



Associated Students of Loyola Marymount University

Senate Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, March 16, 2016
12:40pm - Malone 112

I. PRELIMINARIES

- A. Call to Order- Meeting started at 12:50pm
- B. Quorum Check-All senators present
- C. Approval of Minutes- Minutes approved
- D. Agenda Changes- All approved agenda change to discuss Syrian Scholarship
- E. Hearing of the Public (10 minutes per topic)- At this time, any member of the public may address Senate on non-agenda items

II. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. Composting by Senator Leung- change the pick up zone for composting to the open hill near Hannon, will publicize on social media and will take stats for the month of April. Want to bring back dorm energy competition. Model is based off of UC Davis which is a model for green campuses. Will use a sort of ticker to measure progress of the program. Next year we can opt in up to 900 students, by next semester that number is 350.
- B. Service Day by Senator Perez- Contacted Lorena Chavez, the president's service day has changed to focus more on special games, Senator Arroyo suggested a possible new service day with newly elected senators.
- C. Syrian Refugee Scholarship- If resolution that is presented is passed, a Syrian refugee will be treated as an international student to be eligible for all federal, state, and school aid. The number of refugees will at the discretion of the university. Suggestion was made that we could add a line about being men and women for others. Location of funding is not yet decided, most likely to be funded through existing scholarships. David has been in contact with the Vice Provost, she is coordinating all of these efforts. Will be based off of federal aid with funds they already have. If passed this effort will be in effect for the next academic year.

III. ACTION ITEMS

IV. STUDENT CONCERNS

- A. New Concerns- Needs to be sign that directs visitors into the proper lane at the front gate. Car is broken down in Drollinger and using a parking space that could be put to better use.
 - a. Resolved Concerns- None

V. INFORMATION ITEMS

- A. Cabinet Updates- David has been working on Syrian Scholarship, Smoking Policy is being finalized, Students from each college will be sharing experiences



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from their advising experience. March 22nd is keynote speaker for women's history month. After sunset is Friday, third Thursday is tomorrow. Please continue to tell people to vote. ASLMU Banquet is April 28th at 7pm at cafe del Rey, President Synder thanks everyone for their hard work, possible mentor program with new senate.

- B. Field Hour Reports

- VI. OPEN FORUM AND ANNOUNCEMENTS- Latino Overnight is April 3rd and fourth and they need hosts, please talk to Lali if you wish to learn more. 23rd is no senate meeting, the 30th is approval of election results, April 6th is transition meeting, 13th is first new senate meeting, 27th everybody is expected to attend the student climate survey in order to go over the trends of how the students feel at LMU. VOTE, Sig Ep has a philanthropy event to raise money for victims for San Bernardino shooting its this Saturday from 11-2. DZ has pledged to raise 5 million dollars for Starky Hearing foundation in collaboration with Soul Cycle. Phi Delt has a festival on Sunday from 11-2 in sunken garden.

- VII. ADJOURNMENT- meeting adjourned at 1:25pm