



The Office of the Eastern Illinois University
Student Government

"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today." - Malcolm X

Student Senate Agenda

The 27th day of February 2019

- I. Call to Order 7:02pm
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - a. Motion by Conlin, second by Garvey
 - b. Motion to add senator McClarien to roll by White, Second by Osborne
- IV. Approval of the Agenda
- V. Motion by Perri, Second by White
- VI. Audience Participation
 - a. Tess McCarthy of University Board
 - i. Here to inform senators of the opportunities to serve in University Board, it is the main event planning board here at Eastern.
 - ii. Duties – Office hours, 1 on 1 with grad and chair, Participate in concert and homecoming.
 - iii. As a chair you are in charge of your committee's budget, plan events, develop strong leadership skills
 - iv. Work in a team environment to complete tasks and objectives in a timely manner.
 - v. Examples of events; Pops with cops, Cultural fest, dia de los Muertos.
 - vi. Sometimes collaborate with other groups including student government.
 - vii. Accepting applications for human potential coordinator and graphic designers.
- VII. Advisor Report – Ceci Brinker
 - a. No Report
- VIII. Graduate Report – Sophia Sarver
 - a. No Report
- IX. Consent Agenda
 - a. Motion to approve by Yeakel, Seconded by Douglas. 21-0-0
 - b. Appointment of Ethan Osborne as Parliamentarian
- X. Student Body President – Rebecca Cash
 - a. Its on Us
 - i. April 1st – 4th
 1. Monday; Video Release and Social Media Contest
 2. Tuesday; Strike out sexual assault bowling night
 3. Wednesday; Consent is sweet
 4. Thursday; "Sexual assault can happen anywhere" – Scavenger hunt
 - b. Elections
 - i. Packets are available for senator and Executive Board – Due March 7th

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- ii. Marketing is up, please reach out to other students to apply.
- c. Panther Service Day
 - i. Sign up to be a site leader, there will be pop tarts
- XI. Speaker Report – Tarve’a Durant
 - a. Council of chairs
 - i. No meeting this week, waiting for grads to contact committee chairs
 - ii. Meetings will resume this upcoming Monday
 - b. Diversity Requirements
 - i. First one is due Friday, March 8th.
 - ii. Make sure to get one filled out when you attend a qualifying event.
 - c. Let your voice be heard tabling series
 - i. Next one will be March 19th
 - ii. 11am-2pm
 - iii. Flyers are in the SAC, need to be put up around campus
 - d. Student government display board
 - i. Updating currently
 - e. Reaching out to students who are not in student government to sit on committee meetings.
 - f. Working with diversity affairs chair to plan a minority leadership workshop.
- XII. Executive Reports
 - a. Executive Vice President – Zachary Cohen
 - i. Student Action team
 - 1. application is live, please inform other students
 - 2. Survey will be going out this upcoming week
 - 3. Training will be the week after spring break.
 - ii. Judicial
 - i.1. Bill is on the agenda tonight, I will talk about it them.
 - b. Vice-President of Academic Affairs – Carson Gordon
 - i. Prowlin’ with the Prez
 - 1. Will be changing the date of the event so it isn’t during elections.
 - 2. Most likely will be in late April
 - ii. Student Deans
 - 1. Met with Tess McCarthy about LSBAT
 - iii. Faculty Senate
 - 1. Reading through nominations for the Distinguished faculty award
 - iv. Council of Academic Affairs
 - 1. Voting on 16 items at the meeting this week
 - v. Awards Ceremony
 - 1. Meeting with Lou next week to help plan the event.
 - 2. More info will be coming soon
 - c. Vice-President of Student Affairs – Alicia Matusiak
 - i. EIU Cares

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1. Friday March 22nd from 10-4
 2. PEM's Model
 - ii. Apportionment Board
 1. Meeting tomorrow in the 1895 room
 2. Will be discussing how the budget will be allocated
 3. The groups will then have a week to discuss how they want to re-allocate their budgets and then re-present
 - iii. GSAC
 1. Career Services advice
 - i.a. If you have a dream career and are not sure how to get there, find someone on linkedin and look at their jobs on how to get there.
- XIII. Old Business
- XIV. New Business
 - a. Senate Bill 18-19-07
 - i. The purpose of the bill is to establish a committee tasked with researching the Judicial Branch and establishing Job Descriptions for the Judicial Branch. Carson Gordon will be established as the chair of the committee.
 - ii. Motion to amend by Senator Luter, Seconded by Osborne. To VPSA instead of VPAA 21-0-0
 - a.iii. Motion to table by Yeakel, Second by Conlin 21-0-0
 - b. Senate Resolution 18-19-07
 - i. After watching the event and realizing all of the hard work and time that BSU and the contestants have put into the event, we wanted to show thanks as a student body to them for that work.
 - ii. Motion to call the resolution to vote by Perri, second by White 21-0-0
 - b.iii. Vote 21-0-0
- XV. Committee Reports
 - a. Internal Affairs
 - i. IM's coming up
 1. Indoor Kickball deadline March 6th
 2. Esports-NHL- deadline March 6th
 - ii. Senate Stars
 1. Please nominate senate stars
 - iii. Bonding Events Ideas
 1. Skating
 2. Escape Room
 3. Cooking Class
 4. Lock in/Overnight Retreat
 5. Service To-Go Project
 - iv. Office Hours
 1. Do them
 - a.2. You will get a letter if you have not been doing them.

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XVI. Announcements

- a. Library has a space exhibit, speaker from NASA will be on campus tomorrow 4pm one on one, Library 4440.
- b. Diversity requirement event
 - i. Black box theater, March 2nd 7:30pm in Doudna Theater
- c. Dean of the Library wanted to get student feedback on what students would like in a spiritual/prayer room in the library – Speak to Nia with ideas
- d. GMAT study group will be meeting weekly, look for meeting times and locations on posters around campus.
- e. Special Olympics is coming up April 26th, speak to senator Conlin for more information
- f. March 1st is the date to submit any writing you have. speak for Senator Khamisani for more information.

XVI.g. Housing is looking to hire conference assistants for over the summer

XVII. Adjournment

XVII.a. Motion to adjourn by Perri, second my Malloy Adjourned at 7:53pm

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