



Drury University
 August 27, 2020
 4:30 pm

General Assembly Minutes

- **Call to Order**
 - Meeting called to order at 4:33 pm on August 27, 2020.
- **Roll Call**

Roll Call Roster: 2020-2021			
Executive Council	Officer Position	Present	Absent
Mr. Nick Rauscher	President	X	
Ms. Haley Mueller	VP Student Life	X	
Ms. Kate Hall	VP Institutional Affairs	X	
Mr. Mitchell Greer	VP Finance	X	
Mr. Alan Hammer	VP Communication & PR	X	
Senators	Committee Affiliation	Present	Absent
Mr. Armaan Ahmed	TBA	X	
Mr. Paul Parrish	TBA	X	
Mr. Ali Altahafi	TBA	X	
Ms. Emily Little	TBA	X	
Mr. John Schupbach	TBA	X	
Mr. Joe Williams	TBA	X	
Ms. Emilee Harless	TBA	X	
Mr. Angelo Leiva	TBA	X	
Mr. Thomas O'Brien	TBA	X	
Mr. Colton Vander Laan	TBA	X	
Official Advisor	Position	Present	Absent
Paul Hinkle	Interim Title IX Coordinator, Director of Student Conduct	X	

- **Executive Council Reports**
 - VP of Student Life..... Ms. Haley Mueller
 - Meeting for inclusion
 - VP of Institutional Affairs.....Ms. Kate Hall
 - League of Women Voters
 - Please sign up by this Friday to help set up/take down table

- VP of Finance.....Mr. Mitchell Greer
 - Allocations and audits are coming soon
 - If you are interested in the finance committee, contact Mitchell!
- VP of Communication & Public Relations.....Mr. Alan Hammer
 - Recruitment 365
 - Currently in contact with three potential new members/interns
 - Tell your friends to check out drury.edu/sga for information on how to apply
- President.....Mr. Nick Rauscher
 - Committee placement form due Friday, Aug. 28, by 7:00 pm.
 - Complete the constitution and bylaws quiz by Tuesday, September 1, at 7:00 pm.
 - Blackbear has been rescheduled for next spring
 - We are currently seeking potential new members of SGA
 - 6 intern spots open
 - 2 sophomore spots open
 - 2 junior spots open
 - 4 senior spots open
 - Retreat scheduled for September 12, 2020 from 9:00 am- 5:00 pm
 - Attendance is mandatory unless already excused
 - Will be hosted at the Hammons Tower Club, breakfast/lunch provided
 - Spray bottles
 - Make sure to use them and refill after 24 hours
- Advisor.....Mr. Paul Hinkle
 - Message on COVID-19
 - The need to enhance the student body experience is important and needed more than ever during these challenging times
 - Throughout his address, it was made clear that Mr. Hinkle is determined, motivated, and supportive of our SGA body and strives to be a constant source of positivity and determination for our members success.

- **Open Discussion**

- Executive Vice President David Hinson
 - Coronavirus Update
 - Community testing proves to be effective to help keep disease down
 - Tested students (20%) on Friday
 - Saliva testing is efficient(3-5 hours until results) and cheaper than PCR testing (\$4 per saliva test vs. \$100 per PCR test)
 - Senator Vander Laan- “What if students don’t have health insurance?”
 - VP Hinson- the CARES act will take care of funding, and the external labs will take care of all billing.
 - Why only athletic testing at first?
 - VP Hinson- NCAA recommendation: 25-50% of student athletes once practice starts
 - Drury was required by the NCAA to test all athletes initially

- Contact Tracing
 - John Hopkins Training Module method
 - Drury offers self-reporting
 - Contact tracers will notify students if it is deemed necessary for them to quarantine.
- Unable to go to randomized testing?
 - Respond to them with concerns
 - Accommodations will be made, such as afternoon testing upon request
- Online possibility?
 - There is currently no cap on the number of positive students needed to move Drury online (*DJH – No guidance from CDC or MHEWD on caps*).
 - If a certain number of students report positive in a class, that specific class may go online temporarily.
 - Online possibility will be determined by class size and class capacity
- Cases
 - 17 active cases
 - 12 athletes
 - 2 staff members (off work)
 - 2 Drury GO students
- CDC Recommendations
 - Quarantine if sick?
 - If you have symptoms, Drury offers testing
 - No need to quarantine unless contacted by contact tracer
- Fall Sports
 - Some Fall sports are still happening as of now
 - Winter sports are currently undecided
- Solutions for next 24 hours
 - The current solutions are definitive
 - Looking for more possibilities and the Panther Plan will continually be updated with more information and case numbers.
- Thank you for coming, Vice President Hinson!
- ID system?
 - Mr. Hinkle will update our ID card numbers with security soon
- Social Media Response
 - Suggested that SGA respond to social media directed toward SGA.
 - Contact Vice President Hammer for suggestions on this matter
 - Senator Ahmed- "Should we respond to the tweets and use SGA to help make these students voices heard?"
 - Vice President Hammer- "I don't think we should bring tweets into our GA meetings, nor our EC meetings. If a student wants to come directly to SGA to voice their opinions, we have a form for that on our website."

- **Open Discussion**
- **New Business**
 - COVID-19 Giveaway Drawings
 - Tickets to be distributed to SGA members, then passed out to students, professors, and administration
 - Tickets are for raffled prizes, ranging from \$25 to over \$1000.
 - John Schupbach- "We should avoid hand to hand contact for tickets, we should use pictures instead."
 - May defeat purpose of in-person contact between students and SGA members.
 - No further action taken
 - This is an excellent recruiting tool. When handing out tickets, talk about SGA and update them on our current senator openings.
- **Call to Adjourn**
 - Motioned and seconded at 6:28 pm. Passed 14/0/0

Next Meeting to be Held:

September 3, 2020

4:30 pm

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