Executive Council Meeting Agenda & Minutes

Date: 6-April-2021 Time: 12:30pm

Attendance:

Current Exec

Title	Name	Present	Regrets	Absent
President	Kiera Stel	X		
VP Academic	Navid Bayat	X		
VP Social	Liz Keyes	Х		
Senator	Natasha Rygnestad-Stahl	Х		
Director of Finance	Kelsey Wong	Х		
Director of Wellness	Natalia Mioduszewski	Х		
Director of Communications	Johanna Vanneste	Х		
Indigenous Director of Student Affairs	Cassandra Sawers		X	
Director of Clubs	Christa Alvernaz	Х		
Director of External Relations	Sebastian Cooper	Х		
Ombudsperson	Joanna Ludlow	Х		

Incoming Exec

Title	Name	Present	Regrets	Absent
President	Roisin Neary	Х		

VP Academic	Laura Beaudry		X	
VP Social	Lynn Moprevil		X	
Senator	Sebastian Cooper	X		
Director of Finance	Megaila Rose	X		
Director of Wellness	Anika Garlick		X	
Director of Communications	Kaylie Hanna	X		
Indigenous Director of Student Affairs	Whitney Morrison	X		
Director of Clubs	Emma Jerrott	X		
Director of External Relations	Gabrielle Matheson	Х		
Ombudsperson	Emma Chapman	X		

Agenda:

Item	Notes	Motions & Actions	
1. Call to Order			
1.1 Approval of the Agenda	Call for last minute agenda items	BE IT RESOLVED that the Agenda of the April 6 2021 Executive Meeting is approved.	
		Moved: Natasha	
		Seconded: Navid	

2. Open Business

2.1

Update from the President

- Welcome to New Exec
- Election results
 - NALP Liaison Position
 - Referendum Woohoo!
 - Constitution Ad Hoc Committee
- Transition Reports
- Alumni Board Association meeting next week
- Student Welcome Event?

Will be meeting with Prof Grant and new exec

Welcome to New Exec

Election results

- NALP Liaison Position
 - Chira asked about this we didn't know it was a position!
 - CSO is going to post on ACE for next year and select someone
 - Kiera will flag for next year to make sure we elect one next year
- Referendum Woohoo!
 - o Passed!
- Constitution Ad Hoc Committee
 - We had a committee this year first year academic rep, Seb, Kiera, and Natasha
 - Needs work still Kiera will fill in

Transition Reports

- All current execs need to write a report for the incoming person
- If you can't find yours, talk to Kiera
- Current exec should aim to pass on reports and schedule meetings in early May
- Kiera will pass on emails for current exec to make contact
- Also plan for transition to emails! Make sure you update the recovery information!
 - Not all LSS people have emails bc we have an unpaid Google Suite account (Wellness, Careers Committee, Grad Committee)

	Alumni Board Association • Meeting next week – Kiera is going • Nothing for us to bring up but let her know if there is! Student Welcome Event • Q&A part went well, lots of Qs • Long event but attendance didn't drop over time • 138 incoming/potential incoming students in attendance! Incoming O-Coordinators:	
	 Suzie Kimball Isabella Picui Meeting with Prof Grant and new exec Will be happening at end of month – just a transition meeting to introduce new exec 	
2.2 Update from Vp Academic • Faculty Council • BLSA Admissions Report • Admissions: Prof Lazarus & equity reco's • April Exams	 Faculty Council Next meeting is Thursday BLSA Admissions Report Admissions: Prof Lazarus & equity recommendations Alter admission questions − more holistic, broad approach Discuss: Weight LSAT & GPA less Remove distinction based on LSAT/GPA high vs everyone else Increasing discretionary pool Create third equity category for priority equity, diversity groups 	
	April Exams • Student Services video • Prep time = no reading	

	 Basically no changes from December Remind students not to go over time! All exams start at 9 Nothing came of concerns over 6-8 hour exams 	
2.3 Update from Director of Clubs	Clubs Initiative Very successful! Got volunteers for almost all those we were seeking Motion to approve the volunteer execs: Allard Brunch Club - Charlotte Tan, Isabella Picui, Whitney Morrison Allard Book Club - Kyle Rehdner, Emma Smyth Allard Law French Club - Samantha Wex, Sarah Xu, Claire Qui Fit to Practice – Charlotte Tan Law Games – Riley Stone Sports and Entertainment Law Club - Jordan Audbrey, Tyler Severson Health Law & Justice – Suzie Kimball Allard Flag Football – Ryan Lincoln Allard Curling Club – Emma Wright Dead Precedents (co-ed basketball) – Ryman Yeung Serving Justice (co-ed volleyball) – Adrian Alden Unsestoppables (co-ed soccer) – Adrian Alden, Simon Lusztig	Whereas some LSS affiliated clubs have not been active this year due to COVID-19, in acknowledgement that these clubs form an important part of the Allard student experience, be it resolved that the volunteers are hereby appointed as club executives. Moved: Kelsey Seconded: Liz All in favour, motion passes
2.4 Update from Senator	Proctorio • Use is required for NCA but not us! New Senator • Seb is the new Senator! Transition date was April 1st	
2.5	Budget Changes for Next Year	

Update from Director of Finance • Budget Changes for Next Year	No real updates – will communicate with Megaila directly	
2.6 Update from Director of Comms • CANs Database Survey	 People are accessing the database right now, but we probably wouldn't get a lot of responses during exams - so maybe something to do in the last week or April or first weeks of the summer If we transition to a new database the summer is a good time We've heard good things about the dropbox - some organization needed People had said that they thought all the cans weren't transitioned - but they were - there have been lots added Note: quantity not necessarily helpful because some are so old Logo update No news – Will try to get it sorted before official transition but if not we can always do something later and work with new exec 	
4. Adjournment		
4.1 Next Meeting	TBD for new exec!	
4.2 Meeting Adjourned	Adjourned by: Kiera	Motion: Natasha Seconded: Navid
4.3 Minutes	Submitted by: Johanna Vanneste, Director of Communications	