

Minutes for the April 11, 1999 GSA Meeting

ATTENDANCE:

Officers: Nikola Stojsin (President), Sailaza Pal (Vice-President), Kyle Haidet (Treasurer), Nuri W. Emanetoglu (Secretary)

Representatives: Jeff Wayne (LISSQ), Wenbiao Han (Rutgers Soccer GSA), Akiza Boddie-Willis (BGSA), Tithi Dutta Roy (BME), David Radnell (ISAC), Joanne Tacktikos (Anthropology), Jeffrey Perlman (Microbiology), Dupaigne Louis (Math), Julie Silva (UPPD), Heather Mckaley (RADS), Tomeaka Fladger (BGSA)

The meeting is called to order at 7:37 PM.

OLD BUSINESS:

A) Administrative Report

Nikola Stojsin begins the meeting reminding the council members that the elections will continue till the end of the present meeting.

B) Pauper's Guide Editing

The Pauper's Guide review is continuing.

NEW BUSINESS:

A) New Recognitions:

There are no new recognitions.

B) GESA Re-Allocation

Nikola & Kyle Haidet explain the details of the GESA re-allocation. They cancelled their two allocated events and did something different, against the GSA policy of funding specific events. The GSA should know what it is sponsoring, how its money is being used. Nikola very upset as no GESA representative at the meeting. Joanne Tacktikos (...) adds the members present know the rules.

C) Proposals from the Floor:

Nikola explains the meaning of this section.

Jeff Wayne (LISSA) announces that on the 14th there will be a lecture on Assistant Librarianship in the GSL.

REPORTS:

A) Committee Reports

International Student Affairs Committee (ISAC)

David Radnell (ISAC) explains ISAC activities. The ISAC pizza hours are being held either in the GSL or CA Student Center 411.

Senate

Nuri Emanetoglu and Kyle report the BOG, BOT and Executive Committee nominations.

Executive Council

Joanne Tacktikos commends the Executive Council. They are preparing a pamphlet for professors and students and working to raise graduate student salaries.

Publications

Annand Commissioning reports that the last publications was Linguistics. The Publications Center is preparing for the Fall semester. The Pauper's Guide volunteer review form is being revised. The forms will be ready at the end of the week. Kyle explains the review procedures.

Treasurers Report

Nikola recognizes Kyle.

Masoc Gross, GESA and Ceramics members are not present, and the related budget items are not voted on. The Treasurer's report is accepted unanimously.

QUESTION TIME:

Julie Silva (Urban Planning) wants to change the name of the organization. The organization just needs to submit a list of members and a letter stating the name change.

Jeff Wayne asks about the constitution change. Kyle answers there has not been enough input.

Jeff Pearlman gives information about AAUP negotiations. Currently there is no agreement on student fees, and TA/GA salaries. State legislature passed a law that TA/GAs will not pay FICA tax starting January 2000. Interested persons should contact Jeff at jperlman@eden for signing the petition for fees and salaries.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Chair moves adjournment. This motion is adopted by unanimous consent. The meeting adjourns at 8:15 PM.