

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

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The mission of the Student Government Association (SGA) is to provide FSU students with representation, services, and advocacy within the university structure. The SGA provides quality leadership for, and accountability to, its constituency by recognizing that strength arises from diversity, engagement, and dialogue.

Call to Order

A meeting of **the Executive Cabinet** was held in **Senate Chambers** on **9/8/22** at **5:10 PM** Attendees included: (6)

- Jack Hitchcock Administrative Director
- Juan Bustamante Director of Sustainability
- Kaitlynn Adams Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
- Liz laconis Director of Academic Engagement
- Mike Delcin Director of Communications
- Savannah Stewart Director of Special Projects

Members not in attendance included:

- Kenley Adams Student Body Vice President
- Dellissia Hendricks Director of Outreach
- Sam Youngston Director of Investment
- Rodney Wells Director of External Affairs
- VACANT Director of Accessibility
- VACANT Director of Wellness

Agenda Items

- 1. Check-In
- 2. Discussion of Current Events
- 3. Roundtable Reports
- 4. Community Updates

Roundtable Reports

- Jack Hitchcock Administrative Director
- Juan Bustamante Director of Sustainability
 - Met with Senate President Abril Hunter and the Director of Student Sustainability and realigned priorities for Student Sustainability. Abril is going to form an Ad Hoc for Sustainability that both Abril and Juan will be chairing. They will be sponsoring legislation with about \$500 total for U-Locks for bikes to keep bikes safe. They will



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also be inviting people to a bike safety class and teach people how to be safe and to promote more safe bike riding.

- They will also be exploring a way to expand the garden to give out food and/or provide the food to the Food Pantry. SGA originally funded the food garden and encouraged us to expand the garden by sponsoring the space. SGA will need to sponsor working hours to build these plots. Sustainable Campus is requesting pavers and soil for the project. This will be a big expansion for Presidential Scholars for them to help with the project.
- o In an effort to explore an on-campus Market, we have decided it might not be attainable to have. We think it would be better to have an online system for having a drop/off and pick up place for people to be able to buy produce online and get it on-campus. There is a complicated process to this so it is hard to think about but getting a well-rounded online system would be best for students. A lot of these vendors accept EBT/SNAP benefits.
- There will be a food expo on September 15th in the Union Ballroom and will provide SGA with a table.
- Kaitlynn Adams Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
 - o She met with Brianne Basdeo about stuff that she would still like to accomplish.
 - Cultural Learning project, she had a meeting with the HLSU staff and was recommended to just get lunch with the agencies to make them feel like you don't always have to be professional. So, when stuff goes wrong in the community, that is not the only time that we are reaching out. This ensures that our outreach is not performative but deeply rooted in the community. She has set up a meeting with the JSU staff and will be calling BSU and VSU to set up a meeting soon.
 - The Woman's Honorary is going to be in tuned with inclusive language and will work for people who do not identify as women too.
- Liz laconis Director of Academic Engagement
 - o Dr. Barry suggested that we work with the registrar for future projects. Liz cannot find anything online about the registrar's office. She also reached out to Dr. Chicken, the Chair of the Faculty Senate, to establish a relationship for a syllabus registry. This will also be extended into audit work for people who have had negative experiences with Professor's. Liz also has plans to get tutoring resources put into everyone's syllabi.
- Mike Delcin Director of Communications
 - He is working on posts for the highlighting series that Cabinet will be doing.
 - Working on the yard signas for Garnet and Gold Votes and the yard signs.



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- Savannah Stewart Director of Special Projects
 - For an FSView column, Savannah has reached out and is waiting for a response for the meeting.
 - For the Women's Honorary, they have found a sponsor and will be setting up the constitution soon.
 - Waiting to set up a meeting with Faith Jankowski looking for resources to get cameras on the blue lights. Had a conversation with Khamare to discuss why the burden to pay for those are on the head of Student Government. There have been conversations with Nimna and Brandan to keep on the Subject.
 - SGA Today is going to be the new SGA handbook. Miranda will be doing the SGA handbook to create the documents. I will be reaching out to Brandan Gabay to see if he is comfortable incorporating the agencies resources into the book. There is a lot of information that needs to go in these.
- VACANT Director of Accessibility
- VACANT Director of Wellness

Discussion

- Savannah Presidential Scholars will definitely have seeds stockpiled that will be free.
- Jack You can have a partnership with Lowes to get the dying plants and have those to pass out on campus and maybe have sustainable campus join in and nurse them back to health. You can also have the agencies and bureaus to pass out their past stuff to give out.

Announcements

- WSU has its first GBM about Body Positivity and Self Love next Thursday at 6 PM
- BSU is having a Self Care GBM next Thursday at 6 PM
- BSU is also having auditions for Wilding Out
- HLSU is starting Hispanic Heritage Month on next Thursday with an HSLU SGA showcase

Adjournment

A meeting of the Executive Cabinet was adjourned at 6:23 PM

Minute Keeper: Jack Hitchcock

Date: 9/8/22

Approved By: Jack Hitchcock