

# Agenda of the Senate Hofstra University Student Government Association October 24, 2024 Hofstra University

#### Call to order

Meeting Called to order at 6:50 EST

### A. Quorum Call

a. Quorum set to 36

#### **B.** New Business

- a. Motion to open the gallery.
  - i. Senator Guenfoud moves to open the gallery
    - 1. Motion Seconded.
    - 2. Motion Passed.
- b. Welcome Cornell Craig, Vice President for Equity and Inclusion.
  - i. VP Craig: I have been at Hofstra for 5 years now, and I'm here to go over some of the things we are working on. The first is a *Sense of Belonging* Survey, and we are planning on rolling that out in November to learn the areas we need to improve on as a university. It will be an anonymous survey, and we want to see if and where any disparities are. Another idea is retention; we want to create an inclusive environment for students to thrive. We are thinking of an Equity and Inclusion Town Hall open to all students to have an open discussion in an accessible manner to engage with students. Diversity, equity, inclusion, and belonging are very important to my office, and that's why I want student feedback.
  - ii. Comptroller Greenlaw: With the Israeli conflict, how is your office supporting students and identity groups within that?
    - 1. VP Craig: Thank you for bringing up this important topic. The office and the work we do is all about supporting the campus community. With that, some people want the offices to take positions or make opinions, but our job is to support all students, and their right to free speech, as long as it is done in a safe space. And that includes a space for disagreement that is where learning

- takes place. But this must be done in a respectful manner, following the University's policies, to ensure students have a place to exchange ideas and demonstrate safely.
- iii. Senator Guenfoud: I've sat in on one of the trainings you did with A. Carter, I want to learn about other trainings that you can do with clubs, faculty, and the student body.
  - 1. VP Craig: We do a lot of training in the office! In recent years, we have been focusing on inclusive hiring processes so we can hire faculty that is representative of our diverse student body. Also, we are teaching how to teach inclusively, to bring more students into conversations within the classrooms. We want to expand to student organizations and clubs; there was no set inclusive hiring processes, so we started there, but we want to open up these trainings to students now.
- iv. Senator Calahan: Are there things that need to be worked on more that you feel the student body is not aware of? What should students be more aware of in terms of *diversity*?
  - 1. VP Craig: That is the main point of our survey, to find out what students want to see change on campus. Diversity is a difference between a group, not an individual. Diversity is a wide umbrella, even though it is often spoken about in the more common aspects such as identity categories. But, it includes a lot of things: different ways of learning, ability, religious practices, and more. Sometimes we need to have scary, but respectful, conversations. That is where the learning happens! It is okay to disagree and it is okay to make a mistake, as long as we learn and grow from it. That is what university is about, and I want to help create the environment. Life is about dealing with different people and perspectives.
- v. Senator Scott: What can we do to make students who are students of color, or international students feel more comfortable and welcomed on campus?
  - 1. VP Craig: That is a great question. This is why I want to hold a Town Hall, to make these conversations more common. My office is always open, but I want to create more spaces to discuss DEI. I don't want this to be a conversation just when there is an incident, but an everyday conversation to expand our knowledge. We need to have conversations about some of these hard things, like why African American males have the lowest retention rate? How can we fix it? We have a student body that is increasing in diverse identities with each new class.

