

DASB SENATE MINUTES Wednesday, April 13th, 2016 3:30 pm

Student Council Chambers

Teleconference Link: Skype: dasb.senate

Chair: Matthew Zárate
Contact: dasbpresident@fhda.edu

<u>Call to Order</u> Matthew called to order at 3:33PM <u>Roll Call</u>

	Present	Absent	Late	Left Early	Excused
Matthew Zarate	X				
Stephanie Rigsby	X				
Indu Kundam			X (3:43PM)		
Jennifer Tanko	X				
Keith Lara	X				
Faris Waiteasa	X				
Klara Mairentia	X				
Chi Tran	X				
Mohammad Tabrizi			X (3:45PM)		
Kevin Nam Hoang	X				
Coriena Andy	X				
Sobia Chahal			X		
Dom Cook	X				
Holly Iong	X				
Puneet Kaur	X				
Chung Heng Lee	X				
Anastasia Levchenko	X				
Victor Lim	X				
Carlos Malfitano	X				

Faiz Mujidid		X	
Keerthana Muthukrishnan	X		
Vanessa Ramirez	X		
Kurumi Sasaki	X		
Dara Streit	X		
Upey Tanu		X	
Deep Thathi	X		

Public Announcements

- 4 Elements Hip Hop Organization De Anza is having a concern on Thursday, April 21 at 9PM 2AM
- Democratic Debate Watch Party will be hosted by De Anza for Bernie on April 14th at the Conference Room

Senate Announcements

• Thao said institutional memories projected is online for senators to take a look. Also some former senators will be mentors for the new senators.

Trustee Announcements

- Arjun introduced himself as the De Anza Student Trustee and welcomed the new senate
- The district saves 51% of water consumption outdoor in 2015

Internal Committee Reports

External Committee Report

Consent Calendar

Business Items

1. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

Title: Announcing Prospective Committees

This item is to discuss the expectations of each committee throughout the 2016-2017

DASB term.

Presenter: Matthew Zárate

Time: 25 Minutes

- Faris said he will give training for senators and interns about designing applications
- Michelle showed the design request forms to Marketing
- Michelle said requests must be made 2 week in-advance
- Chi said chi expected ES senators have passions in their works

2. <u>INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION</u>

Title: Appointing DASB Committees

This item is to discuss and take action on appointing Senators to internal committees

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Presenter: Matthew Zárate

Time: 1 Hour

- Deep, Stephanie, Keerthana, Coriena, Sobia, Lee Chung Heng, and Puneet are interested in becoming Finance Senators.
- Matthew said 5 candidates get the most votes from the senate will be selected to become Finance Senators

Deep got 22 votes yes



Stephanie got 23 votes yes



Keerthana got 24 votes yes

	Keerthana	Υ	es: 24	No: 0	Abs: 1
1	Matthew	2	Stephanie		
3	Kevin	4	Keerthana		
5	Indu	6	Jennufer		
7	Deep	8	Keith		
9	Faris	10	Klara		
11	Anastasia	12	Carlos		
13	Chi	14	Mohammad		
15	Chung Heng	16	Kurumi		
17	Victor	18	N/A		
19	Holly	20	N/A		
21	N/A	22	N/A		
23	Coriena	24	N/A		
25	Dara	26	Tutantra		
27	Puneet	28	Sobia		
29	Dom	30	Faiz		

Coriena got 12 votes yes



Sobia got 21 votes yes

	Sobia	Y	es: 21	No: 1	Abs: 3
1	Matthew	2	Stephanie		
3	Kevin	4	Keerthana		
5	Indu	6	Jennufer		
7	Deep	8	Keith		
9	Faris	10	Klara		
11	Anastasia	12	Carlos		
13	Chi	14	Mohammad		
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Lee Chung Heng got 4 votes yes



Puneet got 21 votes yes

Tuneet got 21 votes yes	
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1 Matthew	2 Stephanie
3 Kevin	4 Keerthana
5 Indu	6 Jennufer
7 Deep	8 Keith
9 Faris	10 Klara
11 Anastasia	12 Carlos
13 Chi	14 Mohammad
15 Chung Heng	16 Kurumi
17 Victor	18 N/A
19 Holly	20 N/A
21 N/A	22 N/A
23 Coriena	24 N/A
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27 Puneet	28 Sobia
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The senators in finance committee are Sobia, Puneet, Deep, Keerthana, and Stephanie

	De Anza Associated Student Body Senate 2016-17									
Internal Committee Roster										
Committe e	Administratio n	Finance	Studen t Rights & Service s	Technolog y	Environment al Sustainability	Marketin g	Diversit y & Events			
Time / Date	Friday 12:30PM	Monday 3:45PM	Tuesday 3:30PM	Friday 10:30AM	Thursday 3:30PM/ Senate Office	Wednesda y 11:30PM	Monday 4:00PM			
Chair	Indu Kundam	Jennifer Tanko	Keith Lara	Mohammed Tabrizi	Chi Tran	Faris Waiteasa	Klara Mairentia			
Vice Chair										
	Holly	Sobia	Sobia	Dom	Dom	Faiz	Tanu			
	Anastasia	Puneet	Puneet	Lee	Dara	Carlos	Holly			
Members	Stephanie	Deep	Dara	Faris	Keith	Kevin	Faiz			
Members	Matthew	Keerthan a	Kurumi	Indu	Carlos	Victor	Victor			
	Coriena	Stephani e	Chi		Kevin	Dom	Kurumi			

