**University of Illinois Springfield**

**Student Government Association**

**Meeting Minutes**

February 21, 2021

1. Meeting Called by Internal VP Moseley at 6:03 p.m.
2. Roll Call taken by Internal VP Mosely
   1. Present
      1. Internal VP Collin Moseley, External VP Nolan Flaherty, Treasurer Max Pernitsky, Secretary Citlaly Velazquez, Parliamentarian Mackenzi Matthews, Campus Resident Senator: Beatriz Acosta, College of Business and Management Senator: Menno Servaes, College of Libera Arts and Sciences Senator: Antone Evans, Jr., College of Public Affairs Senator: Taryn Christy, Online Student Senator: Tony Shomshor, Peoria Campus Senator: Angie Gin, Senator-at-Large: Joseph Partain, Senator-at-Large: Diego Prats, Undergraduate Student Senator: Leslie Herrera, Freshman Senator: Molly Harms, Transfer Student Senator: Samantha Wetter, International Student Senator: Emmanuelle Yakana
   2. Absent
      1. President Aislinn Diaz, BOT Representative Austin Verthein
3. Amend Agenda
   1. A motion was entertained by VP Mosley to amend the agenda of February 21, 2021 and add Resolution 17. So, moved by Treasurer Pernitsky, seconded by External VP Flaherty.

Unanimous Aye

1. Approval of the Agenda
   1. A motion was entertained by VP Mosley to approve of the agenda of February 21, 2021 as amended. So, moved by Treasurer Pernitsky, seconded by Senator Gin. Unanimous Aye
2. Approval of Minutes
   1. A motion was entertained by VP Mosley to approve the minutes of February 7, 2021. So, moved by Senator Acosta, seconded by Senator Shomshor.  
      Unanimous Aye
3. Audience Participation
   1. None
4. Administrative report
   1. Advisor Cynthia Thompson
      1. Student Leadership Center updates of water leak, working on fixing the leak and drying the carpet
5. Officer Reports
   1. President Diaz
      1. Absent and no reports
   2. BOT Representative Verthein
      1. Absent and reports
   3. Internal Vice-President Moseley
      1. Committee work
      2. Credit/no credit was officially changed
   4. Eternal Vice-President Flaherty
      1. Working on getting fans back to games, only 25 spots
      2. Will be meeting with Intercollegiate Campus Senate Committee
      3. Working with Senator Servaes
   5. Treasurer Pernitsky
      1. Looking back to look forward and COVID engaged series
      2. Reporter from The Chronicle and other expert on higher ed coming to speak
      3. Talked to other SGAs about civic engagement and improve within civic engagement
   6. Secretary Velazquez
      1. Absent and no reports
   7. Parliamentarian Matthews
      1. No reports
6. Senator Reports
   1. Senator Acosta
      1. AHA- William kirk had to leave early from meetings so no surveys sent out
      2. Want more March events like Valentine’s Day events
      3. IL Public interest research group- 100% renewable energy campaign and is waiting to hear back from them
   2. Senator Servaes
      1. Finance major discussion
      2. Email from Chuck with projects
   3. Senator Evans
      1. TEDX committee met for a work day
      2. 80% of work done
      3. Student Life Department bought rug, Student Union working to get gift items
      4. Met with venue, COVID protocols
      5. Question from IVP Moseley- Email, connection to the college- followed up. Did anything adjust the SGA allocation?- Rug $200, shipping fees, doesn’t know total figures
   4. Senator Christy
      1. Chuck emails, about bolder project
      2. Will have more after getting a response
   5. Senator Shomshor
      1. Gin and him participated in academic and planning recovery meeting
      2. Lots of confusion between students, faculty are just as confused
      3. Added additional committee meetings
      4. Question/Prats- Changing class format last minute?- conversation about slow rolling into semester again, first few weeks online
   6. Senator Gin
      1. Same meeting as Shomshor
      2. Peoria campus, ICC will be online for the summer
      3. Internships are going well, conversation with Rob Weiss
   7. Senator Partain
      1. Discussed with Parliamentarian Matthews about current parking tickets
      2. Interested in PIRG
   8. Senator Prats
      1. No reports, still wanting an open mic for sexual assault awareness
   9. Senator Herrera
      1. Potential budget for the menstrual product tabling event
   10. Senator Harms
       1. No survey sent out this week
   11. Senator Wetter
       1. Update on quarantining on campus- sending it to Diego
       2. Zoom transfer student fair, Transfer Tuesdays
       3. Still wants to make a separate event because there was a time limit
   12. Senator Yakana
       1. Keeping up with international student services events
       2. Emailed them and they have received 45 new students, new student from Norway
       3. Commencement ceremony questions, question for Collin
       4. Collin- discussions going on
       5. Nolan- committee
       6. Mackenzi- something is being planned
       7. Partain- reference SIU medicine graduation
       8. Collin- for it, write a resolution
       9. Diego- Vaccine information
       10. COVID contract tracing, knocking on doors is not a good way to let them know
7. Committee Reports
   1. Executive Board Committee
      1. Campus Senate- massive amount of academic restructuring
   2. Internal Affairs Committee
      1. Parking and having to pay for ticket before you can do anything about it
      2. Potential commuter parking spots
      3. Meeting Wednesday at 5:30
   3. External Relations and Marketing Committee
      1. Sexual assault awareness
      2. Director of Recruitment- presented at Campus Senate, marketing strategies for enrollment
      3. Meeting on upcoming Sunday
      4. IVP Moseley- Campus Senate, follow up
   4. Rules of Constitution Committee
      1. Discuss the minutes that had to be fixed
      2. Nolan asked our interests on Secretary Velazquez
      3. Started to explain resolution added to new business
         1. A motion was entertained by VP Mosley to approve the minutes of 9/13, 9/27, 10/11, 10/25, 11/22. So, moved by Senator Acosta, seconded by Senator Shomshor.

