



NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF CSU CHANNEL ISLANDS, INC.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, to the general public and to all members of the CSU Channel Islands Student Government that:

A regular meeting of the Student Government Senate will be held on Wednesday, September 2, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. on <https://csuci.zoom.us/j/96458424516> to consider and act upon the following matters:

- 1) Call to Order: 9:07 am
- 2) Roll Call:
 - a. Executive Branch:
 - i. President Nguyen
 - ii. Vice President Quiñonez
 - iii. Director Espinoza
 - iv. Chief of Staff Ball
 - v. Director Rugerio
 - b. Legislative Branch:
 - i. Senator Antonio
 - ii. Senator Bernal
 - iii. Senator Cruz
 - iv. Senator Murillo
 - v. Senator Trejo
 - vi. Senator Wells
 - vii. Senator Blackwell
 - viii. Senator Tolteca
 - c. Advisors:
 - i. Advisor Block-Weiss
 - ii. Advisor Alatorre
 - d. Members of the Public:
 - i. Christopher Jetton
 - ii. Maggie Domingo
 - iii. Roxane Beigel-Coryell
 - iv. Bridget Brokaw
- 3) Approval of Agenda:

I. (P. Antonio/ V. Murillo)

- a. I move to amend the agenda to strike out Outstanding Business Action item: Senator appointment

II. (Bernal/ Antonio) (7/0/0)

*Senator Tolteca arrived

- b. Approval of amended agenda

III. (8/0/0)

4) Approval of Minutes:

- a. ACTION ITEM: Approval of minutes from August 26, 2020

IV. (F. WELLS/ A. TREJO) (8/0/0)

5) Public Forum:

- a. C. Jetton: Introduced himself to the public. Informed that he is here to assist student in any way possible and will continue to attend senate meetings.
- b. R. Beigel-Coryell: Introduce herself. Shared that she excited to hear more about Student Government's priorities. There are new activities for students one being Coastal Clean-up giveaway. Another one is the cup campaign, giving free menstrual cups to students more information will be given next week.

6) Reports:

- a. Legislative Reports:

i. Senator of Academic Affairs (*N. Bernal*)

1. No report

ii. Senator of Alumni, Graduate & Credential (*F. Wells*)

1. Shared that he could not attend Clubs and Orgs fair this past Tuesday but plans to be there this Thursday.

iii. Senator of Commuters & Transportation (*I. Tolteca*)

1. No report

iv. Senator of Housing & Residential Education (*P. Antonio*)

1. No report

v. Senator of Social Justice (*H. Blackwell*)

1. No report

vi. Senator of Student Engagement (*V. Murillo*)

1. Reported back from clubs and orgs fair shared that turnout was about 4-5 students who were interested in Student Government.

vii. Senator of Sustainability & Technology (*A. Cruz*)

1. No report

viii. Senator of Wellness & Recreation (*A. Trejo*)

1. Shared that she is in communication with Honey Krueger, hoping to promote Wellness Education interest to students.
- b. Executive Reports:
- i. President's Report (*S. Nguyen*)
 1. No report
 - ii. Vice President's Report (*E. Quinonez*)
 1. Shared that she is part of the Title IX search committee, currently recruiting for a Title IX director. This recruitment is taking time there is currently a pool of around 50 candidates.
 2. Shared that she was in attendance of the Clubs and Orgs fair. Shared that around 4 students were interested in joining.
 - iii. Chief of Staff (*I. Ball*)
 1. Shared that he has been promoting the Intern program and sending eligibility forms to get students approved. Currently we have five interns and will be sending an email to introduce members to their intern.
 2. Shared that he is sitting in Provost search committee, interviews start 21st Sep through the 30th
 3. There is an event on campus, Diverse Dolphins, happening this Thursday at 4pm for more information reach out to Bonnie Landau.
 - iv. Director of External Affairs (*B. Espinoza*)
 1. Has been in contact with Vice President of CSSA Legislative affairs to get more information about Ballot Bowl.
 2. CSUCI is now registered in Ballot Bowl contest and we currently have 7 points.
 3. Hopes to create info graphics for social media to get students ready for the elections this November.
 - v. Director of Operations (*A. Rugerio*)
 1. Asked senators if they can please submit headshot and answers to the questions, she emailed as soon as possible so she can work on graphics to show off the team.
 2. Encouraged everyone to follow the Student Government Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook.
- c. Judicial Reports:
- i. None
- d. Advisor Reports:
- i. Advisor (*A. Block-Weiss*)
 1. Student Union is putting on a live game room. Leizelle has created a Modern Warfare tournament.

