

# SRSGA Formal Meeting Minutes

March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024

## **Call to order - President Bloom**

This formal meeting was called to order by President Bloom on Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 5:01 pm

## **Roll Call – VP Bell**

### **Executive Board**

- a) Ella Bloom – President
- b) Sydney Rezzetano – VP of Finance
- c) Braydon Godfrey – VP of Student & Academic Affairs
- d) Robbi Austin – VP of Outreach
- c) Hunter Bell - VP of Internal Affairs
- f) Liz Hood – VP of Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, & Belonging
- g) Ezeck Warren – Parliamentarian
- h) Emily Steele - Speaker of the Senate

### **College of Business**

- a) Senator George
- b) Senator Johnston
- c) Senator Wolfe
- d) Senator Wallace

### **College of Education**

- a) Senator Cessna
- b) Senator Gable
- c) Senator Ecklund

### **College of Health Professions**

- a) Senator Bradeis
- b) Senator Krizmanich
- c) Senator Steele

### **College of Engineering & Science**

- a) Senator Schmidt
- b) Senator Snyder
- c) Senator Kuth

### **College of Liberal Arts**

- a) Senator Czerniewski
- b) Senator Mortensen
- c) Senator Isenberg
- d) Senator Spradling

### **Commuter**

- a) Senator Double
- b) Senator Snyder

### **Residence Hall**

- a) Senator Burchell
- b) Senator Carbone

### **Transfer**

- a) Senator Hale

### **Veteran**

- a) Senator Snodgrass

## **International**

a)

### **Athlete**

a) Senator Delcoco

### **First-year**

a) Senator Maharg

b) Senator Pavlicko

c) Senator Sennett

d) Senator Williams

### **Graduate**

### **At-Large**

a) Senator Caroff

b) Senator Ogoreuc

c) Senator Fabo

d) Senator Siatkosky

### **Advisors**

a) Patrick Beswick

b) Wendy Leitera

### **APSCUF Representative**

a) Dr. Sararose Lynch

**Excused: VP Austin, Senator Schmidt, Senator Bradeis, Senator Double, Senator Snodgrass**

**Absent: Senator Hale, Senator O. Snyder**

**Guest Speakers: N/A**

**Rockstar of the Week: N/A**

### **Officer/Committee Reports:**

**President Bloom** - Green Fund – Bio department is working very hard to make sure the grant goes in. SGA will be the face behind the project. The grant is due April 1st; Meeting with Dr. Riley on Friday; Letter of Support Request to apply for a grant to send to Senator Bob Casey's office to support university police wearing body cams. I would like to get your support in this meeting; If you are running for an executive board position, I would highly recommend meeting with the current person in that role; Office Hours and Contact Information Listed.

**Senator Carbone:** I think we should definitely do this because it not only protects student safety but also officer safety.

**Parl. Warren:** All kinds of accountability is good. This is useful and helps make sure police are held accountable.

**VP Godfrey** – SAA Meets at 3:30 on Mondays in SSC 325; Student Life Survey is Live – We are close to 700 already; Campus Crawl part 2 will occur on April 19<sup>th</sup> at 3 pm; Met with Provost

Zieg regarding the academic integrity policy and external review of SRU programs; Office Hours and Contact Information is listed.

**VP Rezzetano** – Finance meets on Wednesdays at 11 am in SSC 319; We are currently reviewing budgets; Office Hours and Contact Information is listed; Finance Report – I am aware this looks quite big, but these are all national club sports events and SGA related. Flights are expensive, which is part of why they are so large. Club sports cannot budget for their national competitions. We made sure we still will have money to cover new initiative requests for the rest of the year. These will likely be the last of our finance requests for the academic year.

**VP Austin** – Please spread the word about SLS; SLS table event on Thursday in the SSC lobby during Common Hour; Outreach Committee meets on Wednesdays at 5 pm in SSC 324; Office Hours and Contact Information listed.

**VP Bell** – The Annual Banquet is on April 15<sup>th</sup> from 5-8 pm; If you want to help with that, join us at Internal Committee, we meet on Mondays at 4 pm in SSC 324; Final Bonding Event – Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup> during Common Hour. Succulent planting destressing event; Office Hours and Contact Information listed.

**VP Hood** – Make sure you're attending diversity events; Currently crafting our advocacy letter with data from last week's informal; SJC meets on Mondays at 12 pm (last Committee Meeting 4/15); Office Hours and Contact Information listed.

**Parliamentarian Warren** – Rules & Policies is held at 2 on Tuesdays normally in SSC 319. Tomorrow, we will be in the SGA Office because the room was double-booked; The candidate debate is this Thursday in SSC 323 during Common Hour. I would recommend anyone running for E-Board to attend; Office Hours and Contact Information listed.

**Speaker Steele** – Office Hours due by 5 pm on Sundays; Our next informal meeting will be the Ice cream social in the Building F Great Room. While you do not have to dress formally, please keep in mind that you are representing the student body in front of the president.

### **Commission Reports:**

**Thomas Siatkosky (GIESO):** We went through the constitution and made sure things were all good.

### **Rock of the Week: Senator Maharg**

**VP Godfrey:** From the start of this year, this senator came out swinging. He always shows up, always asks questions, and really tries to get a deeper meaning for what we do in SAA.

### **Open Forum:**

**Tony Lazzari:** I am here to invite this organization to an open forum meeting that will likely occur in a couple of months. There is currently an evaluation of the economic sustainability of the SHC. This could mean potentially outsourcing the health center. I currently oversee 14 different university health centers, 5 of which have been outsourced. I am here because a hard decision has not yet been made. I and other nurses have not yet been invited to any of these meetings. While they have said they are not looking towards outsourcing, but have continued to have discussions on the matter. I believe this decision should also involve students.

**Senator Schmidt:** Who was on this committee if you or the nurses weren't?

**Tony Lazzari:** The Rocket covered this in an article that I can provide.

**Dr. Sararose Lynch:** Will students have to have a set insurance policy other than the university?

**Tony Lazzari:** It would no longer be in the student's control

**Old Business:** N/A

**New Business:**

**Motion #1: I move to approve the minutes from the March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024 formal meeting.**

**First – Senator Isenberg**

**Second – Senator Sennett.**

**Senator Isenberg:** Everyone received the email.

**Motion Passes**

**Motion #2: I move to approve the March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Finance Report as read.**

**First – Senator Wolfe**

**Second – Senator Pavlicko**

**Senator Wolfe:** Everyone should have a copy and it is very detailed.

**Motion Passes**

**APSCUF Report:**

**Dr. Sararose Lynch:** Hi, sorry I haven't been present this year like last year. Faculty is voting on their new contract next week, so you will see a lot of faculty moving to the APSCUF House to vote.

**Advisor Reports**

**Wendy Leitera:** We are going to push the student life survey to all students in your classes and residence halls. The more students take the survey, the better data SGA will have. Voting for elections begins next Monday. If you are running for a position, be smart. If you are unsure on something, just ask. Please encourage your peers to vote.

**Patrick Beswick:** There are only 40 days until May 4<sup>th</sup>, so please do not put off your assignments. Tickets are still on sale for the Wiz Khalifa concert. They have now opened it up to friends and families. Congratulations to Parliamentarian Warren for putting together the elections and keeping everything running smoothly.

**Adjournment** – I move to adjourn this meeting at 5:32 pm

**First: Senator Isenberg**

**Second: Senator Williams**

**Nays – 3**

**Motion Passes**