

Senate meeting 1/31/19

Special Election; 2 Senators

- Nick
 - Freshman from DMV area
 - Was in student gov't at a school with a similar student body size
 - Successful event planning
 - Priorities
 - website/instagram improvement
 - Event awareness
- Elsa
 - Freshman
 - Priorities
 - Fix relationship with student body
 - Solution
 - Establish a physical anonymous tip line with ASLC
 - Enable ASLC to have a good idea of what the students want and allow us better ideas for Ad Hoc committees
 - Will manage the submissions and relay them to ASLC body
- Zack
 - Senior
 - Transferred here and was in ASLC as a sophomore
 - Finance committee and renewable energy committee
 - Student body vice president
 - Found diversity committee
 - Was in charge of the 4300 account and funding health services
 - Priorities
 - Better STI/STD testing
 - Mental health services
 - Rapid HIV testing
 - Water bottle deposit system to recycle and make a little bit of money

Questions

- Jack- “name any good things ASLC has done
 - Zack
 - Donating money to save counseling center
 - Elsa
 - Has talked to many senators about their bills and successes
 - Denounced Brett Kavanaugh
 - Recognizes the commitment and ability of ASLC
 - Shows a commitment to both LC and others
 - Nick
 - Bon to Pick is a great way to get communication open
 - Book drive was a great ide
 - Resolutions
 - Border resolution allows us to speak to a broader community
- Hannah- “how would you helo finance and/or SOC
 - Zack
 - Was on finance committee
 - Received a grant from finance committee
 - Favorite organization on campus, has helped and been helped by it
 - Wants to keep it for students specifically
 - Elsa
 - Most important committees help students
 - Wants to provide resources for all students to be comfortable and happy on campus
 - Nick
 - Was in charge of 100,000 dollars as high school gov’t president
 - Experienced and can bring some good ideas to
- Alex- “Why was Zack not in ASLC last semester
 - Zack
 - Was abroad in London
- FSU- “different identities that you could represent on campus”
 - Zack
 - “Im gay”

- Can bring that identity to senate and open up more communication for other groups
 - STI/STD testing is a goal
 - Elsa
 - Sees the potential of ASLC to help the under represented
 - Proposed project will allow all members, even those not in student unions, to voice their concerns
 - Nick
 - Would much rather have the student unions have more space to talk about groups that he is not a part of, why should he speak like he knows about others experiences
 - Wants more opportunities for low income students to attend and stay on campus
- Alex- “strategies for getting more people involved/aware of ASLC”
 - Elsa
 - Physical stations will be visible and open for use
- Tom- “how would you be fair with SOC allocations?”
 - Zack
 - Voted against budget his sophomore year
 - Understands budgets and financial balance
 - Need to look more at individual clubs and their needs
 - Time consuming but something that is necessary
 - Don't cut across the board
 - Elsa
 - Agrees- it needs to be done by a case by case basis
 - Nick
 - Planned events and dealt with budgets on a large scale before
 - Agrees- individual case by case is the best way to look at everything
- Mary Claire- “how to improve student body/ ASLC relationship?”
 - Nick
 - Website is very cluttered
 - Streamline and make the website clear
 - Give more space to important things

Discussion period

- FSU
 - 1- any insight regarding the roles of these candidates on campus now
 - Jack
 - Elsa has been in these meetings all year
 - She has a strong commitment to ASLC identifiers on campus and is very passionate about her idea for student body/ASLC communication
 - Comes to FSU
 - Maxine
 - She has always been very dedicated and driven
 - Sherlock
 - She is the reason for an active community in her hall
 - Alex
 - Nick has run three times for senate
 - He is very dedicated
 - Is on two committees
 - More familiar with the website than most ASLC members
 - Understand student government
 - Ben
 - Nick
 - has great ideas for the website
 - Seems flexible and willing to work anywhere
 - Elsa
 - Could be a part of CSRC instead of ASLC
 - Jacob
 - Zack is very dedicated and active in getting his ideas followed through
 - Hannah
 - Zack listed big achievements that are more team achievements than his, but he is very dedicated
 - Alex

- Dedication is extremely important and we should think about the future
 - Zack only has one semester left at LC
- Max
 - Zack
 - Someone who is a different space in their LC experience may bring vital viewpoints to help upperclassmen and underclassmen more than a freshman can
- Violet
 - There are no senior senators
 - Three juniors
 - Upperclassmen may be needed
- Jack
 - Zack has a good perspective as a member of the LGBTQ community
 - Elsa has good perspective as a pio-log and FSU member
- 2- any roof of zack's claims on his success in past ASLC expereince?
 - Alden-
 - He was a senator
 - Proposed a bill that founded the diversity committee
 - Andrea
 - Many students worked with him
 - "I wouldn't say he was responsible for the committee"
 - Alden
 - He had a large group that worked with him
 - Mary Claire
 - Looked at the bill and it has Zack and one other student name on the proposal
 - Hannah
 - Zack oversaw and facilitated

The Vote

DSU- Elsa, Zack
FSU- Elsa, Nick
Jack- Elsa, Zack
Max- Elsa, Nick
Nicole- Elsa, Zack
Maxine- Elsa, Nick
Jacob- Elsa, Zack
Sherlock- Elsa, Nick
Hannah- Nick, Zack
Jake- Elsa, Nick
Ben- Elsa, Nick
Alex- Elsa, Nick
QSU- Nick, Zack
SAC- Nick, Zack