- vi. Senator Mosaed: Do you have specific events for international students / students of color?
  - VP Craig: My office doesn't have a lot of programming, but we do some. We did one last week, a symposium. So, we don't do a lot of programming itself, but we are looking to hire a Grad Assistant to run our social media to help promote programming, whether from my office or different orgs. We have a website for more information as well. Our main priority right now is the belonging survey.
- vii. Chair Danek: What would you say to students/clubs who feel uncomfortable expressing their views?
  - 1. VP Craig: A lot of universities took steps to revise demonstrations policies to make them more clear. I don't think ours is as clear as it could be, and that is where dialogue from students comes in. My goal is that we are clear on our rules, with no grey area, and we are consistent with upholding them. If students are questioning how they can make their voices heard, then we need to do better to revise and teach these policies. They should be applied equally and evenly to all groups.
- viii. Chair Young: During your meeting you mentioned an initiative to help students navigate campus more accessibly. Could you expand more on that?
  - 1. VP Craig: We started some of the work last year, but we want to expand and carry out an interactive, 3D map where you can locate accessible bathrooms, ramps, and accessible doors. We did a walk through last semester to try to pinpoint these issues. We have made some improvements, but there is more to come to uphold our legacy as an accessible campus. We hope to have a product by the end of the year.
- ix. Chair Vickers: How is your office preparing for the aftermath of this election? —with the perspective of someone who has been through two elections that have both been kind of extreme.
  - 1. VP Craig: It is tough to prepare when you don't know what the outcome will be. The important thing is that we want to fall back on what we stand for, and what our values are. Our campus will be an inclusive space, where students are safe in their identities. And again, that includes creating those spaces for dialogue. Students need outlets where they can be heard.

- x. Senator Singh: Would your office be interested in having resources to teach or guide others on how to advocate for themselves and others, considering that advocacy is a learned skill?
  - 1. VP Craig: For sure. One of the workshops we want to hold to get students involved is how to speak up for yourself to be an advocate for yourself and others in and out of the classroom. Sometimes, office hours may be uncomfortable or simply not enough to address their concerns. When you become an advocate, you encourage others to become one as well. We plan to outreach to groups to find common interests of what they want to see.
- xi. Senator Yari: Do you have any initiatives planned for those who have autism to bring more awareness and make them feel...?
  - 1. VP Craig: We have a new director of SAS, and we work closely with them. We have had some great conversations about how we can increase engagement with neurodiverse students, including different approaches to teaching and learning.
- xii. Senator Mosaed: Will ... profile on canvas?
  - 1. VP Craig: That is a good idea, and I will look into it. I think it is important, despite not being a student affairs office, to have multiple ways to outreach to students.
- xiii. Senator Favour: "I've never made fun of your bowties by the way—" Have there been any initiatives that were brought to your office or raised by your office that were seen as too radical and never reached the light of day?
  - 1. VP Craig: In the early days of BLAC, there was a desire for BLAC to be under my office. This was tricky with the dynamics; I think an activist group should be an activist group, and should not have to go through the same hoops I sometimes have to. That doesn't mean I support them, but I wanted them to be able to do any kind of advocacy they need.
- xiv. Senator Dzaveluri: As an international student I'm really thankful for all the work you're doing around campus. What would you say is your biggest accomplishment on campus in terms of helping those in need.
  - VP Craig: One thing I wanted to do was to create a centralized reporting system if they feel harassed or experience aggressions.
     That was a big success for my office; we try to push and promote EthicsPoint. It is important. These issues affect the climate of the university, even if it is not directed directly at myself. We want to make sure students know we want to know what's going on, and they can report by name or anonymous.

