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Florida International University

Student Government Council – Biscayne Bay Campus & Pines Center

MINUTES
SGC-BBC General Meeting
August 4, 2010

IN ATTENDANCE

Christin “Cici” Battle, President
Denise Halpin, Vice President
Katherine Bernardoni, Executive Assistant
Oehleo Higgs, Press Secretary, 3:34 pm
Angelena Adams, Elections Commissioner
Marie Wray, Special Events Coordinator
Andrea Cruz, Honors College Senator
Lea Meir, Lower Division Senator
Deyan Ivanov, Senator At-large
Dametreus Vincent, Graduate Senator
Claudia Padget, Director of Academic Affairs
Salvatore DeVito, Director of Legislative Affairs
Izabel Maza, Director of Community Relations & Outreach

EXCUSED

Silvia Revilla, Internship Coordinator
Carolina Levy, Housing Senator
Emmanuel Osemota, Senator At-Large

ABSENT

Katherine Capeluto, Chief of Staff
Anaisabel Garcia, SJMC Senator
Robert Tassy, SJMC Senator

GUEST

Michelle Reyes, Student
Tanha Dill, SPC President
Tamicha Roger, SPC Member
Demi Morroquin, SPC Vice President
Sanjay Dhawan, Coordinator, Undergraduate Education

CALL TO ORDER

The Student Government Association (BBC) held a meeting on May 19, 2010– Locale **WUC 155**. The meeting was called to order at **3:31pm**, approximately, by President Christin Battle who presided over the meeting in its entirety.

President's Report:

Panther Den updates- quote for panther den banners, paws, and title on the wall. She will be meeting with Felicia tomorrow to show her the spacing. There will be a one a month partnering with Aramark to enhance people coming around the Panther Den and using their resources. USSA: we represent 4.5 million students. Our goal is to get everyone to DC. Rocco is now South East vice chair and Cici is ____ officer. FSA update: Dametreus and Cici went to recruit FSA into USSA. Next meeting will be taking place in September. She met with Steve Mal yesterday, where they spoke on the guerilla marketing campaign. He agreed to sending letters to faculty to make sure they allow student government members to speak up in classes. Move in day will take place on August 20th which will give us the opportunity to get to know more students and introduce ourselves. Mini retreat will be taking place on August 16th and dinner will be provided. A lot will be taking place; the breaking down of goals, team builders, etc.

Vice President's Report:

She is working on SGA pamphlets and should we done by the first week of school. She also met with Warren to get intramural sports times going on. There will also be a flag football and basketball tournament going on in Tracy Morning. Relay and DM announcements were made. She is also continuing to work on the bus project. The showcase event will be in Spring. Deyan moved to have a senate update. Andrea seconded. All were in favor. Motion passed.

Senate Report:

Finance chair nominations are open. There was a resolution passed about the Panther Den. Written by Robert and sponsored by Dametreus, Deyan and Lea to name the cafeteria the Panther Den.

SPC Report:

SPC is asking for SGA report for Homecoming week. Monday afternoon is the Pep Rally and Wednesday night there is a variety show taking place here at BBC in the Theatre. Homecoming dance will be taking place on Thursday. Summer Splash had about 180 people there at the event. October 28th will be the step show. They want SGA to have a bus from MMC to the BBC step show. August 30th there is an involvement fair going on and then the following week is fall fest.

New Business

Professionalism workshop

ANOUNCEMENTS

- A. Mini Retreat, August 16th, 5-9 pm, TBA
- B. Welcome Week BBQ, August 23rd Panther Sq. 12 noon
- C. Blue and Gold Breakfast, August 24th, Panther Sq. 8:30 am
- D. Restaurant Fair, August 25th Panther Sq. 12 noon
- E. Freshman Luau, August 26th, Panther Sq. 12 noon
- F. SGA Day, August 31st, TBA
- G. Florida International University's Recreation Expo on Wednesday, September 1st, from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm the WUC room.

The meeting was dismissed by President Christin Battle at **4:23 pm**.