

March 10, 2021 at 3:00 p.m.
Zoom and OSC Balkans Room
Second meeting of the semester

MINUTES:

- I. Welcome – Megan opened the meeting at 3:07 p.m. We had five attend via Zoom and one attend in-person, for a total of six people.
- II. Minutes from last meeting, February 17, 2021, were emailed to the group on December 15, 2021. No changes or corrections to the minutes were suggested, minutes approved.
- III. University Committee Representation/Reports – All graduate representative name and contact information has been given to the committee chairs. You should be contacted by someone soon regarding upcoming meetings.
 - a. Library Services Committee – Alexis Melson – No report.
 - b. Academic Honesty Committee – Morgan Blalock – Unknown/No Report.
 - c. Student Learning Committee – Megan Munger – No report.
 - d. Information Technology Council (ITC) – Saivardhan Banoor – Unknown/No Report. ITC meeting minutes are available here:
<https://www.pittstate.edu/it/information-technology-services/information-technology-council.html#undefined1>
 - e. B.B. has reached out to the committees and they have names and contact information for students.

IV. Executive Officer Reports

- a. President – Megan Munger – No report.
- b. Vice President – Mary Marine – Unknown/No Report.
- c. Secretary – Alexis Melson – No report.

V. GSAC Committee Reports

- a. Communication and Outreach – Michelle Cronk – Unknown/No report.
- b. Events committee – Mary Marine and Jaquelyn Bouchie – Unknown/No report.
 - i. B.B. has not heard anything.
- c. Ad hoc G.A. Pay/Salary Proposal – Megan – Has not met with Chanel, but have been in communication. Minimal progress. They are working on it and their goal is still to bring something to the Provost in May.

VI. Old Business

- a. Status of planning a GSAC event for this semester.
 - i. Megan will email Mary and Jaquelyn to see if there are any new updates.

VII. New Business

- a. No new business.

VIII. For the Good of the Order / Announcements / Department / Program News

- a. March 14 – 18, 2022 – Spring break
- b. March 24, 2022 – PSU Spring Career Day
 - i. Full-time employment opportunities.
 - ii. Jacob plans to attend.
 - iii. The event will be in the Ballroom of the Overman Student Center.
- c. March 29, 2022 CGRS – Capitol Graduate Research Summit – New Date
 - i. Will be in Topeka, Kansas.
 - ii. Jaquelyn will be presenting. Brian Simms is going as well. B.B. is going with him.
 - iii. Five students from Pittsburg State will attend. A student from biology, three are possibly from the sciences, and Jaquelyn is from the Communication department.
- d. April 9, 2022 – Gorilla Showcase (HS recruitment event) – Saturday at the Student Rec Center
 - i. Event that is put on by the Admissions Office. They invite high school students to come. There should be an information fair for each department in the Rec Center to talk about different majors offered here at Pitt State.
 - ii. Students will be provided with a meal and a ticket to either the baseball or softball game that day.
 - iii. If you know any high school students that are looking into Pitt State encourage them to sign-up and come to the event!
- e. April 13, 2022 – PSU Colloquium
 - i. Will be on campus, and in-person with some virtual presentations. Should be in the Ballroom of the Overman Student Center.
 - ii. Alexis mentioned they will be presenting. Megan will still be attending.
 - iii. A great way to see what students from different disciplines are up to.
- f. May 13 & 14, 2022 – Commencement
 - i. Jake, Jenifer, Megan, and Alexis will be graduating this semester. Others may be as well that were not in attendance.
 - ii. There is a limit to how many people may walk with the student graduating, but there should not be a limit on the amount of people that can be in the stands.

IX. Adjournment – The meeting was adjourned at 3:20 PM.

A link of the recorded meeting:

https://pittstate.zoom.us/rec/share/epgWpts_ffv_UO5UBe9Av0hRwP2CFzUZgOJSidzewiufkCi9uyp44S3l5GQ_QYOMo.CwqoYhtoRoW3Kk7l

Next meeting will be on April 14, 2022 at 3:00 p.m. – via Zoom only. B.B. will send out invitations and reminders for that meeting.

Minutes Submitted by,
Alexis Melson