- xv. Chair Mahlati: I was just wondering what's the biggest piece of tea...something you were trying to get the administration to enact. I think it's quite important because we really do try to do things but sometimes there are decisions that are out of our hands.
  - 1. VP Craig: We talked about one thing, as far as the demonstration policies. I was a part of those conversations, and still a part of those populations. Equity is about supporting all students and their opinions. I really want to hold us to a higher standard of consistency. Policies need to work for all groups, while reiterating that we are a learning institute and we don't want to interrupt learning or student safety. My job is to ask questions that haven't been asked and bring up people and experiences that may not be talked about in important conversations. Sure, something may serve 80% of the population, but what about the other 20%? It is important to bring those people up and address their concerns.
- xvi. Vice President Joyal: I want to know something you think our community does well. How do we go about helping groups get the support they need?
  - 1. VP Craig: I think the important thing is for each of us to question ourselves. We all have blindspots based on what we have and have not experienced. We can be sympathetic and empathetic, but there are things you are going to miss because it is just not your experience. I encourage you all to get involved in an experience, that is your experience. It creates a community of care and support. We don't all have to agree, and I don't necessarily want us to. Being able to have healthy debates is important, but also being willing to learn by our classmates. Think about students with chronic conditions, or students who can't get to the second floor when an elevator is down, or think about what it is like to be a woman on campus. It helps you become an ally for others.
- xvii. President Annibali: Please excuse our friends next door, Hofstra concerts. My question is about the supreme court decision last year regarding affirmative action. How can we maintain a diverse campus community without those policies in place?
  - 1. VP Craig: One of the good things for us is we didn't have an affirmative action policy, but it is still important for us to continue the efforts. One of the paths the supreme court made is that even though we can't target specific identities, we can still outreach to target communities, and groups. We can communicate to students broadly what we stand for, and the makeup of our community. One example of a 'pipeline' program is the Hofstra-Uniondale

Program. They take a class in the spring of their junior year and fall of their senior year on campus at Hofstra. Then, 4 of those students will receive aid to attend Hofstra.

- xviii. Chair Vickers: Regarding what you were just talking about, is it going to expand to other schools as well, like HLAS?
  - 1. VP Craig: Yes. Money is a limiting factor. We want to make Hofstra known as a good neighbor, even if they do not decide to come to Hofstra themselves. This means giving local students to be on campus and talk to faculty and current students. This helps demystify the college experience.
- xix. Chair Young: Is there anything that SGA can help you with regarding upcoming initiatives and plans?
  - 1. VP Craig: Thank you for that! The big thing would be helping to push the survey once it is out. I will be in touch with links and flyers, but we really want as many students as possible to take that survey. It is a chance to talk about your general happiness, but also your experience within your schools or your majors. The other thing I can think of is promoting our outreach for dialogue within my office. We do a lot of work behind the scenes that students may not realize is happening, and we want to make students aware and involved in those processes.
- xx. Vice President Joyal: Going off of what DaeJa was saying...Nimba, Lincoln and I attended a conversation about accessibility on campus. We want to start new initiatives and we think it would be helpful if you collaborate with us. Do you have any ideas on how we can collaborate?
  - 1. VP Craig: Accessibility is continued work, and it is also about prioritizing, because infrastructure is costly. We want to focus on the "spine" of campus. Even for the buildings that have ramps, the location or the slope of those ramps can still inconvenience students who need to utilize them. I am always on board to collaborate and assist with those issues.
- xxi. Senator Callahan: You mentioned before that Long Island is very segregated. Does Hofstra / Hofstra alumni try to address that issue on a larger scale, beyond just the university?
  - 1. VP Craig: Yes, the Center for Suburban Studies does a lot with the local community. There is a lot to unpack with that, including the number of school districts and socioeconomic differences. They have an event in November to raise money by honoring community members who promote diversity in the local area. We want to of course engage with highschool students, but also others.

We do a march with the Village of Hempstead, as well. We are always looking for new ideas, too.

- xxii. Senator Miranda: I remember you came into Professor Berliner's class to talk about efforts to dismantle DEI. Are there comparative schools that we can sample for research?
  - 1. VP Craig: One of the advantages of being in New York is we don't have some of the political pressures some other schools face in other states. Some states, even some close to us, are debating changing office names to exclude diversity all together. There's some great work going on at Stony Brook. I stay in contact with officers across the country about these changes and how we can change. I am a member of the National Society of Diversity Officers. There have been some recent changes to Title IX. The most up to date regulations says faculty must report to the Title IX office if made aware of a concern. Also, it adds that we must provide all the support for students who become pregnant; for example, professors cannot ask for proof of pregnancy. These are conversations I am having between others.
- vxiii. VP Craig: If you have any questions, the office email is:

