

## March 20th, 2019 SGA Senate Minutes

Taken by USC Communication Director Sophia Foerster

### **12:10- Attendance Taken**

### **12:18- Veterans Club Budget Presentation**

- Not to be voted on today
- Tabled last senate session to come back and present with a more detailed proposal
- There were concerns about the cost of event and whether it would be a recurrent budget

### **12:33- Careers Committee Announcement**

- London, City University trip (open to all)
  - 29th April
- Applications on Engage
- Budget to be presented next week

### **12:40- Constitution Day!**

- This day is dedicated to go through the constitution and talk about possible amendments and problems
- Chris: formatting and being clear
- Jamie: There is nothing surrounding sexual assault/harassment, and grounds for impeachment
  - Electra: can propose codes of misconduct but if something happens outside of senate it is dealt with by the University rules.
- Chris: problems have arisen because the guidelines are not “very strict”
- Chiara: It cannot be too strict, as we are working with many cultures and cannot be too specific in rules etc. (issues have arisen in the past)
- Frances: there should be some code of conduct as senators should be held to higher standards and be taken more seriously on campus
- If anyone has any ideas for amendments: make a written statement and go talk to Electra
- Alexandra and Diana: it does not state how to create new senator positions in the senate just that it is possible.
- Chris: would like to add an amendment to article III, the ability of the the board to elect secretaries and cabinet members
  - Chiara: this is what committees are, how is it different?
  - Electra: no way on how to appoint something that doesn't exist yet, how do we find grounds to create a position?
- Frances: Took names for students interested in discussing sexual harassment/violence codes of conduct in the constitution
- Courtney: Clarify that if a student is presenting their own submitted budget they are not allowed to vote
  - If the presenter is not present for the budget request, it should be automatically tabled until they, or a representative, can attend
  - If you cannot attend you should send a written statement a week in advance
- Chiara: we would like senators to all be apart of one committee. Could be added to senator’s roles

### **13:30- Senate finishes**

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Event Attendance By Event											
Event	Start Date	End Date	First Name	Last Name	Campus Email	Preferred Email	Attendance Status	Marked By	Marked On	Comments	Card ID Number
<b>Senate Meeting</b>	3/20/2019	3/20/2019									
			<b>Hussain</b>	Al Ibrahim	a97355@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:05 PM		
			<b>Jamie</b>	Nyqvist	a96594@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:06 PM		
			<b>Alexandra</b>	Avena	a101309@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:06 PM		
			<b>Caelin</b>	Paterson	a99292@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:07 PM		
			<b>Jonathan</b>	Morales	a94190@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:08 PM		
			<b>Quinn</b>	Chesser	a94335@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:08 PM		
			<b>Miranda</b>	Vickery	a100365@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:08 PM		
			<b>Patrick</b>	Nizio	a96360@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:09 PM		
			<b>Olivia</b>	Jenkins	a98284@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:09 PM		
			<b>Thomas</b>	Turner	a100424@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:09 PM		
			<b>Joshua</b>	Alston	a99128@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:10 PM		
			<b>Thomas</b>	Lopez	a96198@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:11 PM		
			<b>Diana</b>	Hickox	a96386@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:12 PM		
			<b>Sophia</b>	Scalzo	a102821@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:12 PM		
			<b>Electra</b>	Reihel	a95015@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:13 PM		
			<b>Camilla</b>	Carlesi	a102472@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:13 PM		
			<b>Rebecca</b>	Herr	a98177@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 12:16 PM		
			<b>Oliver</b>	Henry	a97341@aup.edu		Absent	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 2:59 PM		
			<b>Zhaohan</b>	Shen	a98436@aup.edu		Absent	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 2:59 PM		
			<b>Mary</b>	Layman	a97770@aup.edu		Absent	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 2:59 PM		
			<b>Jacqueline</b>	Wegwerth	a96330@aup.edu		Absent	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 2:59 PM		
			<b>Ali</b>	Benzerara	a100307@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 3:00 PM		
			<b>Chiara</b>	Amor	a96565@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 3:01 PM		
			<b>Courtney Danielle</b>	Kelley	a93764@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 3:01 PM		
			<b>Sophia</b>	Foerster	A97278@aup.edu		Attended	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 3:01 PM		
			<b>Frances</b>	Eby	a98264@aup.edu		Late	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 3:02 PM		
			<b>Margarita</b>	ValdeJuly	a96642@aup.edu		Late	Sophia Foerster	3/20/2019 3:02 PM		