

Kresge Parliament – 10/24/13

Start: 6:30 Quorum: 16 Ice Breaker: What is one thing you can brag about yourself?

Outreach: Core Night - Tues. 10/29/13 - Juan has approved next Tuesday for our outreach. Lucas shall create a script and volunteers will review before Core at 7 p.m. at Media Theater M110
Volunteers: Miina, Rachel, Bailey, Aimee, Gul, Tania, Tara, Sawyer and Lucas

Parliament Updates:

- Committee for Justice in Palestine – Spring '13 RECAP: At the end of Spring Qtr. at SUA a resolution came to the floor demanding the UC System stop funding companies students believed were supporting human rights violations in Israel. Parliament was asked to vote on this provocative document without sufficient time to research the facts. A vote was held at SUA and the resolution did not pass. The next Parliament meeting, members arrived to a letter on each of our chairs from a student rep. of CJP accusing Parliament of not fairly representing the students of Kresge. Parliament has now decided to send letter and invite the org. to attend a parliament meeting this year. Lucas will draft a letter and send out for a 48-hour review – please respond with any comments.
- Deliberations - Parliament reviewed how we will discuss funding requests. Points were made for discussion first then motion and motion first, discussion then second. After the meeting the Chair forwarded the verbiage from our constitution: Article V, Section VII reads in part: "Before a motion may be offered unanimous consent from Parliament, **conclusion of the general discussion must be reached.**" The Constitution Update Committee can look at this as they rewrite our guiding document.
- Discussion also included the need for more thoughtful deliberations without the rush to get in the minutes as the person who motioned and/or 2nds.
- Parliament will also possibly introduce categorical spending caps for Student Media requests. Giving directions for max funding but leaving room for variations.
- The visit with CAO Mike Yamauchi-Gleason had to be cut short last week so he has let Parliament now he has available on Nov. 14th to come again = Kresge remodel planning
- Dining Services/Owl's Nest Manager Jeff Wildenboer had to cancel tonight's visit. Will reschedule soon.

Approval of minutes: 10/17/13 Motion to Approve Aimee, 2nd Tara Hoots: 9 Abstain: 5 = Approved.

Report Backs:

- SUA – Aimee, Gul: Oakes/Stevenson removed Sustainability Office from the SUA agenda due to previous statement regarding diversity (?) that offended them. Oakes would like an apology at their Senate meeting. Discussed SUA guild lines and officer report backs, Color Conference attendees filled the bus, ENGAGE (College 10 club) is putting on a Karaoke night, Sing For Hunger, Saturday 7-10 p.m. at MPR, students are asked to bring can food. SCOC still needs representatives! Charles C. Chang is looking to put on a diversity guest lecture series for UCSC students. Disc Golf Club funding request for \$624 for tourney travel, \$2025 for hosting a beginner's tournament here including tee shirts, swag – How does Parliament feel about this funding? Motion by Aimee to approve, 2nd Gul Hoots: 14 Abstain: 2 = Approved, UC President Napalitano visit was discussed, not enough substance for Chair, SUA will keep an open mind – would like return visit soon. IVC Max addressed the smoking ban as of 1/1/14 and J.N. acknowledged the special circumstance faced by UCSC

and our 2000-acre campus - possible designation of three smoking areas TBD. One student did leave the meeting upset over immigration issues. A Fossil Fuels divestment bill will come to the table at SUA soon as well as the Unity Campaign to create a pipeline to higher education for ex cons. We need a SOFA representative for SUA,

- Core Council – Spencer – Intro meeting – wondered if it was O.K. to double fund groups at Core and Student Governments – Parliament is in favor = yes.
- SCOC – Jansen - Filled four appointments but still need more student representatives. Positions are paid – some only 2 – 5 hours per month. Check on the SCOC web site.

Announcements:

- Haunted House – Sat. 10/26 @ Town Hall 7 – 10 p.m. – Come in costume - treats
- Pumpkin Carving Tues. 10/29 @ Upper St. 4-6pm - supplies provided
- Sun Photography Wed. 10/30 @ Upper St. 1-3 p.m. photo sensitive material craft
- Candy Grams will be sold on Upper Street on Halloween from 11-1pm. \$1 each
- Constitution Committee meeting after Parliament cancelled – rescheduled for 11/7.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:14