  Equity@hofstra.edu and my personal email is cornell.craig@hofstra.edu. I am happy to have a conversation with you or come speak to a club you are a part of.
  - 1. VP Joyal: Thank you for coming! We are looking forward to working with you!
- c. **SA.**2024.89.004
  - i. Senator Thani: In moot court, they mentioned you don't fund for flights?
    - 1. Yes. We can fund train tickets or personal cars, but not flights.
  - ii. Chair Singh moves to pass SA.2024.89.004
    - 1. Motion Seconded
    - 2. Motion Passed
- d. Chair Skeldon moves to add an additional \$14.56 to the allocations for Physician Assistants Club.
  - i. Motion Seconded
  - ii. Motion Passed
- e. S.A.W. Questions
  - i. **SA.**2024.89.005
  - ii. Senator Guenfoud: I am a little confused about the wording of 10. Should we change it to utilize it?
    - 1. Chair Mahlati: Admin have a record of who and how many students use the services, but we want to address whether or not

- students are getting satisfaction from those services, and if they prefer one or the other.
- 2. Secretary Egolf: Maybe to clarify we can just add "Yes, I am satisfied with..." as a friendly change
- iii. Senator Peri: Have you ever thought about adding?
  - 1. Chair Danek: I don't want to make the list too exhaustive so that it discourages students from answering them.
- iv. Chair Danek: I am concerned about the phrase "grading" for question 2. Does anyone have suggestions?
  - 1. Senator Singh: What if we use performance?
  - 2. Senator Guenfoud: Is this asking about quality?
    - a. CHair Danek: I think I want this to include performance and grading. And quality falls under that.
  - 3. Senator Favour: What are you trying to get at with this question? If the answer is no to quality satisfaction, what exactly are professors supposed to change after the facts.
    - a. Chair Danek: I think it includes a few. Some don't use Canvas, some don't use mid-semester advisers. I know this question addresses a lot, but following the idea of two birds and one stone.
    - b. Senator Favour: But how will they know what to change?
      - i. Chair Vickers: I think Justin is trying to get the idea of overall satisfaction. If I get a B with no reason as to why, I may not be satisfied with that, and I may not be an office hour student. I think that is the importance of the wider umbrella.
    - c. Senator Earlich: Have you considered adding a textbook? It could give a better idea of the issues.
      - i. Chair Danek: I think I want to avoid that. It can get a little messy.
    - d. Secretary Egolf: I think I can answer some of the confusion here. Text boxes are tricky, and realistically students don't utilize them. Last year had over 500 responses, but text boxes had maybe 25 responses. I also want to reiterate that Justin heavily defended this question and his wording last night, and I think that's important to note. Having the options in 2B helps address concerns about how professors would improve- they can improve on those resources.
    - e. Senator Miranda: From what I've heard, it seems like you're trying to gauge how quickly Professors provide

important feedback. Could you maybe say "are you satisfied with the *timeliness*?"

- i. Chair Danek: I think maybe communication could be a good word to add. It can kind of encompass whether you are on the same page.
- f. Senator Yari: I see the issues with the textbox. What if we changed 2B to have answer choices regarding issues with feedback, whether quality, timeliness, not getting it all, and so on.
- g. Senator Singh: My only concern is that his initial purpose of the questions seems to be a bit lost now. Do you think the current wording is in alignment with what your goal was?
  - i. I think I was trying to encompass a lot. I think my idea of quality kind of includes a lot of these traits people have been asking.
- h. Secretary Egolf moves to suspend the rules for 3 minutes
  - i. Motion seconded
  - ii. Motion passed
  - iii. President Anniballi: We have a lot of questions to get to tonight, so please be mindful of what you're asking and saying. This portion of the meeting is for questions, any disagreements or debates you have over the questions must be discussed during a moderated caucus or debate. We have thoroughly discussed all of these in several committees, this is just a final step. Out of respect for our chairs and each other's time, please keep this in mind. With that said, you have the right to discuss anything, but please follow procedure.
  - iv. Chair Vickers: These are specific initiatives that AA is working on. We may not see the specific issues, but this is something Jusstin has worked on with his community and the admin he is trying to assist with this data.
- i. Senator Guenfoud moves to change the wording to "Are you satisfied with the amount of communication (e.g grading and/or performancepreformance feedback) you receive from your professors?"
  - i. Motion seconded

