

MINUTES
DASB SENATE MEETING
Wednesday, September 30, 2009
3:30pm
Student Council Chambers

Call to Order

Marlo Custodio called the meeting to order at 3:30pm.

Roll Call

<u>Name</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent</u>	<u>Late</u>	<u>Left Early</u>	
Khalid Ali	X			X 5:58pm	Excused
Omar Ali	X			X 5:58pm	Excused
Khoa Bui	X				
Jorj Cheko	X				
Marlo Custodio	X				
Josh Chou	X				
Samera Hadi	X				
Lucas Ho	X				
Keith Hubbard			X 3:38pm		Excused
Wason Huynh	X				
Scarlett Kim	X				
Nicole Lau	X				
Eric Li	X				
Natalie Liu	X				
Lily Loi	X				
Jonathan Mai			X 3:38pm		Excused
Mayra Miranda	X				
Huan Nguyen	X				
Trish Pham	X				
Amir Pourshafiee	X				
Yang Qiu	X				
Mo Shirazi			X 3:38pm		Excused
Ji Sin	X				
Wayne Spalding	X			X 5:58pm	Excused
Sharon Su	X				
Bobo Teo	X				
Theresa Thian	X				
Christine Tran	X				
Dora Ventura			X 3:45pm		Excused
John Yan	X			X 5:00pm	Excused

Junior Senators

<u>Name</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent</u>	<u>Late</u>	<u>Left Early</u>
Jack Chuang		X		
Anaruth Hernandez	X			
Levon Minassian	X			
April Seo	X			

Guests: La Donna Yumori-Kaku, John Cognetta, Michele LeBleu-Burns, Jason Phalla, Stacie Miller, Thomasina Russaw, Alan Cheng, Chung-An "Tony" Chen, Shahram Kouklari, Lalitha Kristipati, Michael Reyes, Lillian Huang, Joanna Leong, Tanisha Bhatti, John "Jarren" Lu,

Ahmed Mostufa, Mariam Azhar, Natasha Asar, Michael Rozynski, Jonathan Lee, Lena Ghamrawi, Crystal Welsh, David A. Cardenas, Amie Ngan, Kevin Rahbar, Yuka Eguchi, Patrik Andreasson, Peter Lin, Edna Sharron, Gary Hsieh, Yu-Ta Chen, Kim Duong, Marc Felipe Tolliver

Approval of Minutes

Wednesday, August 5, 2009

Wayne Spalding noted that on Pages 3 and 5, Wason Huynh's last name is mistyped as Spalding. Omar Ali noted his absence was excused.

Bobo Teo moved to approve the minutes of Wednesday, August 5, 2009 as amended.

Omar Ali seconded.

Motion to approve the minutes of Wednesday, August 5, 2009 as amended was passed by consensus.

Public Comments

Please note: Members of the public are limited to two minutes. The Senate cannot take action or respond to items during public comments.

- Jason Phalla: Here to become a junior senator and hopes to get to know everyone well and become part of the team.
- Chung-An "Tony" Chen: From Taiwan. Here to become a junior senator.
- Alan Cheng: Also trying to be a junior senator and see how he can help out the DASB.

Burning Issues

- Bobo Teo: This is the start of a new quarter and new year. Please, please, please keep the office clean. Is afraid of bugs and will freak out if she finds any.
- John Yan: Has a flash drive that he doesn't know whose it is.
- Isabelle Barrientos: If you do use any desk, please clean up after yourself.
- Omar Ali: If you move DASB supplies to the council chambers to work on a project, please move them back into the office.
- Wason Huynh: If you're going to bring other people into the lounge, please stay out of other people's lockers.
- Jorj Cheko: Welcome back Senators, he knows that minimum requirement is one committee, but keep in mind that junior senators and agents sometimes do more than some senators.
- Marlo Custodio: Thank you to those who give their time to those who come by the office. For those who haven't really visited any who come by the office, please try to extend greetings to them.

Consent Calendar

1. Remove Wason Huynh as a member of the Diversity and Events Committee.
2. Remove Jorj Cheko as a member of the Administration Committee.
3. Remove Samera Hadi as a member of the Campus Environment and Sustainability Committee.
4. Remove Huan Nyugen as a member of the Student Rights and Campus Relations Committee.
5. Remove Dora Ventura as a member of the Student Rights and Campus Relations Committee.
6. Approve Samera Hadi as Vice Chair of the Diversity and Events Committee.

Bobo Teo moved to approve the Consent Calendar as presented.

Mo Shirazi seconded.

Motion to approve the Consent Calendar as presented was passed by consensus.

Business

7. DISCUSSION/ACTION

Rescind the decision to remove Amie Ngan from the Senate

This item is to discuss and approve rescinding the decision made on August 5, 2009 to remove Amie Ngan from the Senate.

Presenter: Marlo Custodio

Time Limit: 10 minutes

Omar Ali moved to rescind the decision made on August 5, 2009 to remove Amie Ngan from the Senate.

Mo Shirazi seconded.

