

FSU SGA Executive Branch Meeting Minutes

1/30/2024 at 6:30PM Minutes by: Jack Folwell

Next Meeting Time: February 13 at 6:30PM.

Chief of Staff Announcements:

We're listening to some "About Me" presentations today: Jackson Boisvert gives his about me presentation. Autumn Anderson gives her about me presentation. Eli McKown-Dawson gives his about me presentation.

No other announcements.

Executive Office of the President Announcements:

Jack Hitchcock: Policy group will be busy for the next month; we have fewer than two months left. Trevor will be leading a group to edit a lot of statutes, aiming for ten statute changes alongside Jack Folwell. Harvens will be helping the Division of Student Affairs and Garnet & Gold Key to do research on past members and put them into a database, and also working with DSA to receive past donor data and reengage those less likely to donate. Everyone else in policy is also doing great work. Board of Governors was also good, and Board of Trustees is tomorrow and Thursday. If you're free for Day at the Capitol please text Yasamin Khosh.

Jack Folwell: If you're interested in Voter Registration, there is a training for Voter Registration tomorrow at 10am in the Dunlap building. Also, if you know any interesting or any student accomplishments to be presented to the Board of Trustees by Rodney, please let me or him know so they can be showcased.

Office of the Vice President Announcements:

Rodney: The D&I Institute Director will be confirmed this week, and the Civic Engagement Board is now active and we will be working that up to hopefully be in full swing by next Fall to support Liz Iaconis. There is also some programming coming up.

Yessy: We are doing a CDU event, and it will be really big, the tentative date is March 29. If this works out well, they may be interested in setting up an annual event. They may be interested in doing more things with SGA.

Mekhi: We have a civic engagement event being planned right now, and I know Malena has said that Student Affairs administration wants to do something with SGA regarding human trafficking prevention.

Juan: Bureaus and Institutes had the first "Council of Directors" to meet as a coalition, and are interesting in continuing meeting. They touched on having trouble with event publicity, and they'd love for SGA people to come to and promote their events. We've also been working with Yessy and Agency Executive Boards to implement initiatives such as Financial Training, as well as a calendar of all events to minimize overlap, that all Executive Boards can access.

Office of the Treasurer Announcements:

Carson Dale: Adam has fallen ill and so could not be here, but we have been working very hard on the budget for this upcoming year. Budget will likely be delayed by two weeks. If y'all have any purchases to be done, please continue to use our purchase request google form. Me and Tory have been working on the Chamber of Commerce initiative, so if you know any student-owned businesses please get them in contact with us so that we can help them out.

Jack Hitchcock: We have been negotiating about the Budget since June, and it has only gotten more arduous as time has gone on. Campus Rec and the Union have requested a combined total of 13.2 million dollars, out of our total budget of 14.08 million. We're sorry it has to be pushed back, but we're really trying our best. It's not a fun situation, and if you see Adam please thank him for all he's doing for them.

Cabinet Announcements:

Savannah (on Malena's behalf): The Human Trafficking Prevention Month resolution passed this past Wednesday: HUGE thanks to Senator Khosh and Sarah Nemeth!!! I had a meeting with IRHC regarding their involvement and support for menstrual product dispensers in dorms, I am working on drafting a proposal. On Thursday and Friday, I have meetings with CHAW regarding drug prevention initiatives and working on programming for an event that will hopefully happen at the end of the month. Let Carson know I WILL be reaching out to him by the end of the week.....

Jack Hitchcock: Rodney, Savannah, I, and some others including members of the OGA team will be going to DC and will be back late Tuesday night. FSU is the host of the ACC Advocacy Days, so a bunch of ACC schools will be going. If you know anybody who will be there (especially from other student governments), please connect us so we can get in contact.