- ii. Motion passed
- j. Senator Iacobovici: Is there a reason we need a textbox for choice a or b for question 4?
  - i. Chair Quail: Yes, we want the feedback either way for why it was difficult.
- k. Senator Peri: What is the N/A for?
  - i. Chair Young: For those who don't feel comfortable.
- 1. Senator Guenfoud moves to change the wording of question 7 to "Have you personally experienced bias based on an aspect of your identity (race, gender, religion, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, *accessibility*, etc).
  - i. Motion Seconded
  - ii. Motion Passed
- m. Comptroller Greenlaw moves to change answer choice 7e from "N/A" to "I do not feel comfortable answering."
  - i Motion Seconded
  - ii. Motion Passed
- n. Senator Miranda: Would adding a drop down with specific restaurants be too much?
  - i. Chair Denson: I am looking just as an overall thing, not specifics yet.
- o. Secretary Egolf moves to hold a straw poll in favor of adding "I am not a resident" as an answer choice for question 8.
  - i. I think if we include an option about a commuter it diminishes their voice, even if some are on campus very late.
- p. Senator Peri: Can you clarify neutral vs not inconvenienced?
  - Chair Denson: Neutral is you don't have an opinion, but not inconvenience means you are content with how it is now.
- q. Senator Callahan moves to hold a straw poll regarding question 8 to just "inconvienced, neutral, not convinced"
  - i. Motion seconded
  - ii. Motion passed
- r. Chair Young moves to change answer choice 7C from "Neutral" to "I am not affected by it"
  - i. Motion seconded
  - ii. Motion objected

- iii. For, Chair Young: I want to change this because as some previous speakers stated, this question may not include commuters or even some residents.
  - I think we should change it because of the amount of people who have had questions about this answer choice, others not at this table would be confused.
  - 2. I thought I was going to strike this choice, which is why I think the new option could be an alternative.
- iv. Against, Comptroller Greenlaw: The student center is for everyone. Some commuters just don't eat here, and that is okay, but it is not just for residential students. To my interpretation,
  - 1. Chair Quail :If you aren't affected, you are then not inconvenienced. That is the same thing.
  - 2. Senator Callahan: I don't think we should overthink this. Neutral is a good option.
- v. For, Senator Praled: I don't have a lot to add, but I do think that it could be added to option D. To avoid any issues.
  - 1. If we don't want this option, we should say I don't have an opinion or strike it.
- vi. Against, Secretary Egolf: One of the concerns was that we have questions about commuters. As the person that brought this up, we are overthinking it. Not having an opinion *is* being neutral. We have to remember that we are on the other side of this question. We contract with a company that will review these to make sure these will make sense. If the questions don't make sense they'll let us know.
- s. Motion failed
- 4. Chair Mahlati moves to add a question saying "Have you experienced or witnessed any challenges related to the accessibility on campus?" with choices A. Yes, B. No. 14a. What accessibility issues have you witnessed or experienced?"
  - a. Motion seconded
  - b. Motion passed

