

## **Minutes: Parliament 2/12/09 – 6:36 p.m.**

Icebreaker: What are your plans for this Valentine's weekend?

Visitor: Matt Palm - Commissioner of Academic Affairs

GE Reform: Changing the W and the E. CEP receive many emails from students that say there are a lot of departments that don't offer W courses within their major. There will be a change to the W transforming the intensive writing. The estimated expense for the addition of classes and teachers is \$300,000. The resolution supports effective training for TA's on how to teach writing before allowing them to TA a course. For more information contact [mpalm@ucsc.edu](mailto:mpalm@ucsc.edu).

Lisa(chair) motions to pass the GE reform Resolution

Nestor Seconds

5-0-1 = motion passes.

SUA report back

Hmong is asking for \$360 for their cultural show on February 23<sup>rd</sup> from 8-10 Oakes Learning center.

Mock Trial- \$1,600 who is an organization that are given trails to defend/ or accuse and reenact cases. They are competing with other Colleges and need money for registration and transportation.

Announcements: the Amgen California bike race will go by UCSC on Empire Grade Monday, Feb. 16

Lisa motions to close the meeting at 7:10 to make posters for the Hip Hop Dance/baked goods fundraisers on Feb. 18, 19 and 20th

Anthony seconds

Meeting adjourns.