Unanimous Aye

1. Old Business
   1. None
2. New business
   1. Resolution 16- Menstrual Map Tabling Event
      1. Question from Senator Shomshor- the school should be regularly funding this
      2. A motion was entertained by IVP Moseley to vote on Resolution 16. So, moved by Treasurer Pernitsky, seconded by Senator Prats.  
         Roll Call Vote taken by Secretary Velazquez
         1. IVP Moseley-aye
         2. Treasurer Pernitsky- aye
         3. Secretary Velazquez- aye
         4. Senator Acosta- aye
         5. Senator Servaes- aye
         6. Senator Evans, Jr.- aye
         7. Senator Christy- aye
         8. Senator Shomshor- aye
         9. Senator Gin- aye
         10. Senator Partain- aye
         11. Senator Prats- aye
         12. Senator Herrera- aye
         13. Senator Harms- aye
         14. Senator Yakana- aye
             1. Resolution passes
   2. Resolution 17- Looking Back to Look Forward
      1. Getting SGA’s name on the sponsorship
         1. Unanimous aye
            1. Resolution passes
   3. Resolution 18-Looking back to look forward funding
      1. Allocating $500 to advertisement
         1. A motion was entertained by IVP Moseley to vote on Resolution 18. So, moved by Treasurer Pernitsky, seconded by Senator Herrera.  
            Roll Call Vote taken by Secretary Velazquez
            1. IVP Moseley-aye
            2. Treasurer Pernitsky- aye
            3. Secretary Velazquez- aye
            4. Senator Acosta- aye
            5. Senator Servaes- aye
            6. Senator Evans, Jr.- aye
            7. Senator Christy- aye
            8. Senator Shomshor- aye
            9. Senator Gin- aye
            10. Senator Partain- aye
            11. Senator Prats- aye
            12. Senator Herrera- aye
            13. Senator Harms- aye
            14. Senator Yakana- aye

Resolution passes

* 1. Resolution 19- Rules and Constitution Committee Explanation
     1. Handling disciplinary actions
        1. A motion was entertained by IVP Moseley to rename Resolution 17 to Resolution 19. So, moved by Treasurer Pernitsky, seconded by Senator Shomshor.
           1. Unanimous Aye
        2. A motion was entertained by IVP Moseley to approve Resolution 19 as amended. So, moved by Treasurer Pernitsky, seconded by Senator Shomshor.
           1. Resolution Passes

1. Discussion
   1. None
2. Adjourn
   1. Internal VP Moseley entertained a motion to adjourn. So moved by Treasurer Pernitsky, seconded by Senator Prats.
      1. Unanimous Aye

Meeting adjourned at 7:24 p.m.