

## MEETING MINUTES

### THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO

**Date:** Wednesday, February 23, 2022

**Call to Order:** 6:04 pm

**Location:** <https://ucsd.zoom.us/j/98762880541>

#### Roll Call

#### Public Input

- Ulises Rodriguez
  - There has been a lack of transparency from senate about the upcoming legislation
  - I hope that the integrity of representation on senate is not damaged to this legislation

#### Special Presentations

Special Presentation by HDH Executive Director Dr. Hemlata Jhaveri and AVC Dr.

- Manu: Will talk about on campus housing and who gets priority and things concerning triples.
  - I would encourage senate to extend time of presentation if necessary.
- Hemlata Jhaveri
  - Robust presentation but a lot of this information is also public information
- Stacy Travis
  - Housing Priority for 23 academic years has been established
  - For those students considered group 1 or 3
  - Scholars with 4-year guarantee and returning 2nd years who lived on campus this year
  - Students will have 3 options for dining plans if they are in one of the 7 colleges housing
  - Living Learning Communities will be available to apply to after getting housing
  - List of dates and deadlines
  - Students are responsible for keeping info updated to stay on waitlist
- Kameo Quenga and Marissa Islas
  - Basic Needs Center
  - Currently experiencing housing crisis
  - [Offcampushousing.ucsd.edu](http://Offcampushousing.ucsd.edu)

- Tool for finding housing
  - Resources for commuters like transportation and grocery locations
  - [Padmapper.com](#) (non UCSD)
  - [Spareroom.com](#) (non UCSD)
  - Roommate tips
  - Renting tips
  - Motion to extend time by 10 min. 2nd. No Objections
- Jon Carlos Senour
  - Common Issues seen
  - Discover the Law (Legal Education Program)
  - What is the Theater District Living and Learning Neighborhood?
- Move to extend time by 25 minutes, 2nd, No objections
- Bryan Macias
  - Pepper canyon west housing project
  - Everything from level 2 up will be housing
  - Marshall District Living and Learning Neighborhood
- 5 min Q&A
  - Sen Callahan
    - Had a few conversations with students
    - Maintenance to give advance notice before entering
    - Hemlata - can reach out to HDH in order to let us know they want us to give notice
    - Why was the rent hike for Grad housing was hidden?
      - It is on the website
  - VP Lara
    - Can you talk about the reasoning for reintroducing triples?
    - Hemlata; Seeing the shortage of housing. Staff identified 700 spaces that were considered large enough to reintroduce triples
    - Hoping that the return of triples is temporary
  - Extension for 10 min, 2nd, no objections
  - Manu
    - Talk about changes in living learning center since before covid

- Square footage was lost in “inefficient use of space” Number of beds and rooms remained the same
- Sen Callahan
  - How are you keeping current and incoming students informed on number of beds available?
  - Stresses about knowing whether they will be able to get housing
  - Hemlata: goal is to have 4-year guaranteed housing. We cannot do all construction at once because we lose beds as we do that. Must be staggered
    - We have been able to expedite the process for letting continuing students know if they will have housing. Early march.
- Sen Zick
  - How do you plan on having transfer students have available housing?
  - They accept offers after undergrad
  - Stacy Travis
    - Currently in the housing applications are out now.
    - Attempting to make process quicker to allow students more time to look for off campus housing
    - Focusing incoming transfer to Rita and Pepper canyon.
- Sen Ang
  - From my understanding move to triples also meant doubles went to singles. Will move affect singles.
    - Answer. No. Only the 700 doubles will change to triples
- Extend time by 5 min, no objections
- Sen Rosario
  - Did you consider moving transfer hub to pepper canyon?
    - Ans. Triton hub will house transfer hub and others
    - Go in construction 2023 and finish late 2025
- Sen Griffith
  - Is there a way to know how many 2nd years might be offered a housing contract so students can begin to look for housing?
    - 3300 students have showed interest. Hopefully around next week we will have a better idea of how many we might be able to house
- Move to extend by 10 min, no objections