- 5. Senator Guenfoud moves to change the wording for question 11 to change "standardize" to "uniform"
  - a. Motion seconded
  - b. Motion objected
  - c. Motion rescinded
- 6. Senator Yari moves for a straw poll to change the wording from "standardize" to "consistent" for question 11.
  - a. Motion seconded
  - b. Motion passed
- 7. Secretary Egolf moves for a 5 minute moderated caucus to discuss questions 12 and 13.
  - a. Chair Mahlati: Both questions have been asked in different questions. Dietary questions have been asked already in the previous equity questions, the same with the belonging and cultural questions.
  - b. Secretary Egolf: We have so much data on the dietary question- it has been on numerous surveys. As far as question 13, this is addressed with the comfortability of cultural expression. We can incorporate a part of this question into an answer choice for question 5.
  - c. Chair Young: I see why they want these questions, but I do agree that it has been addressed in other questions.
  - d. Chair Mahlati: I agree, 12 should be struck because of the surplus of data. As far as 13, we can work on incorporating it into question 5.
  - e. Senator Callahan: I think that the dietary questions, aside from the surplus of data, diminishes the work Compass has been doing.
- 8. Senator Callahan moves to strike question 12.
  - a. Motion seconded
  - b. Motion passed
- 9. Secretary Egolf moves to strike question 13.
  - a. Motion seconded
  - b. Motion passed
- 10. Secretary Egolf moves to add an answer choice to question 5 that adds "Because of a lack of diverse programming."
  - a. Motion seconded
  - b. Motion passed
- 11. Chair Mahlati moves to pass SA.2024.89.005
  - a Motion seconded

- b. Motion objected
  - i. VP Joyal: We are going to read through all the questions again to ensure it's all set before passing.
- c. Motion rescinded
- 12. Chair Mahlati holds a point of personal privilege regarding question 2.
- 13. Chair Young motions to hold a straw poll regarding question 2, to "How would you like to see feedback from your professors?"
  - a. Motion seconded
  - b. Motion passed
- 14. Senator Guenfoud moves to pass SA.2024.89.005
  - a. Motion seconded
  - b. Motion passed

## C. Approval of the Minutes

- a. Senator Ahmad moved to strike snap cup from today's agenda
  - i. Motion seconded
  - ii. Motion passed
- b. Senator Guenfoud moves to pass the Senate minutes from 10/14
  - Motion Seconded
  - ii. Motion Passed
- c. Senator Iacobovici moves to pass the Cabinet minutes from 10/23
  - i. Motion Seconded
  - ii. Motion Passed

### D. E-board Reports

- a. President
  - i. Review of Cabinet & Expectations
  - ii. Review of Campus Demonstration Policy
  - iii. Met with President Poser
  - iv. Met with Board of Trustees
  - v. Met for Annual Campus Security Review
- b. Vice President
  - i. Cracking down on internal processes and procedures during Senate
  - ii. Preparing lists we want to improve on campus
- c. Comptroller
  - i. Working on mid semester roll back
    - 1. Internal and external!
      - a. More Weekly Allocations money! Yay! More internal money! Yay!
    - 2. Canceled Event Form
      - a. On GIHU

- ii. Budget Weekend soon!
  - 1. S25 Accounting File is all set up with calculations!
    - a. New CSR page!
  - 2. Working on getting population estimates from Sev
  - 3. Continuous Semesterly Rollback
    - a. Make sure dates are on your budgets!
- iii. Shout out approps committee <3
- iv. As always, if you have any questions please ask!
  - 1. sga comptroller@pride.hofstra.edu + 860-977-3822
- d. Secretary
  - i. Please be sure to let Sophia (or me if she's not here) know when you are leaving the room. Also, include <a href="mailto:ethics@pride.hofstra.edu">ethics@pride.hofstra.edu</a> on your absences!
  - ii. Make sure you are doing your office hours...MAKE SURE TO SIGN IN AND OUT PLEASE or else I can't give you hours </3
    - 1. If you have questions about where you stand on office hours, let me know. We will send official updates in the next week or two.

