TWENTY SEVENTH CONGRESS OF GRADUATE STUDENTS

MEETING MINUTES
COGS Assembly Room
HCB 103, 109 Collegiate Loop
April 1st, 2019
6:30 p.m.
Agenda

Call to Order: 6:30pm

Pledge of Allegiance: Chiodi

REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT: Chiodi, Demirsoy, Engelbrecht, Lange, Nelson, O’Neill, Oloye, Shahbandeh, Solano, Stewart, Uttermark

REPRESENTATIVES LEFT EARLY, EXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES LEFT EARLY, UNEXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES ABSENT, EXCUSED: Morgan

REPRESENTATIVES ABSENT, UNEXCUSED: Eovito, Sorribes

REPRESENTATIVE LATE, EXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVE LATE, UNEXCUSED: Brinkman

Reading and Approval of Minutes:

Petitions into the Assembly: NONE

Special Introductions and Student Comments: NONE

Messages from Student Government: NONE

Report from the Office of Governmental Affairs: NONE

Elections: NONE

Report of Officers:

- **The Report of the Speaker**
  - The speaker is preparing for the Supreme Court hearing regarding Student Bar Association and the Softball funding request.

- **The Report of the Deputy Speaker for Finance**
  - Ms. Kim Dicks will be out of the office for several weeks.

- **The Report of the Deputy Speaker of Judicial Affairs**
  - If representatives are not assigned to the committee please see Deputy Speaker Lange to be assigned as soon as possible.

- **The Report of the Deputy Speaker of Communications**
Committee Report:
- **C-SAC**: Has not met.
- **Internal Affairs**: Has not met. Next meeting is Thursday April 4, 5:00 PM, Strozier Library
- **Student Advocacy**: Has not met.
- **Student Affairs**: Has not met.

Funding Requests: NONE

Unfinished Business: NONE

New Business:
- **Resolution 2: Music Theory Society Funds**
  Two representatives from Music Theory Society shared that they were allocated COGS funds in the fall, but failed to submit a purchase request prior to the event to pay for contractual services for their annual Forum Conference. **Technical/Non-Debatable Questions**: How would your organization pay for the event if not allocated these funds? A: we would have to ask our members to cover the costs through donation. **FIRST PRO**: Solano, seems like it was a good event. **FIRST CON**: Engelbrecht, move to call to question. Organization representatives closed with information that in its 38th year, it is the longest standing graduate student run conference in the music field in the USA. **Resolution Passes 9–0–1.**

Round Table:

Adjournment: 7:05pm

Next Meeting: April 15th, 2019 (last one of spring semester)