- Sen Zick
  - Mentioned Rita and Mathews, Issues about the upkeep of these buildings.  
What are your plannings fora dressing this
  - Will returning transfers be able to fall into group 3 since they qualify as 2nd year students
    - Ans; returners would fall into group 3
    - All res halls are inspected over summer
    - If you can notify maintenance, we will have our team address is
- Manu
  - Where can we reach you?
  - [hjhaveri@ucsd.edu](mailto:hjhaveri@ucsd.edu)
  - [cdayss@ucsd.edu](mailto:cdayss@ucsd.edu)
  - [kquenga@ucsd.edu](mailto:kquenga@ucsd.edu)
  - [jsenour@ucsd.edu](mailto:jsenour@ucsd.edu)
  - [stravis@ucsd.edu](mailto:stravis@ucsd.edu)
  - Please contact me for concerns or questions about The Village/ Pepper Canyon/ Rita or the Undergrad Housing Committee - happy to connect and partner and thanks for having us! [m4fox@ucsd.edu](mailto:m4fox@ucsd.edu)
  - [M4smith@ucsd.edu](mailto:M4smith@ucsd.edu)
  - <https://hdhfacilities.ucsd.edu/fix-it/index.html>

Special Presentation by Patricia Mahaffey. Sponsored by Manu Agni.

Special Presentation by AVP Chiang regarding the Professional Closet Program.

- Natalie Chiang
  - Aims to provide students access to interview clothing etc.
  - 730 students were reached

Difference between AS and Office of Food and Housing Sponsored by VPCA Isaac Lara.

### **Reports of Senator Projects**

- Sen Serena Zheng
  - Giving out care packages
  - Increased 100 to 200
  - March 7
  - For Muir Students only

- Sen Griffith
  - Moved first year tabling to Friday 11 to 3 pm on library walk
  - Giveaways
- Sen Rosario
  - Working on 2 projects with 6th provost
  - Building scholarship opportunity
  - Start an art installation in sixth college

## Reports of AS Senators

### Reports of AS Offices

- VP Blackshire
  - Board meeting happening this weekend
  - UCJ
  - Black Lobby Day
- VP Lara
  - <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1iuEkU9i4iE-wFw2trfHZdH1AgysEPJHJPvbjzn56LgE/edit>
  - Working on mentor mentee to plan how to meet each other
    - Goal is to know by week 10
  - Triton Dine is Monday night of Finals Week; Please keep it open
    - Requiring 1 or 2 shifts
  - Professional Development
    - Will be doing a series of development workshops at a reoccurring consistent time
    - Ideas, finding a job, how to sell AS on a resume
  - Constitution: College Councils have passes constitutional changes
  - Hold retreat time. March 5th.
- Manu
  - Spring break website is live
    - Hope is that students will travel less during spring break
  - Presidents boycotted meeting with president drake.
    - Will be joining policy meeting
    - Presidents will be visiting UCSD
  - Booster bucks

- Line item on agenda tonight.
    - 60000 from AS
    - 8000 from councils
    - 250000 from chancellor's office and a few other
  - March 1st is the deadline
- Triton Fest Camp Cozy
- PC vaccination site will be open late and through the event
- All council retreats
  - April 9th Saturday
- Pushing for later deadline for grade change
- Looking at partnerships to reduce price points of textbook
  - Trying to tailor program to data from survey
- 3rd floor of library
  - Thomas and I have been working on the library getting some seating there funded by library
- Question Time
- Sen Eng
  - When is triton dine?
  - VP Lara; March 14th 3 pm to 10 pm. Done when cleaning is done.

### **Reports of Standing Committees**

- Finance
  - F1 was moved to floor.
    - Move to approve, Second, no objections
- Legislative
  - L1 Passed, No Objections
  - L2 Passed, No Objections

### **Reports of External Committees**

- Sen Lopez
  - Starting March 1st, you will need a VPN to remote access computers
- Sen Nomani
  - UCAB: Formerly soda and swine, is not open yet.

### **Committee Question Time**

### **Discussion Items**

**Unfinished Business**

**Open Forum**

**Roll Call**

**Written Reports**

**Meeting Adjourned: 7:43 pm**

## Bills in Committee

### Finance Committee

F1. Allocation of \$30,000 from Unallocated to the Office of Food & Housing Resources for the Professional Closet Program. Sponsored by VPCA Isaac Lara.

### Legislative Committee

L1. Appointment of Mingxi Li as Multimedia Coordinator of the Office of Campus Affairs, effective immediately until appointment of successor. Sponsored by VPCA Isaac Lara.

L2. Appointment of Kristy Lee as Marketing & Communications Coordinator of the Office of Campus Affairs, effective immediately until appointment of successor. Sponsored by VPCA Isaac Lara.