## E. Committee Chair Reports

- a. Appropriations
  - i. Minutes
    - 1. Let me know if you have any questions on allocations!
  - ii. Budgets due tomorrow!
    - 1. Then, budget weekend!
- b. Club Resources
  - i. Minutes
  - ii. Continuing work on Club Closet, Club Offices, and Club Check-Ins
  - iii. Continuing to meet with new clubs
- c. Communications
  - i. Chairs please fill out the newsletter by Tomorrow!!
- d. Programming
  - i. Hofstra Hunts
    - 1. Last two weeks!
    - 2. 2.0 coming better & bigger!
  - ii. Build-A-Friend
    - 1. **November 8th, 7-9PM in the Mack Sports Center,** Hofstra v.s Iona! (lol my best friends name is Iona)
    - 2. Get your tickets at hofstratickets.com, 2 tickets tis free for students
  - iii. SAW First-Gen/Tabling
    - 1. November 4-8th, 9am-5pm
    - 2. First Gen Day November 8th, 10am-2pm

- 3. What is tabling? And why am I making you sign up? Hehe
- 4. SAW Tabling Fall '24
- e. Academic Affairs
  - i. Minutes
  - ii. <u>Canvas Survey</u>
    - 1. Leaving open for 1 more week, please fill out if you haven't it takes 1 minute
  - iii. Current proposed changes to FPS 9 and FPS 48
  - iv. Course Registration Carnival 10/30 12-3 Netherlands Core
    - 1. SGA will be tabling from 1-2, stop-by!
  - v. Writing Center Hours Update
- f. Equity & Inclusion
  - i. **Minutes** 10/24
  - ii. Rep Your Flag Day Tabling Sheet
    - 1. Sign up to table!
    - 2. Mack the dog
    - 3. Performances
  - iii. Queer @ Hofstra
    - 1. Thanks for coming!
  - iv. Inclusion Ambassador
    - 1. Inclusion Ambassador Form
- g. Facilities & Operations
  - i. Minutes
  - ii. Meeting with VP Paul Romano and Lincoln today
    - 1. Students with Facilities issues can call 516-463-6619
      - a. 24 hours a day
    - 2. New software is being looked into for a simpler facility reporting system
    - 3. Lots of things fixed
      - a. Highlight: Bits Bathroom cleaned and will be monitored. Keep me updated!
- h. Wellness & Campus Safety
  - i. Minutes
  - ii. Plan Van thank you & please keep it up
  - iii. P-Safe Video

### F. Approval of Committee Minutes

- a. Comptroller Greenlaw moves to pass the allocations from 10/22
  - i. Motion seconded
  - ii. Motion passed
- b. Secretary Egolf moves to pass the committee minutes from 10/21

- i. Motion seconded
- ii. Motion passed
- c. Senator Callahan moves to close the gallery
  - i. Motion seconded
  - ii. Motion passed

# G. For Good of the Order

a. Anything SGA related!

### H. Announcements

a. Anything non-SGA related!

# I. Snap Cup

# J. Adjournment

- a. Secretary Egolf moves to adjourn this meeting
  - i. Motion seconded
  - ii. Motion passed
    - 1. Meeting adjourned at 10:16pm

Club/Organization	Amount Requested	Amount Allocated	%
ALPFA	\$439.20	\$0.00	0%
Her Campus	\$40.98	\$40.98	100%
Clay Club	\$1,309.06	\$631.57	48.25%
National Speech Language Hearing Association	\$70.93	\$0.00	0%
Hofstra Asian and Pacific Islander Association	\$647.18	\$0.00	0%



# **Cabinet Agenda**

PPAW Conference Room October 23, 2024, 6:45pm

# Quorum:

**Present** President L. Anniballi, Vice President J. Joyal, Comptroller S. Greenlaw, Secretary M. Egolf, Chair J. Danek, Chair M. Skeldon, Chair E. Quail, Chair A. DiSanto, Chair K. Denson, Chair D. Young, Chair N. Mahlati, Chair L. Vickers **Absent:** 