Elsa- 11
Nick- 10
Zack- 7

Our elected senators are Elsa and Nick

Legislation

- SP19 SB001
 - Jack
 - Bill to amend the time when the president has to give state of the school address
 - Past presidents have not been doing that recently
 - It's been done in April
 - The bill will change the time to 'by the end of spring semester

Vote

DSU- Aye

FSU- Aye
Jack- Aye
Max- Aye
Nicole-
Maxine- Aye
Jacob- Aye
JAcob- Aye
Sherlock- Aye
Hannah- Aye
Jacob- Aye
Ben- Aye
Alex- AYe
QSU- Aye
SAC- Aye

Bill Passes

Committee Reports

- Residential Card Swipe Ad Hoc Committee
 - Ben
 - Possibility of a shooting is too unsafe to change the current system
 - Committee seems pointless as it stands
 - Jack's committee can handle the social aspects of the swipe access
 - Andrea
 - What about access to Tamarack and Co-op
 - Ben
 - Jack's committee is in charge of that
 - Ben
 - Committee is closed
- Community Space Ad Hoc committee
 - Jack
 - Been talking to McPhieters
 - In contact with facilities about moving outdoor tables to better locations
 - Tamarack access should be available this semester

- Andrea
 - What about the coop
 - Sherlock
 - Coop just sent an email about getting student help

Senate Updates

- DSU
 - Nothing
- FSU
 - Saturday is an advocacy meeting
 - AORTA training
- Jack
 - Nothing
- Max
 - Nothing
- Nicole
 - Met with John Hancock to go over the poster for the student health fee
 - Health fee has been renamed to student health and wellness fee
 - FSU- "Why?"
 - Nicole
 - It's now associated with the wellness/ counseling
 - Also included the dietician
 - Went to MLK day of service
 - Andrea
 - Is there any way to put information out to the broader community?
 - Nicole/Violet/Hannah
 - That's more CSRC, and better suited for projects that are done, not in the process
- Maxine
 - Working on STI testing
- Jacob
 - Nothing
- Sherlock
 - Nothing
- Hannah

- For Jack/committee
 - The tables do get used in the summer
- Jacob
 - Tried to email bon about people stealing plates and stuff
 - No reply
 - Sherlock
 - There is some sort of environmental presentation about plates and cups
 - Max
 - There is an amnesty/ return program that the bon does to get back plates and other stuff
 - Andrea
 - Maybe make drop-off boxes for 'accidentally' stolen plates and stuff
- Ben
 - Nothing
- Alex
 - Nothing in process
- QSU
 - Prom is coming up in the 9th
 - STI testing is important for community health
 - Violet-
 - STI testing has always been talked about in senate, health and wellness fee did not cover STI testing at all
 - Good thing to push for, probably won't be free but it would be nice to lower the cost
 - Jack
 - Can senate propose a funded relation to give money?
 - Ariel
 - Think about what is best for students but the money we have is for student groups, not individual student health
 - FSU-
 - is working on a symposium

- STI could be addressed by the panel if we think it is important
 - Has a list of affordable testing centers
 - Helen
 - Sti testing came up in the auditory google drive
 - 2015, ASLC investigated STI testing
 - In 2014, school spent 26,000 dollars on testing
 - Expensive to send it off campus and use third party source
 - Concluded that the best way to lower costs is to partner with Multnomah health country to test students in mass on certain days
- SAAC
 - Mental health meetings for student athletes is coming up

Cabinet updates

- Mary Claire
 - Cabinet elections are being planned
 - If anyone is considering to run ask question and get info
 - Violet-
 - Come talk to us individually too
- Ariel
 - Working on forums
 - Rethinking how to conduct them
 - Any ideas?
 - Hannah- Maybe livestream it
 - Max- Food
 - FSU- talk to student unions about advertising
- William
 - Went to campus labs Engage program demo
 - Like the LC app that has been talked about
 - Platform for elections, events, budgets, etc
- Violet

- Cabinet payments
 - Constitution says that payments should be paid by semester
 - In the past it has been done differently
 - People need money for rent/groceries/etc
 - Cabinet feels that payments should be spread out over the semester rather than the current style
 - If anyone can help write a bill or has issues with it let us know
 - Sherlock- Was the COS paid in full?
 - Violet- no, he was paid $\frac{2}{3}$ of his stipend when he only did about $\frac{1}{2}$ the work
 - Max- How did discussion go when the COS left?
 - Violet- he had been paid those installments when he left
- Andrea
 - TCK was given a grant to bring a speaker to campus
 - FSU was funded money for AORTA training
- Helen
 - Excited about the student senate evaluation forms
 - Auditory meeting is next week
- Katie
 - Storm the dorms will be done on a wednesday for Pios for pios
- Tom
 - SOC is entering crazy semester
 - All club meeting is next wednesday
 - Working on student involvement
- Alden
 - Talked with Harold and Violet about lack of training for senators
 - Solution
 - Senate workshop
 - Test the idea this semester in 2 weeks for current senators
 - Practice the training workshop and talk to current senators about their job
 - Hannah- can it be called a retreat?

- Violet- changed the cabinet retreat to workshop just for clarification

Adjourned