

STUDENT SENATE

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General Meeting Agenda

Date: December 14, 2018

Time & Gavel: 5:00 p.m.

Location: Horace Mann 150

I. Call to Order (5:00pm)

- a. Attendance

II. Old Business (2 minutes)

- a. Approve Minutes: 11/30

III. New Business (30-45 minutes)

- a. Questions and Comments for President Bailey

IV. Gallery & Advisor Reports (5 Minutes)

- a. Gallery Reports
- b. Advisor Reports

V. Announcements (10 minutes)

- a. Updates & To Do's:

X. Adjournment

III. New Business (30-45 minutes)

Notes:

Questions to President Bailey

- Career Services-improvements
- CulinArt and alternative food services, cost
- International students- challenges
- Health insurance from Columbia
- Affiliate relationship w/ Columbia
- Civic engagement/education
- Diversity and inclusion- student recruitment
- Increasing outside funding, doctoral research

IV. Gallery & Advisor Reports (5 Minutes)

Notes:

Gallery Report: Kate (Cognitive Science in Education) (check Slack for contact info)
Issues and collective action by TC students: housing, family leave, healthcare, graduate student workers

- Building initiatives within departments, collaborating on issues moving forward
- Working towards improving the lives of TC students, also goal of SQE, committees
- Turning words into actions, moving beyond conversations within Senate

Issues for PhD students-PhD council
Improving quality of life, advising, housing, funding
Working with Pres. Bailey

Moving past issues that have been addressed previously
-Communication, working within SACs, different departmental needs

Working to get SACs off the ground in each department

Advisor Report: Maria H
-Dr. Bill Baldwin (O & L Dept.)- Sock drive for homeless shelter
-Book drive- Janice

TC is closed Dec. 22 - Jan 2 (staff will be back Jan 2)
Orientation is Jan. 22, school begins Jan. 23

Program proposals, working with OSA

Spring semester goes late into May
End-of-year Leadership Banquet: May 10

Come to OSA, Student Orgs, ask for help/assistance

V. Announcements (10 minutes)

Notes:

Complete Feedback Form as soon as possible

Elections in Spring for open positions for 2019-20 school year
-Shadowing opportunities

School-wide Election:
(One each of Dept. Senators, University Senator)

In-house Election:
(E-board positions, Committee Chair positions)

Communicate with Maria H outside Senate, ask questions, talk to OSA/Student Orgs
Annie-Parliamentarian Office Hrs by Skype/Facetime in Spring semester
-Get started on early Jan. initiatives now/over break
-Vote next week

Deadlines: program proposals due 3 wks before events
-will be more strict about deadlines in spring semester