SGA Cabinet Meeting
Minutes
March 13, 2008
CC 204 7:00pm – 9:00pm

Members Present: Emily Taylor, Aliza Leventhal, Erin Molloy, Nora Yim, Yvanka De Soysa, Becca Homa, Megan Gallo, J.J. Yang, Marlowe Dieckmann, Rochelle Valdez (7:42 pm), Channa Heng (7:54), Rae-Anne Butera
Absent: Shadavia Jones, A.M. Harmon, Ayesha Siddiqui, Keena Humphrey, Margaret Mongare

1. Call to Order & Attendance
   a. Tay called the meeting to order at 7:07 pm

2. Committee updates
   a. Megan: no one has signed up for elections
   b. Marlowe: changed turnover meeting date; Sunday April 13th – leadership building session to get to know their future HPs; there will be an HPA cabinet; not voting on cabinet until after training; vice chair will run all house competitions & work with SGA; possibility of “constitutional convention” to update outdated house constitutions
   c. Aliza: About $7,000 left for the year
   d. J.J: needs help with coming up with theme for party
   e. Yvanka: will have meeting after Cabinet; made Facebook group

3. Tay’s Updates
   a. ORC Conversation
      1. All agree that we should have some sort of jurisdiction over organizations; Rochelle and Tay will draft ideas over break and have it by next Cabinet meeting
   b. Public Safety Forum II
      1. President Christ and Paul Ominsky will be there
   c. SGA Trustees
      1. Meeting went very well, good feedback, impressed by preparation
      2. Meeting with governance committee – ways to improve role of SGA Trustees: following every board meeting, next Sophian article will be written by SGA Trustees
      3. Work on website and have comment box for SGA trustees; mentorship between (incoming) SGA president and incorporate more social activities
   d. Quadstock
      1. Katie Garwood (HP of King) inviting SGA to participate in Quadstock, April 20th 1-4 pm
   e. Public Safety Appreciation Event in the Quad
      1. Nora and A.M. – follow up to make sure Wilson House is behind it
   f. Women’s Education Worldwide
      1. Meeting with Dean Ohotnicky: reach out for people to participate if they will be here in June
   g. Staff Appreciation Day
1. April 8th; cookies, give students opportunities to write letters (how to gather notes beforehand?) Yvanka and Megan will be in charge

4. Diversity Committee Time: Becca
   I. Brainstorming
      a. Does not function according to bylaws, how to address issue?
      b. 8 members any class years (voting by all campus election), SGA committee supposed to be in charge of house reps? Social justice committee in Reslife? Support diversity committee, solidify role
      c. Appointing position rather than electing, revamp mission of diversity
      d. Select 2 representatives from Senate, 2 from first years, 4 from ENA
      e. Committee lacks specific purpose
      f. Use an academic model: SAAs and curriculum committee

5. Curriculum Proposal Update
   a. Provost/President putting together to work out AMS course

6. Rumor Mill/Sentiment on Campus/Open Discussion
   a. OMA Search: hoping to bring candidates to campus sometime after spring break
   b. Smith Rant: Satellite gyms and computer labs; lines for parking spaces need to be repainted; CDO and fax machine; why we don’t we do ASPECTS anymore;
   c. Talk to people about SGA elections and encourage them

7. Adjournment
   a. Motion to adjourn: 8:40 pm