## Agenda:

- I. Meeting called to order:
- II. Icebreaker
- III. Collaborative Business:
  - A. (Lincoln) Expectations
    - 1. Event planning
    - 2. Budget requests
    - 3. General expectations
  - B. (Laila) Holding ourselves accountable and checking our own biases
  - C. SAW Questions: **SA.2024.89.005**
- IV. Updates
  - A. President
    - 1. Meetings
      - a) Poser
      - b) VP Eads
      - c) Board of Trustees
  - B. Vice President
    - 1. Questions for Dr. Cornell Craig
    - 2. Absences Apparently

a) Please tell me when you are missing people so I can keep a record. These people haven't been emailing me so I have no idea/assume that they are present

## C. Comptroller

- 1. No formal report?
  - a) Very proud of the committee <3

## D. Secretary

- 1. Room Request Form
- 2. Catering Form
- 3. <u>Committee Attendance Form</u> Changing attendance forms to one big sheet on the roster, so please make sure this is fully up to date

#### E. Academic Affairs

- 1. Current proposed changes to <u>FPS 9</u> and <u>FPS 48</u> (FPS 48 is regarding attendance policies that we were just discussing so please read!!!)
- 2. Writing Center Hours Update
- 3. Course Registration Carnival
- 4. Senatorial Action
- 5. Canvas Survey

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeDxgPbdmeMENKX8f2 ewLvlTo-xhCqkd5Oi9QGyinchUojzVQ/viewform?usp=sf\_link

a) Leaving open for 1 more week, please fill out if you haven't it takes 1 minute

## F. Appropriations

- 1. Minutes
  - a) Let me know if you have any questions on allocations!
- 2. Senatorial Action re-allocating club sports percentages
- 3. Budgets due Friday!
  - a) Budget email reminders/budget weekend prep

#### G. Club Resources

- 1. Minutes
- 2. Continuing our work on Club Offices and Club Closet
- 3. Trying to meet with all the new clubs
- 4. Constitutional benchmark almost done

#### H. Communications

- 1. Working on updating website & letter display case
- 2. PLEASE FILL THIS OUT !!!

- I. Equity and Inclusion
  - 1. **E** Minutes 10/24
  - 2. Rep Your Flag Day Tabling Sheet
  - 3. Rep Flag Day updates
  - 4. Testing out new sensitivity training modules
  - 5. Queer @ Hofstra
  - 6. BLAC—Food Truck event next Wednesday
  - 7. Inclusion Ambassador
- J. Facilities and Operations
  - 1. Minutes
  - 2. I got access to the Facilities email!
  - 3. Meeting with Campus Dining and BLAC today
    - a) Talked about BLAC Eats
    - b) There were some problems with portion sizes and the execution of the meals - those were addressed
    - c) BLAC ordered stickers for the meal boxes (Logo and QR code)
  - 4. Meeting with VP Romano tomorrow at 12:30pm
- K. Programming
  - 1. = 10/22/24 Programming Minutes
  - 2. I have a committee member who hasn't shown up to any meetings...?
  - 3. Senatorial Action: SAW Questions
    - a) **SA.2024.89.005**
  - 4. Build a Friend Updates
    - a) November 8th, 2024
    - b) 7:00-9:00 PM, during halftime
    - c) One table for CYO kids
      - (1) Needed people specifically for that
    - d) Reserve Tickets @ hofstratickets.com
    - e) Theme: The *Pride* Jungle
    - f) SAW Survey requirement for first 300 people
  - 5. Hofstra Hunts
    - a) 2.0? I am sad about my IPad + will need 100% more support for next semester
- L. Wellness and Campus Safety
  - 1. Jovani sent email for graphic for Ghostbuster event
  - 2. Donating extra blankets to clubs for donations

- a) Ally chain from HHF going on base of tree (thanks Lincoln)
- 3. Successful plan van!
- 4. SAW Question Idea: Timely Care, exact wording tbd, but whether they feel comfortable using it, etc.
- 5. Minutes
- V. For Good of the Order
- VI. Announcements
- VII. Chair \_\_ moves to adjourn the meeting.
  - A. Motion Seconded
  - B. Motion Passes
- VIII. Meeting adjourned:10:24

Respectfully submitted,

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