

07/06/17 SGA General Assembly

4-6PM - A428

Irene Nuñez- Meeting Host (Pledge- Pro-Temp Vote)

Aileen Sanchez- Meeting Host (Pro-Temp Vote- Adjournment)

- Pledge of allegiance

- Roll Call
 - Amrita T.– X/X
 - Ignacio H.– X/X
 - Aileen S. – X/X
 - Archie G.– X/X
 - Irene N.– X/X
 - Elizabeth B.– X/X
 - Faryal G.- A/A

- Approval of the agenda
 - Approved

- Introduction
 - Dean of Students S. Santos
- Induction
 - VP – Armita Tajadod by Director of Student Activities T. Kwasikpui
 - Senator Conformation
 - College of Science & Technology – Aileen Sanchez
 - Assistant to the President
 - Archie Gayle

- Debate/Vote/Confirmation for Pro-Temp Speaker
 - Candidates: Elizabeth Bosquez & Aileen Sanchez
 - Questions asked by Senior Senator of College of Science & Tech: Ignacio H.
 - Why are you interested in this position and makes you qualified for this position?
 - E.B.: was secretary for SGA last year, main duty taking meeting minutes. Have good knowledge of how GA are run and worked closely w/ the agenda. Other things to add: is a very strong position and important role, being in SGA learned a lot when it comes to leading. Have room for improvement and have qualities for the position.
 - A.S.: More involved in the school and wasn't involved in my freshmen year. Want to take part of in the role and be the voice

of others. I am qualified because I've been the previous speaker assistant and have seen first-hand experience on what it is to be in the position

- What have you done to promote more diversity in the university?
 - EB: have learned how diverse it is here on campus. Make sure that everyone deserves to be served equally. Promoting the diversity.
 - AS: important to get together with other organizations. If we can work with other people and orgs it'll make a bigger impact.
- Judging from your previous experience, will you be able to be unbiased?
 - AS: You should think of others and not what you want. Everyone want different things and should be listened to with an open ear.
 - EB: worked on E-board for a year and proud of SGA mission and values. We have to make sure all branches are collaborating together. Every branch is different but we can come to a solution, which is improving student life.
- What can you do to improve student more student involvement into our GA?
 - AS: interact more with the students, they'll feel the connection if we were able to talk to them and reach out to them personally. Mention on how they can see what we've spoken about
 - EB: There is never enough promotion, there is never enough even if we did promote it. To increase participation, create more leadership roles within SGA without turning them down.
- What do you intend on improving within SGA
 - EB: fill up the roles as much as we can as possible and interview. Be able to have more roles for everyone.
 - AS: Reaching out to people personally about the available positions. Letting them aware and to spread the message even further. Get more connection with other
- Voting: By Ballot
 - Aileen Sanchez elected as Pro-Temp Speaker.
- Confirmation for Pro-Temp Speaker by Director of Student Activities T. Kwasikpui
 - Aileen Sanchez
- Confirmation for Pro-Temp Chief Justice by Director of Student Activities T. Kwasikpui
 - Irene Nuñez
- Executive Board by VP
 - The E-board will be working on special projects to better student life.
- Assistant to the President

- Will be working to assist President on Special Projects.
- Judicial Report
 - We must work on the Constitution and will be working on it the next few weeks. Will be working on a bill and be presented in the next GA. There will be a special election run by the Election Commissioner within the next 30 days. I will get into contact with the commissioner. Senator positions that have been applied to and be interviewed. Ideas for the Constitution and open to suggestions. Information is available.
- Senator Humanities Report (Elizabeth B.)
 - Student climate committee and sexual assault report
- Senator Science and Tech Report (Ignasio H.)
 - Work with Tremaine Kwasioku and others on improving student life. Contact information is available.
- Aileen Report
 - Will work with Senate to improve student activity as well as with Orgs.
- Open Forum
 - SWSCAN President 17-18 speaks: Need assistance getting student over to the other two buildings. There are events that can be held at the commerce building, but no one really visits. Wishes to work with SGA to tackle this issue.
- Exit Roll Call (Refer to Attendance results at top)
- Meeting Adjourned
 - Next General Assembly TBH.