	Carlos		Coriena
	Lee		Anastasia

- Deep moved to approve the Internal Committees Roster for DASB 2016-2017 as above
 - o Seconded by Stephanie
- No objections to end the discussion

Roll call vote to approve the Internal Committees Roster for DASB 2016-2017



Senate approves the 2016-2017 Internal Committees Roster

3. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

Title: SSCCC Region IV Presentation

This item is to discuss the importance & relevance of SSCCC Region IV & statewide

involvement.

Presenters: Naeema Kaleem & Dahlia Salem

Time: 30 Minutes

Naeema and Dahlia presented





Student Senate for California Community
Colleges

Brief Overview of the California Community Colleges

Today, California represents the largest system of higher education in the world, having:

113 Community Colleges

72 districts

2.3 million students

The Chancellor's Office and Board of Governors were created by legislation passed in 1967 (prior to that, the community colleges were under the jurisdiction of the State Board of Education)

Chancellor's Office Advisory Committees

Student Representatives are needed to participate on statewide advisory committees and task forces. There is a wide spectrum of specialized programs that benefit from having the perspective of students who are consumers of these services.

Areas which students can have significant influence (9+1):

Grading policies

Codes of student conduct

Academic disciplinary policies

Curriculum development

Courses or programs which should be initiated or discontinued

Processes for institutional planning & budget development

Standards & policies regarding student preparation & success

Student services planning & development

Student fees within the authority of the district to adopt

Anything else that your district or college thinks will have a significant impact on students

Board of Governors: More than a fee waiver

Sets policies and provides guidance to the districts and colleges in the system

Two student members, one voting and one non-voting, are appointed by the Governor to serve on the Board.

The Chancellor's Office also provides funding for two Student Senate representatives to attend Board meetings to be informed on important policy matters and to testify on behalf of students.

CCCCO funds monthly SSCCC Council meetings

Applications are currently being accepted

Assembly Bill 1725 (Vasconcellos)

In 1988, Assembly Bill 1725 created a new governance structure for community colleges

Required local governing boards to:

Ensure faculty, staff and students have the right to participate effectively in district and college governance

Provide them the opportunity to express opinions at the campus level

Ensure these opinions are given every reasonable consideration

Ensure the right of academic senates to assume primary responsibility for making recommendations in the areas of curriculum and academic standards

How to Comply with AB 1725?

In September 1990, the Board of Governors adopted an initiative in response to AB 1725 entitled, Encouraging Greater Student Participation in Governance

Laid out a framework for local districts and the system to include student participation in every possible venue

Recognized the Council of Student Body Governments (CSBG) (Grandfathers of the SSCCC) as the official organization representing students in the statewide Consultation process

CSBG & CalSacc

CSBG

Overwhelmed responsibility

Conflict of interest

CalSacc

Membership dues based

Improper use of funding & fees

Creation of the Student Senate for California Community Colleges

Call to Action - A new structure for the Student Senate that was inclusive and provided an effective way to engage in state level shared governance was needed

May 7, 2006 - Student Senate's Birthday

Student Senate for California Community Colleges Constitution was ratified

What is the SSCCC?

The Student Senate for California Community Colleges is the officially recognized statewide student association that represents the 113 local student governments to the Board of Governors and the Chancellor's Office.

Through the SSCCC, community colleges of California may have a formal and effective means for participation in formation and implementation of state policies that have or may have a significant impact on students.

Purpose of SSCCC

Legislative Advocacy

Introduce or lobby for pertinent legislation

Act as the voice of the system at the capitol

Analyze and advocate during the budget process

System Advocacy

Ensure students are represented at committees of impact

Critically provide input on the BoG budget request

Regularly revise regulation and education code

Regional Support

Provide resources and support to ASOs/Regions

Provide influence at the district level when needed

Conduct Voter
Registration drives

10 Regions

Region I- 6 Colleges

Region II- 11 Colleges

Region III- 13 Colleges

Region IV - 13 Colleges

Region V- 11 Colleges

Region VI - 9 Colleges

Region VII - 14 Colleges

Region VIII - 14 Colleges



Region IV Structure

Each Region comprises of the following members:

One delegate from each of the Associated Student Organizations of the Region

Executive Officers:

Chair

Vice-Chair Secretary

Treasurer

Communications Officer
Outreach Coordinator

Justice

3 Regional Senators

(2 Governance & Policy, 1 External Affairs)

Cabrillo

Chabot

De Anza

Foothill

Gavilan

Hartnell

Mission

Ohlone

Las Positas



Regional Goals

Provide students at every community college the opportunity and encouragement to participate

Maintain an effective communications system among the colleges, regions and with statewide representatives

Encourage participation by local student governments

Ensure mechanisms for participants to be supported and well-informed

Create an infrastructure that is sustainable as students transition

Insist that student leaders be responsible and accountable

Keep the students' interest at the forefront

Region IV Vision

Region IV strives to establish equity, accessibility, and transparency for all students through continual encouragement, empowerment, and advocacy. We dedicate all procedures and accomplishments to accommodating the unique needs of each student in order to foster an inclusive, progressive learning community.

