

Student Government Association

The University of Texas at Tyler

November 7th, Minutes 2023

- I. **Call to Order**
- II. **Roll Call**
- III. **Approval of Minutes**
- IV. **Open Forum**
 - a.
 - V. **Speaker's Podium**
 - VI. **a. Dr. Christopher Holmquist and Dr. Lou Ann Berman**
 - Dr. Berman**
 - * Discussed the graduate exit survey and will be bringing back the results for the Senate to review.
 - Dr. Holmquist**
 - * Gave the QR code for graduate and undergraduate students to the senators to take as "Survey Testers"
 - * Survey will be LIVE for a week
 - * Please leave comments about your opinion on the survey
 - b. Scott Dillingham**
 - * Explained the purpose of micro credentials.
 - * Texas Labor Market Dashboard- helps compare job in different area and qualities they are looking for.
 - * When you sign up use your patriots email. This is available for alumni as well.
- VII. **Officer Reports**
 - a. President Dix- planned out the next three meetings, set up meetings with people to discuss our opinion on the new parking lot.
 - b. Vice-President Carnes- Assisting President Dix
 - c. Secretary Henry- Working on a post for instagram to inform students of open forum and making updates to website.
 - d. Treasurer Peters- Updating the Budget
 - e. Chief of Staff Tropp- working on rules committee and proposed ideas
- VIII. **Committee Reports**
 - a. Events- n/a
 - b. Communications- n/a
 - c. SGAC- met with HSA president, approved the amount of \$874. QSA \$253.25
 - d. Rules-n/a
 - e. ESC-n/a
- IX. **Student Voice Reports**
 - a. College of Business
 - Had an event that advances networking opportunities that build connections between the students in businesses in the community. The event was a success, and some students were offered jobs.
 - Working on meeting with Dean.
 - Evaluating operating hours for COB and if students can have afterhours access.
 - Nov 9th there will be an event.
 - b. Pharmacy
 - Discussing Walgreens Pharmacy walk out, and how they can advocate for better circumstances.
 - c. School of Nursing

- Scheduling for classes in the spring, the asst. Dean mentioned that her biggest comments about the amount of nursing representatives. Would like more representation.
- Need more professors it affects the flexibility of the students.
- Distribution of fees.
- Making student more aware of continued education opportunities through the university.

Old Business

a.n/a

X. New Business

- **Pedestrian infrastructure.**

XI. Advisor Comments

- a. Josh Neaves
- Emphasizing the need to meet with Deans

XII. Announcements

- a. Joining a Committee
- Events: Tuesdays at 4:30pm in SGA Office
 - Communications: Mondays at 5:00pm via Zoom
 - SGAC: Wednesdays at 4:00pm via Zoom
 - Rules: Thursday at TBD
 - ESC: Wednesday 5:15 via zoom
- b. Student Regent Applications due November 20th

XIII. Next Week

XIV. a.

XV. Adjournment

6:33pm