Council on Student Affairs Full Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 27th, 2011 5-6pm Sphinx Centennial Suite, The Ohio Union

Minutes

Members In Attendance: Dr. James Mulick, Jeff Pelletier, Allen Cochran, Jake Bruner, Kierra Hill, Lance Ginn, Dr. Thelma Patrick, Anne Evans, Dr. Stoltzfus, Peter Koltak, Shirley Tan, Brandon, Chris Volpe, Dr. Javaune Adams-Gaston, and 3 others

Welcome

Overview of the Council

Announcements and Discussion

- Still looking to fill seats, especially faculty. Also need to submit Alternates
- Student Health Insurance will be a big factor this year
- Speakers we want to hear from
 - o Brandon- Jeff Travis about Transportation & Parking
 - o Ann Someone from Housing
 - o Peter Someone to discuss state education plan and costs
- Student Organization Registration Guidelines

Committee Structure

Alternate Policy

Requests for Discussion or Speakers

Student Government Updates

- CGS
 - •Very Busy! Had a very successful Welcome Week, 530 in attendance at Friday event. Great shirts this year also ©
 - Parking privatization & housing are big concerns for graduate & professional students, international especially
 - Departments need to work on relationships between advisors and advisees working on this currently
 - Making appointments to university committees
 - Opening elections for seats from approximately 20 departments

• IPC

- Parking is a concern
- Delegate orientation last Sunday was very successful
- Professional Development Fund -helps reimburse programming
- Branding and marketing with OUAB next week

- Restructure service activities this quarter- work with Mid-Ohio Food Bank
- Working with individual colleges student councils
 - •Meeting with Deans as a large group
- Doing a soccer tournament

•USG

- Great Welcome Week!
- •Intern program starts in 2 Weeks
- •My Switch is up!
- •Winter: Launching Book Swap project
- •Senate: By-law review for semester conversion. Working on reorganizing USG for the change
 - •Challenge senate with "Project Initiative" for committees, want 5 by the end of the year
- •Health and wellness work, Sexual Violence Awareness Fund

<u>Student Life Update</u> – Dr. Javaune Adams-Gaston

- "Creating the Extraordinary Student Experience"
 - o Curricular and co-curricular -what that means
 - o 1st pre-graduation survey was administered last Spring
 - Most (70%) of undergraduates and graduate students will work in Ohio
 - Want to do this every quarter
 - O Sophomore students- want to uphold 2 year on-campus living requirement but can't because there is not enough space
 - Want to have variety in living experiences
 - What's important for sophomores?
 - o Students consistently rate OSU's ability to help post-graduation low, what can be done
 - o Regional campuses-How can we help these students have an extraordinary experience?

Comments

- Do quarterly assignments for alternates
- Look at structure of Rec Sports and CSA relationship Peter
- Dining facilities and meal plan restructuring, nutrition changes as well
- Questions- How to incorporate the Student Wellness Center, SVC, RHAC, etc.

Announcements

- Next Full Council Meeting 10/11
- Subcommittee Assignments to be emailed out

Adjournment

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