



COUNCIL ON STUDENT AFFAIRS

MEETING AGENDA

3:30 PM – 5:00 PM

APRIL 4TH, 2022

Attendance: Caroline Karwisch, Stacey Renker, Baffoa Baffoe-Essifie, Kidron Stamper, Ryan Skinner, Peter Carrera, Mandy Fox, Sarah Heemstra, Gabe Myers, Jordan Kalthoff, Brian Mendard, Andrew Crow, Jeremy Gabis, Alisa Tate, Jill Heathcock, Brittany Crall, Will Vu, Kelsey Lowman

Old Business

1. Approval of Meeting Minutes (March 21st, 2022)
 - a. Motion to approve by Jordan Kalthoff / Seconded by Gabe Myers

New Business

1. Approval of Agenda
 - a. Motion to approve by Jordan Kalthoff / Seconded by Gabe Myers
2. Updates and Questions with Dr. Melissa Shivers, Senior Vice President for Student Life
 - a. Gratitude is important!!
 - b. The flexibility and productiveness around COVID is always appreciated and admired
 - c. Looking into \$15 minimum wage for ~5,000 Student Life Student Employees
 - d. Continue to reassess and grow as time goes on
 - e. Scarlet and Great Gatherings are used to garner feedback and comments on Student Life
3. Presentation and Questions with Dr. Qiana Smith, Director of Residence Life & Dr. TJ Logan, Associate VP for Residential Experience
 - a. Residential life is from the time you become a student until the time you graduate
 - i. On and off campus
 - b. Above the big ten average in student worker compensation
 - i. Offering 50 cent retention bonus
 - ii. Want to get to the end goal of higher wages but do not want to decrease affordability for students overall (i.e., if wages increase so does tuition/housing fees)
 - iii. In the talks of changing *how* we pay people (free tuition, housing, meal plans, hourly wage, etc.)
 - c. Working on bringing together housing and residential life
 - d. Creating a master plan where they will look at 7 million square feet across Student Life and plan on how facilities work for students
 - e. Now students have access to their own residential communities but not all
 - f. Prayer room on North Campus
 - g. Combination of virtual and in person has allowed stronger interactions with branch campuses
4. Introduction of A Resolution to Support Student Workers and the Call for a \$15 Minimum Wage
 - a. Motion to introduce resolution Kelsey Lowman / Seconded by Gabe Myers
 - b. Vote will occur at next meeting
5. Committees: Issues & Allocations
 - a. Issues- Kelsey Lowman
 - i.
 - b. Allocations- Peter Carrera
 - i. One appeal to review- Approved 11 votes
6. Student Government Updates
 - a. USG
 - i.

“CSA serves as the principal link between students, the student governments, the faculty and administration to encourage a sense of community and improve the quality of student life on campus.”



- b. CGS
 - i.
- c. IPC
 - i. On March 27th we had our senate meeting and first annual drag show put on by our LGBTQ+ affinity group which raised \$4,600 for the Kaleidoscope Youth Center – it was so, **so** fun, we will be doing it again. Our other big update was our elections for next year and results were as follows:
 - 1. Former CSA chair Anthony Long as President
 - 2. Myself as VP (which also means I will be staying on CSA for the upcoming year)
 - 3. Shihij Takoo from the College of Optometry as Secretary
 - ii. We have one more senate meeting on 4/10, and our interprofessional summit: Buckeyes Learn the Spectrum is taking place on 4/16.
- 7. Reminder: Chair Elections are next Meeting, April 18th
- 8. Open Floor/Announcements/ Questions
 - a.
- 9. Adjournment
 - a. Motion to adjourn by Gabe Myers / Seconded by Jordan Kalthoff

“CSA serves as the principal link between students, the student governments, the faculty and administration to encourage a sense of community and improve the quality of student life on campus.”