



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 9, 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, Sophie Nguyen
 - ii. Vice President, Emily Quinonez
 - iii. Director, Beatriz Espinoza
 - iv. Director, Aurora Rugerio
 - v. Chief of Staff, Isaiah Ball
 - b. Legislative Branch
 - i. Senator Pamela Antonio
 - ii. Senator Nicole Bernal
 - iii. Senator Ashley Cruz
 - iv. Senator Violeta Murillo
 - v. Senator Ayleen Trejo
 - vi. Senator Fred Wells
 - vii. Senator Harmony Blackwell
 - viii. Senator Ilie Tolteca
 - c. Advisors
 - i. Annie Block-Weiss
 - ii. Helen Alatorre
 - d. Members of the Public
 - i. Maggie Domingo

3) Approval of Agenda:

I. (F. Wells/ N. Bernal) 8/0/0

4) Approval of Minutes:

a. ACTION ITEM: Approval of minutes from September 2, 2020

II. (F. Wells/ N. Bernal) 8/0/0

5) Public Forum:

6) Reports:

a. Legislative Reports:

i. Senator of Academic Affairs (*N. Bernal*): None

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

1. Working on ways to get engaged with his constituents given the online environment.

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

1. Shared that she got an email regarding a committee on campus and was a bit confused.

*V. Murillo yields time to M. Domingo

2. M. Domingo: Gave more information about the committee

iv. Senator of Housing & Residential Education (*P. Antonio*): None

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

1. Informed the Senate about circulating Instagram account, Students for Trump, and some feelings that students have shared with H. Blackwell

*A. Trejo yields time to H. Alatorre

2. H. Alatorre: Clarified that club: Students for Trumps is not a registered club on campus. Due to freedom of speech, the campus cannot do anything to filter their context.

vi. Senator of Student Engagement (*V. Murillo*): None

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

1. Has been in communication with staff in the library. Informs that students can apply to rent out laptops and hotspots. Both resources are free of cost to students. Supplies are still available, but library is working on obtaining more funding for hotspot.

viii. Senator of Wellness & Recreation (*A. Trejo*): None

b. Executive Reports:

i. President's Report (*S. Nguyen*)

1. Shared that it is very important the executive team and senate encourage other students to join Student Government. Encourage the different leadership opportunities that are available on campus.
- ii. Vice President's Report (*E. Quinonez*)
 1. Serves in the Title IX committee. They have currently submitted scores for candidates of Title IX Director.
- iii. Chief of Staff (*I. Ball*)
 1. Currently working on the intern program, more students have submitted applications over the week and will get back to them soon. If you need help or have any questions regarding the intern program, please contact I. Ball
- iv. Director of External Affairs (*B. Espinoza*)
 1. Working on the final touches of Lobby Corps. More information will be coming out soon. Encourages everyone to promote Lobby Corps once more information is out.
- v. Director of Operations (*A. Rugerio*)
 1. Has been in contact with their intern, trying to set up a schedule to get projects started.
- c. Judicial Reports:
 - i. None
- d. Advisor Reports:
 - i. Advisor (*A. Block-Weiss*)
 1. Informed that the CI view still has positions available and student seats available in various committees around campus. Promote open positions to your peers.
 - ii. Advisor (*H. Alatorre*)
 1. Informed that in past board meeting the amendment to forgive rent to University Auxiliary passed.
 2. Encouraged senate to look into getting involved to the different committees that are available. Explain the benefits of being a part of a committee.
- e. Committee Reports:
 - i. None

7) Outstanding Business:

*E. Quinonez explained to senate why action item should be moved to next senate meeting.

- a. ACTION ITEM: Senator Appointments
I move to table Action Item: Senator Appointments to next week's senate meeting

III. (F. Wells/ P. Antonio) 8/0/0

8) New Business:

- a. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Committees (E. Quinonez)
 - i. E. Quinonez: Named various committees on campus that the senate could be a part of. Informed the senate that an email with more information regarding the different committees listed will be sent out soon.
- b. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Student Advisory Board (E. Quinonez)
 - i. Dr. Yao and Toni DeBoni have decided to create a student advisory board. This will be student focused. Dr. Yao hopes that having students be a part of the board will help him tackle issues that students are facing. Student Government will have a seat in the board.
- c. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Menstrual Cups (I. Ball)
 - i. Informed that the window to apply for a menstrual cup will be from September 8th-21st. Just like the food pantry, a potential form of delivering the menstrual cup to students will be through a drive thru pick-up. Graphics and captions to promote menstrual cups to students have already been created. Student Government has a specific slot in which they can post but for now it is very important to share information from other CI accounts.
 - ii. H. Alatorre: Past offices have tried to give out menstrual cups to students but could not be due to budget. Now that the opportunity has presented it is important to promote this opportunity to students.
- d. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: CSSA (B. Espinoza)
 - i. Gave a presentation that described what CSSA is.
- e. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Open Positions (S. Nguyen/E. Quinonez)
 - i. S. Nguyen: It is very important to empower other students and encourage them to get involved on campus. We need to help students find their potential and encourage them to try new things.
 - ii. E. Quinonez: Named open Student Government positions and described each role's duties and responsibilities.

9) Closing Comments:

- a. A. Rugerio: Has a project in the making and asked senate to share their headshots as soon as possible.
- b. N. Bernal: September 11 is the last day to add or drop a class.
- c. S. Nguyen: Mental Health is very important. CAPS is still open if anyone needs anyone to talk to.
- d. A. Block-Weiss: There is going to be a Budget Town Hall September 11 from 1pm- 2pm.

10) Adjournment: 10:27 am

Next Student Government Senate meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 16, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. on <https://csuci.zoom.us/j/96458424516>

Minutes respectfully taken by Aurora Rugerio, Director of Operations.