

TWENTY SIXTH CONGRESS OF GRADUATE STUDENTS



MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL SESSION
Senate Chambers Room, 316 Oglesby Union
April 2nd, 2018
6:32 p.m.
Agenda



Call to Order: 6:32 pm

Pledge of Allegiance: Burns

REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT: Asturizaga, Batchelder, Bhowmik, Blake-Hedges, Burns, Collopy, Demirsoy, Engelbrecht, Forsman, Hernandez, Hirsch, Khazem, Kim, Lange, Lehn, Lozano, Mc Laughlin, Oloye, O'Neill, Scriven, Solano, Sorribes, Stewart, Uttermark, Zhang

REPRESENTATIVES LEFT EARLY, EXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES LEFT EARLY, UNEXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES ABSENT, EXCUSED: Gerardi, Lozano, Polischuk, Reyna, Sanogo

REPRESENTATIVES ABSENT, UNEXCUSED: Oseguera

REPRESENTATIVE LATE, EXCUSED: NONE

REPRESENTATIVES LATE, UNEXCUSED: NONE

Reading and Approval of Minutes: Approved. Forsman 2nd.

Petitions into the Assembly: Tomas Solano (Special/Undecided Seat 1)

Special Introductions and Student Comments: NONE

Messages from Student Government: NONE

Funding Requests: NONE

Unfinished Business: NONE

New Business:

- Bill 12 Sponsored by Forsman and Blake Hedges: *Edits of the COGS Code, Substantial Edits of Chapter 302: The Medical School Council*
Representative Forsman explains that Internal Affairs has been working with the Medical School Council (MSC) to establish a better relationship to work together more efficiently. The goal of the bill is to codify the relationship between the Medical School Council's Constitution and the COGS Code as well as to update the election code to create more inclusive language for all of the programs the council has to offer. Forsman further breaks down the changes made in the bill. Representatives inquire the reason for the change in at large seats, an explanation of the appointment process for the MSC Board and is MSC in favor of the changes in the Code. **FIRST PRO:** Khazem is in favor of the clear language. Engelbrecht is in favor of the language which is clear and efficient. Motion to amend "to" to "from" in any instant in the Code. 2nd. Objection. Amendment passes. **FIRST CON:** Oloye believes the wording change does not make the edits as

clear as it could be. Motion to call to question. 2nd vote on amendment. Amendment passes 20-1-4. Motion to table. 2nd. Motion passes. Bill Tabled.

Round Table: Batchelder, Bhowmik, Blake-Hedges, Burns, Collopy, Demirsoy, Forsman, Hernandez, Hirsch, Khazem, Kim, Lange, Lehn, Lozano, McLaughlin, Oloye, O'Neill, Oseguera, Reyna, Sanogo, Sorribes, Scriven, Solano, Sorribes, Stewart, Swanson, Uttermark, Zhang

Adjournment: 7:33 pm

Next Meeting: May 21, 2018