Discussion occurred.

Bobo Teo moved to end the discussion.

Wason Huynh seconded.

Motion to end the discussion was passed by consensus.

Motion to rescind the decision made on August 5, 2009 to remove Amie Ngan from the Senate was passed unanimously.

8. INFORMATION

Financial Aid and Students on Waitlist

This item is to present information on what role the Senate has in regards to financial aid and students on waitlists.

Presenter: Chair

Time Limit: 5 minutes

Information was presented.

9. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

Leadership Styles

This item will inform and educate on numerous leadership styles that exist. What is your style?

Presenter: Michele LeBleu-Burns

Time Limit: 30 minutes

Wason Huynh moved to table Business Item #9, Leadership Styles, until Michele LeBleu-Burns arrives.

Scarlett Kim seconded.

Motion to table Business Item #9, Leadership Styles, until Michele LeBleu-Burns arrives was passed by consensus.

15. INFORMATION

Foothill Student Body President

This item is to introduce the Foothill Student Body President and to inform the DASB Senate of the current endeavors of the Foothill ASB.

Presenter: Chair

Time Limit: 10 minutes

Information was presented.

10. INFORMATION

Standards and Expectations

This item will be for the DASB President to present the standards and expectations of the Senate.

Presenter: Chair

Time Limit: 15 minutes

Information was presented.

11. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION

Letter to Self

This item is to take time on writing a letter to your future self. You will receive this letter at mid-spring.

Presenter: Chair

Time Limit: 20 minutes

Information was presented.

Moved to discussing Business Item #9, Leadership Styles.

Information was presented.

12. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

Open House

This item is to discuss the plus and deltas of the recent Open House.

Presenter: Chair

Time Limit: 15 minutes

Discussion occurred.

13. INFORMATION

The Student Kickoff

This item will inform and encourage outreaching for the upcoming Student Kickoff.

Presenter: Chair

Time Limit: 10 minutes

Information was presented.

14. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

The Green Initiative Fund

This item will educate the importance, the advantages, and the net benefits of The Green Initiative Fund (T.G.I.F).

Presenter: Keith Hubbard

Time Limit: 15 minutes

Information was presented and discussion occurred.

Mo Shirazi moved to extend the time limit by 5 minutes.

Nicole Lau seconded

Motion to extend the time limit by 5 minutes was passed with 13 yes to 10 no votes.

Discussion occurred.

Informational Reports

External Committees

- ICC:
 - April Seo: First ICC meeting, wasn't sure what was going on. Found out that aside from doing information for the clubs, they also present information about the DASB. In the club event it says the Kick Off is 10:30am to 1:30pm which is wrong. We need to have a better communication with ICC. Also gave a report about what the DASB is doing in the future.
- College Opening Day
 - Jorj Cheko: The executives introduced themselves. After that day, the faculty understood that the DASB are serious this year. Explained about the direction the senate is going to go.
 - Keith Hubbard: College Opening Day, Was an opportunity for the faculty to meet with the senate and the senate to meet with the faculty. They probably believe more in the DASB than the DASB believes in themselves.
 - Marlo Custodio: College Opening Day, The faculty came up and showed appreciation for the DASB and the work the DASB is doing. Thanked the DASB for reminding them what the faculty are there for. Faculty even gave the DASB a standing ovation. There is a high expectation for the DASB now

Internal Committees

- Budget and Finance:
 - Sharon Su: Had the first meeting this Monday. Talked about a couple things. Elected people for their specific roles within the committee. Budget deliberations are coming soon.
- Student Services:
 - Amir Pourshafiee: Went over scholarships.

Introduction/Approval of Prospective Senators/Junior Senators

Lena Ghamrawi	1 st meeting
Stacie Miller	1 st meeting
Patrik Andreasson	1 st meeting
Michael Reyes	1 st meeting
Mariam Azhar	1 st meeting
Marc Felipe Tolliver	1 st meeting
John "Jarren" Lu	1 st meeting
Crystal Welsh	1 st meeting
Natasha Asar	1 st meeting
Chung-An "Tony" Chen	1 st meeting
Alan Cheng	1 st meeting
Shahram Kouklari	1 st meeting
Jonathan Lee	1 st meeting
Jason Phalla	1 st meeting

Announcements

- Isabelle Barrientos: Promised her geography teacher she would show the campus map. It is not a map because it has no scale.
- April Seo: LEAD is going to visit the farmers again. They're collecting books, clothes, shoes, etc.
- Jorj Cheko: Two weeks from today, we're going to be celebrating Diwali.
- Anaruth Hernandez: Flier in mailboxes about a film event.
- Keith Hubbard: Check out 350.org
- April Seo: Next Thursday is club day.
- Marlo Custodio: Student Kick Off is October 6.

Appreciations

Appreciations occurred.

Future Agenda Items

Future Agenda Items did not occur.

Adjournment

Marlo Custodio adjourned the meeting at 6:27pm.

Submitted by

Jessica Dunlap
DASB Secretary
Approved Wednesday, October 7, 2009