REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT: Boler, Hall, Huard, Leone, Leslie, Luttrell, Nilson, Proia, Syme, C. Williams

QUORUM: Yes

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Syme

REPRESENTATIVES LEFT EARLY, EXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES LEFT EARLY, UNEXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES ABSENT, EXCUSED: Akinfaderin, Greinke, P. Williams

REPRESENTATIVES ABSENT, UNEXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES LATE, EXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES LATE, UNEXCUSED: NONE

Swearing in of Members not at Inauguration: Allison Behuniak, Parth Vakil

PETITIONS INTO THE ASSEMBLY: NONE

MINUTES APPROVED: Yes. Leone approved. Syme Second.

SPECIAL INTRODUCTIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS: NONE

STUDENT COMMENTS: NONE

MESSAGES FROM STUDENT GOVERNMENT:
- There are focus groups occurring Wednesday evening for the climate survey. There will be food and an hour conversation asking about identity inclusion on campus. To learn more and register by tonight, visit thecenter.fsu.edu/diversity to sign up.

SPEAKER'S REPORT:
- There is a town hall meeting this Thursday at 2:30 in room 208 of the Student Services Building. It is spearheaded by Dean Nancy Marcus of the graduate school. They are concerned about the state of graduate housing. The meeting is to address concerns of the graduate community in regard to housing.
- The budget committee has met. We will be hearing from them later regarding the cuts that were made. COGS is asking for money from sweepings. There may be an amendment to the budget.

DEPUTY SPEAKER FOR FINANCE'S REPORT:
- We have pretty significant cuts in comparison to last year. Please keep that in mind when you are looking at the budget and the choices we made.
- Pay attention to the COGS Unallocated line. We have no funding requests today but keep that amount in mind for future requests.

DEPUTY SPEAKER FOR JUDICIAL AFFAIRS' REPORT:
- Nilson will be presenting the budget committee report as budget chair.
- Try to remember that three unexcused absences in a row mean that you lose your seat in the Congress. Also, you are allowed six excused absences in a semester before losing your seat.
Attendance is really important and we do important work here. Let’s continue to make an effort to attend meetings.

- If you are interested in publicizing for your college and you have questions, please see Nilson after the meeting.
- Be sure to get financially certified if you have not. You should be certified by the second meeting.

DEPUTY SPEAKER FOR COMMUNICATIONS’ REPORT:
- Leslie has been working on a couple of “how to” videos pertaining to COGS.
- Leslie gives a brief presentation from the NAGPS conference.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:
- C-SAC: HAS NOT MET.
- Speaker Boler appoints members to the Internal Affairs, Academic & Student Life, and Ways & Means committees.
- Budget Committee: Nilson goes over the budget committee’s report and suggests that everyone reads the budget packet for the next meeting.
- There will be an amendment to the budget under NAGPS membership dues.
- We will vote on the budget at the next meeting.

Unfinished Business: NONE

Funding Requests: NONE

New Business: NONE

ROUNDTABLE: Behuniak, Luttrell, Leone, Syme, Vakil, Proia, Huard, Hall, Nilson, Leslie, C. Williams, Boler

ADJOURNMENT: 7:15 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: December 2, 2013