What is the role of a Delegate?

Attend all Region IV meetings

Reading the agenda and packet before each meeting Preparing any comments or questions

Coming prepared to represent the interests of your college for any motion within the scope of the agenda items on the agenda

Submitting any agenda item requests and campus reports at the times specified in advance

College Delegates

Bringing information requested of your campus to the table

Dedicating time outside of meetings to Region IV

Maintain the minimum availability necessary to perform duties

Supervise the finances, policy positions, and general operations of Region IV

Empower your campus through your voice & vote at General Assembly

Why Get Involved?

Representation

Serve as the voice of 200,000 community college students before critical decision makers & advocate with them

Collaboration

Foster relationships with your local ASO, districts, & statewide organization

Exchange best practices

Communication

Create a network with student leaders across the region & state Celebration of student victories

Accountability

Keep your elected officials accountable for decisions that directly impact CCC students

How To Get Involved

Find out who your ASO's delegate is

Contact your regional senators/chair

Attend our region meetings

Next Region meeting: April 22, 2016 at Evergreen Valley College

Join Region IV's internal committees/SSCCC's standing committees

Attend Advocacy in April!

Thursday, April 21, Sacramento State Capitol

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Meeting Schedule

Friday, April 22nd, 2016 at Evergreen Valley College

Sunday, May 1st, 2016 at General Assembly (Ontario, CA)

Friday, May 27th, 2016 at Foothill College

Friday, June 24th, 2016 at Cabrillo College

Executive Board

Chair: Naeema Kaleem

Vice Chair: Ernesto Infante

Secretary: Mary Rasooli

Treasurer: Choi Hou Leong

Communications Officer: David DiDenti

Outreach Coordinator: Segen Gebrehiwet

Regional Senators

External Affairs (1)

Dahlia Salem, Foothill College

Governance & Internal Policy (2)

Naeema Kaleem, De Anza College

Courtney Cooper, Foothill College



Questions? Contact us!

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4. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION

Title: Legislative Affairs Officer Election

This item is to elect a delegate to SSCCC Region IV.

Presenter: Matthew Zárate

Time: 20 Minutes

• Dom, Kevin, Carlos showed interested in the position and gave speeches

Kevin got 15 votes yes

	Kevin	Υ	es: 15	No: 1	Abs: 1
1	Matthew	2	Stephanie		
3	Kevin	4	Keerthana		
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Dom got 4 votes yes

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	Dom		Yes: 4	No: 9	Abs: 4
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Carlos got 1 vote yes



Senate elects Kevin as a delegate to SSCCC Region IV.

Keerthana moved to enter the finance committee as the senate Seconded by Kevin No objections

5. <u>INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION</u> Title: SSCCC General Assembly Budget Transfer

This item is to discuss & take action on a budget transfer of \$1,500 from 41-52642-5510 (Advocacy Activities Conference & Travel) to 41-52640-5510 (SSCCC General Assemblies Conference & Travel).

Presenter: Naeema Kaleem

Time: 25 Minutes

Naeema presented

- Keerthana moved to enter the finance floor as the senate
 - Seconded by Kevin
 - No objections
- Deep moved to approve the budget transfer of \$1,354 from 41-52642-5510 (Advocacy Activities Conference & Travel) to 41-52640-5510 (SSCCC General Assemblies Conference & Travel).
 - o Seconded by Keerthana
- No objections to approve the budget transfer of \$1,354 from 41-52642-5510 (Advocacy Activities Conference & Travel) to 41-52640-5510 (SSCCC General Assemblies Conference & Travel).
- Senate left the finance floor and came back to the senate floor
- 6. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION

Title: General Assembly Conference Attendees

This item is to discuss & take action on appointing Senators to attend the SSCCC

General Assembly.

Presenter: Matthew Zárate

Time: 25 Minutes

• Stephanie, Sobia, Puneet, Matthew, Keith, Keerthana and Elias showed interests in attending SSCCC General Assembly

Elias got 5 votes yes



Keerthana got 10 votes yes



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Keith got 13 votes yes



Matthew got 7 votes yes



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Puneet got 1 vote yes



Sobia got 8 votes yes



Stephanie got 7 votes yes



Senate approved Keith, Sobia, Kevin, and Keerthana as SSCCC General Assembly Conference Attendees

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Adjournment
7:45PM