vickery apart of Diversity and Equity Committee. Yolian, Victory, and College of



Education representatives discussed implementing Black Lives Matter in Schools Week. Three events considered, more information pushed out once available. Seeking to push this to a campus-wide event.

- 1. Devon: Three open seats.
- d. College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences
 - i. Met with Dean to discuss college merger. Setting up tabling and office hours.
 - 1. Devon: Two open seats.
- e. College of Science
 - i. Working on communication between Pre-Health and College of Science. Pushing for senatorial town hall.
 - 1. Devon: One open seat.
- f. College of Health and Public Service
 - i. Devon: One open seat.
- g. College of Visual Arts and Design
 - Met with GSC rep and associate Dean. Establishing social media platform with CVAD senators because tabling is difficult with constituent class schedules. Established office hours. Looking to develop monitors on CVAD. Consistent meetings established between senators.
 - 1. Devon: One open seat.
- h. College of Engineering
 - i. No senator present. Two open seats.
- i. College of Merchandising Hospitality and Tourism
 - i. No senator present.
- j. New College
 - i. No senator present.
- k. Frisco Campus



- i. No senator present.
- l. Honors College
 - i. No senator present.
- m. Texas Academy of Mathematics and Sciences
 - Discussion of TAMS outreach to metro-area and inner-city schools.
 Scheduling Pride alliance to speak at orientation for greater competency in living with LGTBQ+ students.

VII. Announcements

- i. Yolian: Meet with Stephanie Brown from OTP to develop diversity inclusion course included in student orientation. Senators interested in sexual assault legislation, please contact me for recommendations: 1) Tracy Rule to check transfer students' disciplinary records and 2) sexual assault training for all student orgs. Please let us know if resources and support are needed following recent incident between UNT Police and UNT student.
- ii. Noah: Please come pick up shirts and tote bags!
- iii. Michael: Eagle-thon Ftk50 code for 50% off sign-up.
- iv. Devon: We need 18 senators to approve in our new vice president.Thank you for coming today!
- v. Victory: Will we be able to vote for Deana next week if we are scheduled to attend State of the Student Body?
 - **1.** Yolian: She is the VP appointee. Officers can call emergency meeting with single goal of approving Deana next week.
- vi. Michael: Is Angie Still in her position?
 - 1. Devon: Yes.
- b. General Student Body Meeting: January 27th at 5:30pm
- c. State of the Student Body: January 29th at 6PM

VIII. Adjournment