

Senate Minutes
March 31st, 2017

- I. Call to Order @ 2:32 pm
 - A. Pledge of Allegiance
 - B. Roll Call
 1. 12 present
- II. Adoption of the Agenda
 - A. None.
- III. Approval of the Minutes
 - A. March 24th, 2017
 1. Approved as read.
- IV. Guest Speakers
 - A. Jayana Benevente with CAB After Dark
 1. Thanks for having me. CAB after Dark last year got a lot of positive feedback. It will be on Friday April 14th in Lot H.
 - a) D'Mario: Waistband? You get right then and will have to be wearing it to get it.
 - b) Denis: Where? Parking Lot H (Commons)
 - c) D/Mario: An image to post? I will send it to VP and he can email it to you all.
- V. Appointments
 - A. Director of Public Relations & Strategic Management
 1. Rhea Azamar
 - a) I have taken on the responsibilities for this position for a the past month and I also work PR for @UWF.
 - b) No debate.
 - c) Vote pasess.
- VI. Unfinished Business
 - A. None
- VII. New Business
 - A. None
- VIII. Executive Addresses
 - A. President
 1. Cabinet position: Allende had to resign about a month ago and I would like to have Rhea to take on his role and title since she has taken on those roles. Florida's government's early budgets were released and they were both very different in the terms of higher education budget. Will keep you posted in the coming months. Programs that will be restarting
 - a) Whipple motions to expand the rules to amend the agenda. Seconded by Francois. Vote passes.
 - b) Whipple: Moves to add Rhea to Appointments. Seconded by Pierre. Vote passes.

B. Vice President

1. Talking to Jenny about all our achievements, we have done so many positive improvements to our campus. Congrats to all the people who won awards today.
 - a) Patel: Executive Board needs more communication with Legislative Branch. President Hebert has gotten started a great path for us.
 - b) Collins: Seating arrangement is great. Freshman Committee did a great job.
 - c) Azamar: President, VP, and CoS were all open to criticism.
 - d) Hamilton: The elections going on around the state where it's all negative and aggressive between the two branches. Jenny encourages to continue with the transparency we have built and to continue with the new ideas and projects.
 - e) Zimmerman states we as a whole were all open to new ideas and how we could make things better.
 - f) D'Mario: ask more questions on voting. More than just yes or no.
 - g) Hebert: Bigger projects we seem to get starry eyes and caught up in the excitement so I think we missed a great smaller projects we could have done.
 - h) Frye: You all have grown this Senate and I hope you see the change in yourself and continue to grow. Think of all you observed and helped done. Take a moment to reflect on that.
 - i) Patel: I can say that I have learned to approach better when dealing with different conversations and situations. I will continue to grow and thank you to the people who help me see that.
 - j) Avecedo: I would like to see more discussion inside and outside Senate. I feel that because my high school SGA was close was because we felt we could go to anyone and talk about anything.

C. Chief of Staff

1. I have a small update from Uber. We got budget numbers and details on bring Uber to campus and now we have to go see and talk about it with Chip. Annual report. And some graphics.

IX. Legislative Addresses

A. Budget & Allocations

1. 3 requests. 2 travels and 1 project. All were granted.

B. University Affairs

1. Williams: gave all teaching awards at Honors Convocation. We are doing something for Finals. Will talk to Brock about that.

C. Student Affairs

1. Thank you for coming to the tailgate. Will be talking to UA for Snacks for exam week.

D. Treasurer

1. Sending a emails for budget folders updates.
- E. Freshman
1. Calvert: Tailgate on April 22nd. Monte thought it would be great to get a obstacle course. Look for an email.
- X. Administrative Addresses
- A. Dr. Kevin Bailey, VPSA
1. Ask and you shall receive! We have a touchdown version. Opportunities for students participation. Sing along time! Debut it at the Spring game on the April 22nd and to the new students during orientation.
 - a) Calvert: Bands with us at the game? No, starting a band is very expensive. We will probably play it through the loudspeaker.
- XI. Adjournment
- A. Standing Committee Reports
1. Hamilton: We need two students to sit on the Profession Ed Committee April 6th.
 2. Whipple: Safety Walk was successful!
- B. Closing Announcements
1. Azamar: Tomorrow is ADpi Lion Share at Flounders TBA.
 2. Hamilton: elections are next week! Announcing the winners on Wednesday. Housing Fair next week 11-2pm.
- C. Roll Call
1. 12 present
- D. Adjourn @ 3:12 pm
1. Whipple motions. Francois seconded.