

Senate Agenda

September 19th , 2017

Graduate Education Auditorium, 6:00 PM

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**

a. 42 Present

b. 5 Proxy

c. 3 Absent

1. **Approval of the Minutes**
2. **Special Orders**
   1. Reports (5 minutes each)
      1. Special Reports
      2. Advisor, Michael McAllister

1. Welcome & Recap of All ASG Retreat.

2. Advised Senators to make health a priority since the Flu is on campus.

* + 1. Graduate Assistants, Joshua Saraping and Sage McCoy—no report.
    2. President, Andrew Counce

1. Welcome to New Senators

2. Advised Old Senators to step up and become leaders.

3. Recap of Homecoming Nominations, 63 Female and 37 Male applications were submitted, exceeding previous years.

* + 1. Vice-President, Natalie Counce—no report.
    2. Treasurer, Macarena Arce

1. Encouraged students to apply for funding.

2. Discussed logistics regarding PAB meeting to allocation funds for RSO’s.

* + 1. Secretary, Ashton Yarborough

1. Encouraged senators to follow ASG accounts on social media.

2. Notified senators to get pictures taken for ASG website.

* + 1. Chief Justice, Cory English

1. Nominations for Associate Justice

a. Brandon Turner

i. Elected by confirmation

b. Pierce Teeuwen

i. Elected by confirmation

c. Spencer George

i. Elected by confirmation

2. Nominations for Judicial Proxy

a. Cassady Curtis

i. Elected by acclamation

b. Bennett Waddell

i. Elected by acclamation

* + 1. GSC Speaker, Arley Ward—no report
    2. Cabinet Reports
       1. Chief of Staff, JT Hale

a. Explained his role within ASG and how to work with Cabinet members to get legislation ideas.

* + 1. FLF Coordinator, Abigail Walker—no report.
    2. Chair of the Senate, Colman Betler

1. Safe Ride Committee needs one senator to sit on it, if your interested contact him.

2. Committee Meetings will follow after meeting is adjourned.

3. If you have a test, with a proxy you will not be penalized but without a proxy it will be a half abscense.

4. Business Casual is mandatory for all meetings.

5. Flash Drives are not ready yet but will be available for pick up soon.

1. **Appointments, Nominations, and Elections**
   1. Engineering Caucus Chair Run-off
      1. Allison Barnett

1. elected by acclamation

* 1. Swearing in of new senators

1. All senators not sworn in took the oath and were pinned by Executive Members.

1. **Public Comment (3 at 2 minutes each)**
2. **Old Business**
   1. ASG Senate Resolution No. 1 – The ASG Senate Standing Rules Act of 2017-2018
      1. Authored by Chair of the Senate Colman Betler

1. Review of discussion that was held last week regarding the changes.

2. Line 205 ammended to read: In the event of a vacated seat in senate, the filling of the seat is subject to the discretion of the Chair of Senate, and must be confirmed by a 2/3 vote of the senate body, as adhering to the regulations put forth in the Associated Student Government Code and Constitution.”

3. Passed by a vote count of 40 Aye, 2 Nay, 3 Abstentions.

4. Sent to Senate Chair, Colman Betler and ASG President, Andrew Counce to be signed.

* + 1. Sponsored by Chair of the Senate Colman Betler

1. **New Business**
   1. ASG Budget 2017-2018
      1. Authored by Treasurer, Macarena Arce

1. Discussion was held that the added money for the Chancellors Ball budget was coming from the executive teams budget that in previous years had been used towards other things.

2. Referred to internal affairs committee for review.

1. **Announcements**
2. **Adjournment**