Council of Graduate Students

Full Council Meeting Minutes

March 30, 2016

International Center 115

Present: ANS, BAE, ENT, FW, FSHN, HRT, PDC, AAAS, ART, RCS, THR, CSD, JRN, CEPSE, MBA, CHE, CEM, GEN, GLG, MMG, PLB, PRIME, STT, ZOL, OM, PHARM, ANP, PSY, CJ, HRLR, SW, SOC, SPOM PRES, VPIA, VPEA, SEC, TRES, MED, PARL

- Meeting called at 6:35 pm
- II. Approval of agenda
 - A. Consent agenda:
 - 1. approval of minutes
 - 2. Resolution to provide funds for Maximillian Monroy-Miller scholarship
 - B. Approved without objection
- III. Finances and events
 - A. Motion to fund the SACNAS research forum for \$650.00 by Rep Van Kirk and seconded
 - 1. Motion to amend the motion to make it contingent on the account number being established by Rep. Gulotty and seconded
 - Motion to amend the amendment to give a choice between a registered student organization and a personal reimbursement as needed made by Rep. Mansdoefer and seconded
 - b) Motion is amended without objection to allow for any type of university account number
 - 2. Motion is approved 32 votes in favor, 0 opposed, and none abstaining
 - B. Event funding
 - 1. Queerciniera
 - a) Motion to approve \$650.00 for the MICCA Queerciniera is brought to the floor with 30 in favor and 1 abstaining
- IV. Remarks from Graduate School
- V. Remarks from Interim Adviser Dr. Lee June
- VI. New Business
 - A. New Member Introductions
 - B. Feedback from Full Council
 - C. **COGS Executive Board Elections
 - 1. Quinton Baker is nominated for treasurer and declines
 - 2. Uche nominates herself for Recording Secretary and is seconded

- Motion to not close nominations until after the speeches is made by Rep. Gulotty
 - a) Motion fails 18 to 12 with 2 abstaining
- 4. President
 - a) Nominations for the presidency close
 - b) Dee Jordan is elected president with a vote of 33 to 0.
- 5. Vice President of Internal Affairs
 - a) Nominations of the Vice President of Internal Affairs closed
 - b) Robert Vankirk elected Vice President of Internal affairs with a vote of 31 in favor with 1 abstaining.
- 6. Vice President for External Affairs
 - a) Nominations close for VPEA
 - b) Christian Ramirez is elected with 34 votes in favor and 0 against or abstaining
- 7. Treasurer
 - a) Nominations for treasurer close
 - b) Maurice Atkinson is elected with a vote of 33 to 0 to 0.
- 8. Recording Secretary
 - a) Nominations are Katie Kohn and Uchechi Okeke
 - b) Nominations close.
 - c) Motion to close debate is made by Rep. Poudyal and seconded
 - (1) Motion fails with 65% of the vote in favor
 - d) Debate closes without objection
 - e) Katie Kohn is elected with 23 votes in favor, 4 for Uchechi Okeke, and 2 abstaining
- VII. Announcements
- VIII. Meeting is adjourned without objection at 9:02 PM