



Internal Affairs Committee Report
February 26th, 2019

Call to Order:

8:04

Members Present:

Chair Durham, VC Sandoval, Senators Alvarez, Harmon, Rios

Members Tardy:

Members Absent:

Senator Deliz

Guests:

Sen. Torres, Sen. Jacobsen

Chair Announcements:

Member of the week: Senator Harmon for bringing Vice Chair Jacobsen

Vice Chair Announcements:

Student Comments:

Committee Business:

Highs and Lows

Forwarding Letter 2/19: Campus Recreation Board, Senior Class Council President

Interviews

1 . Morgan McDonald: Campus Recreation Board

- Technical Non-debatable
 - Alvarez: Why can't we see your letter of recommendation?
- Questions Regarding Position
 - Alvarez: What are your goals for the position?

- Sandoval: What does Ensuring Success on Campus and Beyond mean to you?
- Rios: What you tell someone about campus rec who doesn't know what it's about?
- Alvarez: How do you plan on working with other campus rec board members to ensure the money is being used effectively and responsibly?
- Alvarez: How can you best represent the interests of sports clubs under campus rec jurisdiction, and without bias or favoritism?
- Questions Regarding Character
 - Alvarez: Can you tell us about a time you were in a position where you wanted to get something done and you had opposition and how you got over that?
 - Murcia: Can you elaborate on your choice of dedication as the pillar of administration you identify most with?
 - Sandoval: Can you tell us about an experience or position where you had to see something to completion and the aspects of your character that helped you?
- Deliberations
 - Make sure to look the candidate in the eye when they answer your questions!
 - Her attitude and knowledge of her position is a little lacking
 - She is passionate about the position and has background knowledge
 - Good leadership and experience
 - No specific goals
 - She would only be in this position until fall
 - She is very willing to learn about her position
- Vote
 - Yes: Rios, Sandoval
 - No: Alvarez, Harmon,
 - Abstentions: Murcia
- Chair Durham breaks the tie, candidate does pass

2. Sheridan Hager: Senior Class Council President

- Technical Non-debatable
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- Questions regarding position
 - Alvarez: What substantial changes would you see in the senior class council between now and new council president inauguration?
 - Durham: What will your biggest challenge be in transitioning from secretary to president?
 - Sandoval: What have you done so far as secretary and how will that help you as president?
 - Alvarez: What are some shortcomings of the previous council and how will you address them?

- Alvarez: How can senate help the class councils, in particular the senior class council?
- Questions regarding character
 - Rios: Can you elaborate on what unity means to you and how you see unity on this campus?
- Deliberations
 - She knows what she's talking about
 - She is genuinely capable of holding the position of presidency
 - She has a lot of charisma and passion
- Vote
 - Yes: Alvarez, Harmon, Murcia, Rios, Sandoval
 - No: None
 - Abstention: None
- Alvarez moves for 5 minute recess
- Sandoval seconds

Recess at 8:58

Returned at 9:03

Bureau Review Process Memo Discussion

- Discussion on next steps for senate
 - We need to figure out a way to get more feedback from bureaus
 - But senators cannot sit on cabinet or all bureau meetings
 - Bureaus must have liaisons
 - More accessibility online, like a more seamless website
 - Make a suggestion to future IA
- Sandoval moves to go back to the top of the memo and go over reasons for OEI
- Murcia seconds
- Discussion on OEI reasons and next steps
 - Changed language of reasons for our decision, less investigative
 - Refined next steps
- Sandoval moves to go back to reasons and next steps of OGA
- Discussion on OGA
 - Go back and flesh out next steps
 - Fix mission paragraph, add subsection for NEP
- Senator Murcia moves to go back to reasons and next steps for CPE
- Rios seconds
- Discussion of CPE
 - Added an acknowledgement of growth in reasons, citing their newsletter and other improvements
- Rios moves to move onto reasons and next steps for SCURC
- Harmon seconds
- Discussion of SCURC
 - SCURC is amazing
 - Same line of relationships and communication

- Murcia moves to move onto reasons and next steps for OSS
- Harmon seconds
- Discussion of OSS
 - Next steps include working with state parks hopefully
 - Another step including communicating with sustainable campus for the purpose of differentiating themselves from them
- Sandoval moves to move into reasons and next steps for IRHC
- Murcia seconds
- Discussion is IRHC
 - Nothing much to change
 - Add same line of communication and senate presence
- Murcia moves to move onto reasons and next steps for OSL
- Harmon seconds
- Discussion of OSL
 - No active board
 - Fixing language
 - The powers of OSL can be absorbed into other SGA entities
 - The responsibilities of the service leadership council will be shifted to the center or some other entity
- Murcia moves to vote on approval of the memo
- Harmon seconds
- Vote
 - Yes: Alvarez, Harmon, Murcia, Rios, Sandoval
 - No: none
 - Abstentions: none

Old Business:

Memo discussion on recommendations to senate and SGA

New Business:

Unfinished Business:

Other Announcements:

Date and Time of Next Meeting:

March 5th, 8pm Thagard 401

Adjourned:

10:00pm