



Cascadia Student Government

## Minutes

January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016

Cascadia College, ARC- 210

### I. Call to Order- 11:06 am

### II. Roll Call

Position	Name	Present	Absent
President	Atlas Turner	X	
Vice President	Daniel Perez	X	
Director of Budget and Finance	Sue Jung		Excused
Director of Government Relations	Cassie Rudolph	X	
Director of Pluralism and Inclusion	Zainab Alhassani	X	
Director of Public Relations and Technology	Eric Dimitrovich		Tardy (11:11)
Director of Student Life	Becky Riopel	X	

### III. Approval of Minutes:

- a. Review minutes of previous meeting either at this time or prior to the meeting.

Zainab motioned to approve  
Daniel seconded

Approved: 4/0/0

### IV. Approval of Agenda:

- a. Review agenda and add anything that may be missing, then approve.

Daniel motioned  
Cassie seconded

Approved: 4/0/0



V. Special Guests/ funding requests:

VI. Officer Reports:

a. President, Atlas Turner:

No report

b. Vice President, Daniel Perez:

- i. Involvement Fair is on January 18<sup>th</sup> from 12-2 pm in Mobius hall. Looking for more suggestions on how to get more students to attend, food, crafts and having the mascot come by were all suggestions.

Needs a rep for student learning council. Every other Wednesday from 3:30 – 5:30 @ CC1- 202. Will not conflict with Board of Trustees meetings.

Creating the agenda for club council for this upcoming Friday (1/6)

c. Director of Budget and Finance, Sue Jung: Excused

d. Director of Government Relations, Cassie Rudolph:

- i. Meeting with Guy Palumbo

Met with Guy Palumbo and Dr. Murray, went over the white paper initiative from WACTCSA. Palumbo has been assigned to the education committee. Will be meeting Palumbo and other reps later on in the quarter. Palumbo seemed very on board with all of the initiatives.

- ii. Poll on Title IX issues in College 101 classes

A poll was conducted about some issues related to Title IX, and some of the results were polarizing in the sense that students either really cared or really did not, for example with the sexual assault piece.

e. Director of Pluralism and Inclusion, Zainab Alhassani:

- i. Showed video “trailer” of Friend Request options and we voted on which of the options we liked more, it was near unanimous that the first option was better. “Trailer” will be shared on Kody’s weekly, and social media.



f. Director of Public Relations and Technology, Eric Dimitrovich:

i. Class room visit sign up forms

Figure what we will be talking about and sharing during classroom visits. Asked Atlas and Zainab specifically to add more information about which professors and classes they wanted.

ii. Friend Request sign up forms

Shared sign up form information for, and requested, volunteers.

Event will be on January 11<sup>th</sup> from 4-6pm, set up is from 3-4 pm and cleanup is from 6-7 pm.

VII. Advisor Report, Becky Riopel:

- i. Make sure that you only work up to 15 hours a week
- ii. Daniel and Eric need to set up 1 on 1's
- iii. Kirk started yesterday (1/3), his specific role is to start working with clubs.
- iv. Grade checks occur every quarter, unfortunately, two of our student life members did not meet this requirement and another member had a family issue and therefore will not be returning this quarter.
- v. Update your calendars

VIII. Committee Reports-

a. Special:

b. Standing:

- i. Student Learning Council –
- ii. Commuter Services Task Force – Discussed different alternatives to building a new garage.
- iii. WACTCSA – Waiting on getting application for legislative core.
- iv. Pluralism Committee – Meeting during finals week and Zainab could not attend. Dr. Murray was discussing programming around the election and inauguration. There was a conversation if there would be a viewing of the inauguration, but because it's on a Friday at 9am (Pacific), there will likely be not a vast attendance although a viewing will still be in the vistas. Also discussing handouts of resources about politics, transition of power and other political mechanics.
- v. Information Security and Management Council – Discussed several security incidents that did not go according to protocol.
- vi. ARC Committee –
- vii. Budget Council –



- viii. S&A Budget Committee –
- ix. Navigators – Looking for representative only for next Monday (1/9) at 3:30-5:30
- x. Board of Trustees (Student Representative) –

#### IX. Old/ Unfinished Business-

#### X. New Business:

##### A. Pantries in VRC, and The Center

New food pantries in the VRC, requesting the possibility to fill the pantries, unsure if that would be considered donations or not.

##### B. Atlas Presentation/ Sustainability Information Item

Atlas shared a Prezi slideshow about sustainability and potentially having a new Director of Sustainability role in CSG. There were numerous sustainable initiatives that were pushed via CSG in the past, but since they ebb and flow, they have not been consistent and the idea was to have this role in order to make these various initiatives, and new initiatives, more stable and consistent.

Shared several solutions as to how this could go about, but is sharing this information in hopes of having the remaining CSG members provide additional solution(s).

One of the solutions was to simply add a 7<sup>th</sup> member.

Another solution was to dissolve the Director of Public Relations & Technology role, and have the PR role be delegated to Pluralism & Inclusion and the marketing to the CEO's and then replace the 6<sup>th</sup> CSG member with Sustainability.

Pros and cons of these solutions will be discussed at the next meeting.

#### **Budget Requests:**

- i. Daniel is requesting **\$100** for extra signage, and other methods to increase the decoration and "attractiveness" of clubs during the club fair

Atlas motioned to approve in Full  
Zainab Seconded

Approved: 4/0/2



- ii. Eric is requesting **\$1,000** for Friend Request round 2

Atlas motioned to approve in full  
Daniel seconded

Approved: 4/0/2

## XI. Open Forum/ Announcements

Zainab: Essays from professor Tsai's class.

Ellie, Atlas and Zainab were talking about how the professor in Ellie's class asked the class to write essays on what could be improved on campus. The professor shared the top 5 issues that was written about in those essays:

- 1) Too much second hand smoke
- 2) Parking
- 3) Lack of quiet study space
- 4) Failure to follow basic classroom etiquette
- 5) Lack of crosswalk safety

Atlas shared how the meeting rooms we are in are far removed from campus and there have been only a handful of students that have walked in during our meetings and participated. Atlas is thinking if we were closer to campus and advertised our meeting times that students would be more likely to show up and participate. CC1 – 021 is available from two weeks away until the remainder of the quarter.

## XII. Adjournment of Meeting: **12:40 pm**