2. Student Programming Board and Student union is hosting a game night September 11 from 6pm- 8pm.
3. Student Programming Board is hosting art night September 3rd, students who sign up will have the opportunity to receive a craft packet for free.
4. All ASI programs are looking for members. Student Programming Board meets Thursdays 5:30pm- 6:30 p. CI View meets Mondays from 11am- 12:15 pm
5. Encourages everyone to promote ASI program's social media.
6. Last Friday the CI View sent out a newsletter via email to students.

ii. Advisor (*H. Alatorre*)

1. ASI Board Update: Board meeting are on Thursdays at 7:40 am it is an open meeting; anyone is welcome to join. Link to board meetings can be found in the ASI website.
2. Due to Covid-19 there has been a 5% cut in funding due to decreased enrollment. Other departments have experienced similar cuts. More information will be discussed in the board meeting.
3. University Auxiliary has seen a reduction in their sales and have had to let staff go. They are currently asking for rent forgiveness more information will be discussed at the board meeting.
4. Encouraged senate to look for committees that ask for student concerns. Engage with students and inform them how student fees work and how they are being used.
5. Working with Chief of Staff Ball on cup campaign. Asked Chief of Staff Ball to elaborate.
 - a. Chief of Staff: cup campaign is sending out free menstrual cups to students who sign up. Window to sign up is from September 8th- 21st. More information will be becoming as time approaches window.

e. Committee Reports:

i. None

~~7) Outstanding Business:~~

~~a. ACTION ITEM: Senator Appointments~~

8) New Business:

- a. INFORMATION ITEM: 2020-2021 Visions (S. Nguyen/E. Quinonez)
 - i. Shared visions and goals to senate and gave a description of what each goal means and the plan to achieve it.
 1. Build unity within and between spaces and groups across campus
 2. Develop and connect students with leadership development and involvement opportunity

3. Advocate for social justice, diversity, and inclusion to empower, uplift, and unify underrepresented student
4. Promote efficient and enviro sustainable practice across campus
5. Affordability -advocate for effective adequately and more affordable educational experience
6. Connect students with mental health resources and prioritize conversations about mental health

b. DISCUSSION ITEM: 2020-2021 Expectations (S. Nguyen/E. Quinonez)

- i. Vice President Quiñoñez introduced expectations for student government team.
- ii. Vice President Quiñoñez asked the board for feedback, thoughts, or questions:
 1. N. Bernal: Agreed with the message of creating a sense of family. Shared that it is important that we are welcoming and view issues with an intersectional lens
 2. F. Wells: Agreed that Senators should carry themselves inside and outside of the senate meetings.

c. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Virtual Clubs and Orgs Fair (S. Nguyen/ E. Quinonez)

- i. Vice President Quiñoñez sent out a Google form asking for team availability.
 1. It is important to reach out to students and not be intimidating but welcoming. Fair happen tomorrow from 2pm- 4pm.

*F. Wells yields time to Chief of Staff Ball

Chief of Staff: Sharing why you joined the Student Government team encourages other students to join -it makes the interaction more real.

d. INFORMATION ITEM: Civic Engagement (S. Nguyen/E. Quinonez)

- i. Civic Engagement is going to be a bigger initiative due to the climate that we are in. Students need to be well informed to make an educated choice when voting.

*F. Wells yields time to Advisor Alatorre.

- ii. Advisor Alatorre: Student Government has provided civic engagement day and it is often coupled with voter registration. Past offices have hosted Civic Engagement week and focused on educational information on why it is important to be involved. It is important to consider the new virtual environment that we are in.

*N. Bernal yields time to Advisor Block-Weiss.

- iii. Advisor Block-Weiss: Executive team will start brainstorming ideas, senate members feel free to share your ideas with President and Vice President.

e. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Voter Registration (S. Nguyen/E. Quinonez)

* F. Wells yields time to Advisor Alatorre

- i. Advisor Alatorre: CI is now registered for Ballot Bowl. It is important to get students to participate, get registered to vote, renew address if needed. President Nguyen, Director Espinoza, Advisor Block-Weiss, and Advisor Alatorre have talked to Marketing team to

create a graphic to market campaign on all our social media. Once created it is important to promote to students

- f. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Open Positions (S. Nguyen/E. Quinonez)

*N. Bernal yields time to Advisor Block-Weiss

- i. Advisor Block-Weiss: Encouraged senate to promote open positions, use the outline that has been created by President Nguyen. Gave information about the intern program. Explained who can be a senator and the responsibilities that follow. Explained responsibilities of Chief Justice and Associate Justice and responsibilities. ASI Board of Directors has an open Student Government seat, there is also four open student positions available.

9) Closing Comments:

- a. Senator Blackwell: asked for more information about art event.
- b. Chief of staff Ball: If you have any further questions on how to work with your intern feel free to contact me any time.
- c. Advisor Alatorre: Look up all the different programs of ASI to stay tuned on all events being hosted. ASI website also has events posted there.
- d. Senator Wells: Encourages team to take a moment of silence to honor the life of Chadwick Bozeman
- e. Vice President Quinonez: there is a lot going on in the world that can take a toll on our mental health. Be aware that CAPS is still open, and it is okay to ask for help. Take a moment to center yourself and prioritize your mental health before you can help serve others.
- f. Advisor Alatorre: Point of information Monday is a holiday, no school or work.

10) Adjournment: 10:29 am

Next Student Government Senate meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 9, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. on <https://csuci.zoom.us/j/96458424516>

Minutes respectfully taken by Aurora Rugerio, Director of Operations.