## **UNIVERSITY SENATE**

Shared Governance at The Ohio State University

# COUNCIL ON STUDENT AFFAIRS MEETING AGENDA 3:30PM - 5:00 PM APRIL 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2021

Call to Order & Land Acknowledgement 3:33pm Rollcall

Kelsey Lowman, Caroline Karwisch, Peyton Batiato, Elizabeth Painter, Abby Grieff, Stephen Post, DaVonti' Haynes, Josh Canavan, Shivani Patel, Jordan Vajda, Jill Heathcock, Mandy Smith, Ryan Skinner Alisa Tate, Karen Leuthold, Dr. Matt Couch, Angela Britton, Danny Dr. Glassman

Approval of Agenda Approval of Meeting Minutes (April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020) Both agenda and minutes were approved and accepted.

#### Presentations

- Maureen Cahill | Director, OSU Student Health Insurance
  - o Students have options to enroll or not into student health insurance, annually
    - International students do not have the options to leave the coverage.
  - o SHI is a form of individual insurance, designed to follow student
  - o Includes Medical, mental health, prescription, vision and dental in PPO network
  - Allows the price to focus on student populations which keeps SHI affordable, no platinum plans
  - Developed a terminology translator
  - OSU's SHI's plan is consistent in enrollment but did see a decrease due to COVID-19 and consequential factors
  - o COVID-19 had minimal impact to benefits because of nature of insurance coverage and following...
  - o New website coming soon.
- **Dr. Tanisha Jenkins** | Associate VP for Belonging & Inclusion, Student Life
  - O You can call me Dr. T.
  - o Work with MCC, SLDS, Social Change, and strategic initiatives
  - o No presentation but spoke about scope of work of belonging and mattering.
  - Experiences in her undergraduate time impacted the woman she is and the work she does related to inclusion and belonging.
  - o Still listening and gauging where we are and who we are...
  - o Synergy is on the horizon.

Old Business

New Business

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- 1. Proposal to change operating fund procedures re: Funding window, Audit deadlines, and votes from allocations for vague requests. (Brittany Crall & Angela Britton)
  - a. Proposal is available.
  - b. Motion by Davonti
  - c. Caroline Karwisch second
  - d. 13 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain

Do you agree with the proposal to create two funding windows for operating funds?

Do you agree with the proposal to modify the "other" budget category for operating funds: "Organizations who request funds for operating expenses that do not appear on this list shall be voted on by the CSA allocations committee."

- a. Motion by caroline
- b. karen second
- c. 13 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain
- 2. CSA Elections
  - a. Chair (student member)
    - i. Caroline Nominated by Kelsey
    - ii. Caroline is declared elected CSA chair
    - iii. No objection
    - iv. Will be a graduate student next school year and excited to continue this work
      - 1. Issue committee go into a new direction—given covid considerations
        - a. Childcare,
        - b. Technology
      - 2. Make CSA more accessible and relevant
      - 3. Collaboration
  - b. Vice Chair (faculty or staff member)
    - i. Davonti Haynes nominated Karen Leuthold
    - ii. Karen, only nominee and voted by objection
      - 1. None.
        - a. Karen declared VC for CSA
    - iii. Karen: 7<sup>th</sup> year at OSU Marion. CSA has connected more than anything else.
      - 1. Orientation
      - 2. Visibility
      - 3. Support the CSA committees
- 3. Committee Reports
  - a. Issues Chair: Elizabeth Painter

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- i. Thank you!
- b. Allocations Chair: Caroline Karwisch
  - i. Ad hoc meeting to get through the last 3, 7 total. 4 denied, 3 moved forward.
- 4. Student Government Updates
  - a. USG
    - i. Transition of Administration, interviews for senior leadership in USG
    - ii. Calling monetary assistance and other tangible support for the consequences of Chitt Fest and lack of management
    - iii. USG's Statement on the Destructive Mass Gathering on Chittenden Avenue:

https://m.box.com/shared\_item/https%3A%2F%2Fosu.box.com%2Fs%2F31me92xpwmuyhtg501dqph2pkohsik02

- b. CGS
  - i. Reclassification of Gas
  - ii. Applications for positions are available.
  - iii. Transition of Administrations
  - iv. Graduate Wellness Week went well, and Hayes Research Forum went well.

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- c. IPC
  - i. Transition of Administration
  - ii. Burden of 2 test for students brought to Dr. Johnson and situation rectified.
- a. Office of Student Life: Updates with Danny Glassman, DOS
  - i. Congratulations to new leadership.
  - ii. ChittFest, workgroups being formed to create proactive solutions
  - iii. Get vaccinated and follow guidelines
  - iv. Matt Couch: Thank you to Chair, Jordan and VC Mandy, A'va Dukes, Secreaary and all student who have contributed to CSA.

Adjournment 5:00pm

#### Dr. Tanisha Jenkins, Associate Vice President for Belonging and Inclusion

Dr. Tanisha L. Jenkins has a strong track record of administrative success in advancing organizations' inclusion and equity cultures and initiatives. She came to Ohio State after serving

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as the Director of Multicultural Student Life at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville, Tennessee (UTK) where she is responsible for providing the overall leadership, strategic direction, and management of the Office of Multicultural Student Life and the Frieson Black Cultural Center. Dr. Jenkins has also served as the Director of Multicultural Affairs at Western Carolina University in Cullowhee, NC and worked for Clemson University's Gantt Intercultural Center in Clemson, SC.

Dr. Jenkins received a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Presbyterian College in Clinton, SC, a Master of Education in Counselor Education with a concentration in Higher Education Administration from Clemson University in Clemson, SC, and a Doctorate of Philosophy in Educational Leadership and Policy Studies with a focus in Higher Education Administration from the University of Tennessee. Dr. Jenkins' educational research agenda primarily focuses on the importance of diversity, equity and inclusion initiatives in higher education, collegiate experiences of students of color attending predominately White institutions, and the experiences of Black women in higher education and senior student affairs leadership. She is a past president of the Southern Association for College Student Affairs (SACSA), former NASPA Region III Advisory Board Member, and the 2020 recipient of the NASPA Region III James E. Scott Outstanding Mid-Level Student Affairs Professional Award.

As the Associate Vice President for Belonging and Inclusion, Dr. Jenkins supports Disability Services, the Multicultural Center, Social Change, training and development for staff and programs that advance Student Life's inclusion efforts.

yes or no