

Students Committee Meeting Notes

Date: October 1, 2024

Time: 3:00pm

Location: Room L-218

Introductions were made. The following members were in attendance:

1. Surveyed the members “How would you prioritize the goals of the Students Committee?”
2. The rankings of interest were as followed:
 - a. *Communication between SGA and College Council*
 - b. *RSI Policy*
 - c. *Student Procedural Guide*
 - d. *SGA Constitution*
 - e. *Filling vacant student seats in CC*
3. **Communication** between SGA and CC suggestions were made. Asking for SGA member preferred emails and phone numbers.
4. **Clarification** provided about the SGA contract and mandates to connect with chairs and attend standing committees.
5. **Explanation** provided about how students get involved with SGA. An overview of the number of SGA seats and how a student goes about running – Letter of interest and platform positions.

Members consist of 6 VPs, 1 President and 10 Senators – currently 9 members with intentions to help SGA grow/ filling seats. Could have as many as 16-18. SGA vote in members and elections are done at the end of May. SGA members earn a stipend and can be deducted if they do not attend committee meetings. There should be 1 student member per standing committee.

Goals were discussed for the upcoming academic year:

1. Concerns that standing committees don’t meet during the provided “club hour”.

Suggestion was made to bring this up at the next CC. Asking chairs to consider changing the hours to accommodate students / inclusiveness.
2. **Regarding RSI Policy:**
 - a. Creating and distributing a student survey focusing on Asynchronized courses.
 - b. Reviewing data of WNs from asynchronized and synchronized courses.
 - c. Providing examples of good Brightspace pages, Procedural guides, avatar/videos of the committee i.e. Roberts Rules.
3. Discussed briefly the revisions of the Constitution.
4. Discussed briefly filling vacant student seats – will continue this conversation through student life and SGA – will update the Students Committee of next steps.

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