

Student Congress – General Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, December 05, 2018 @ 3:15 - 4:45 PM – ‘Iliahi 123ABC

Student Congress Members:

Present	Absent	Congress Member	Club/Organization	Proxy
x		Allyson Villanueva (ambv42)	ASKCC Student Congress President	
x		Russia Famorca (dfamorca)	ASKCC Student Congress Vice President	
x		Dessa Lyn Millon (dessalyn)	ASKCC Student Congress Secretary	
x		Brissa Flores (brissaf)	ASKCC Student Congress Treasurer	
x		Griffin Jiroudek (jiroudek)	ASKCC Student Congress Public Relations	
x		Shannon Sakaue (sks78)	ASKCC Student Congress Faculty Advisor	
	x	<i>none</i>	Accounting Club	
x		Carolyn Coke (ccoke)	Anime Club	
x		Manny Pichay (epichay)	Bayanihan Club	
x		Carrie Glenn (carriebg)	Board of Student Activities (BOSA)	
x		Nicole Pomare (npomare)	Board of Student Publications (BOSP)	

x		Portia Yee (yeep)	Chemistry Club: Ungraduated Cylinders	
	x	Frederick Thomas (fwthomas)	Cru Club	
x		Keanu Rochette-Yu Tsuen (keanuryt)	Ecology Club	
x		Abigail Trowbridge (amt4)	Engineers for a Sustainable World (ESW)	
	x	Nesi Kaufusi (akanesi)	Health Promotion Team	
x		Charletta Wilson (wilsonc8@yahoo.com)	Health Occupation Students of America (HOSA)	
	x	Yuria Nakamura (yurian)	International Club	
	x	Jacinda Sampaio (jsampaio)	Math Club	
	x	Tia Chong Kee (tiack)	Movie Club	
	x	Alex Lum (alexlum)	Na Hua O Papa	
x		Romina Escano (raescano)	New Media Arts (NMA) Club	Annalea James (annalea)
	x	June Kapiier (wkapier)	Pacific Islanders United	
x		Maria McClellan (mariahmc)	Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) Honor Society	
	x	Mahealani Kini (mkini)	Physics Club	
	x	Ellis Guo	Rad Tech Club at KCC	

		(mguo)		
	x	Kathleen Gragasin (gragasin)	Student Nursing Association	Trammy Yang (trammyy)
x		Loreto Mendoza (loretom)	Veterans Club	
x		Mizuki Ebihara (mizuki7)	Member-at-Large	
x		Quinn Patrick O'Malley (qomalley)	Member-at-Large	

Guests		
Name	UH Email	Organization
Brenda Ivelisse	ivelisse	Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs (VCSA)
Louise Pagotto	pagotto	Chancellor- Office of the Chancellor
Brian Furuto	bfuruto	Vice Chancellor of Administrative Services (VCAS)

	Discussion	Time	Action
Meeting Called	Called to Order at 3:19 P.M. – President, A. Villanueva		
Approval of minutes	<p><i>Moderated by Ally Villanueva</i></p> <p>Minutes of November 14, 2018</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Motion: Manny Pichay ● Second: Loreto Mendoza ● Voting: 11 in favor (unanimous) 	3 minutes	
Pineapples and Sour Apples	<p><i>Moderated by Shannon Sakaue</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sharing of appreciation and jokes with the group 	5 minutes	
VCSA Updates	<p><i>Moderated by Brenda Ivelisse</i></p> <p>Spring Classes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Payment Deadline is December 14, students that haven't paid will be disenrolled from their courses ● Have a payment plan: financial aid, cash, credit card <p>General Feedback</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Proud of us growing and being a part of the team ● Good luck on finals ● If there's something she can be helpful with, don't hesitate to ask 	2 minutes	
Advisor Updates	<p><i>Moderated by Shannon Sakaue</i></p> <p>Participants for Ho'opili Hou</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● One application from Keanu Rochette-Yu Tsuen 	10 minutes	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● This will happen in January, it is basically a conference to build your leadership skills and communicate with other members of colleges about what we do at our campuses ● Put on by Shannon and other advisors throughout the state ● Paperwork signing will be during winter break <p>Next Semester Schedule</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Already have compared everyone's schedule and the next General Meeting date is on January 16 from 3:30pm-5pm ● Already reserved this room for next semester's General Meetings <p>Hashtags for KCC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ideas: #StriveForTheHighestFromKapiolani , #StriveAtKCC, #StrivingAtKCC ● However, there is another "KCC" which is Kauai Community College so we have to try and balance it so people wouldn't get confused between Kauai Community College and Kapi'olani Community College ● Email Shannon or one of the Exec Members your thoughts <p>After the meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Presents from Shannon, sort of like a game but everyone who stays leaves with a gift 		
President Updates	<p><i>Moderated by Ally Villanueva</i></p> <p>Nominations for Executive Team</p>	10 minutes	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● If you know anybody that would be involved in Student Congress, please send them our way and we'll invite them to our general meetings <p>Emergency Protocol Resolution</p> <p>What do you think the school can do better?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Loreto: Veterans were wondering what are the protocols for active shooter on campus, campus wide emergencies, etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Can do a campaign ○ Great idea to bring this up again next semester and will also bring this up to Brian Furuto and let him know that students are interested in this ○ There's a text alert that you can sign up for within the UH Campuses ○ Natural Disaster should be on that list as well ○ Response to Active Shooter Training on December 7 from 1pm-3pm below the cafeteria ○ Put a sign or signals where the emergency buttons are, just in case something happens 		
Funding Proposal	<p><i>Moderated by Brissa Flores</i></p> <p>ESW : Abby Trowbridge</p> <p>Funding Request:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● \$116 <p>How will the money be used?</p>	5 minutes	

- Pi-Day Paper Goods, Advertising and Einstein Costume

Proposal Question: How does your RIO event support the students of KCC?

- A campus wide event that will include everyone (faculty, staff, students, etc.), celebrating Einstein's birthday and other Native Hawaiian math and science achievements. Event will focus on indigenous and sustainable practices

Pi Day on March 14 (3.14 = Pi)

- Items: Pie (Ted's Bakery), Costco Pizza, Paper Plates, Plastic Spoons, Napkins, Transparent Tape, Universal Filament, Popsicle Sticks, Sheet of Acrylic, Einstein Lab Coat, Einstein Hair
- Guest appearance from Einstein which is one of the Math teachers dressed up as him. There will be games, too.
- Fun Facts: 'Iolani Palace had electricity before the White House
- Asking for help from other groups to contribute, Math Club is helping with this event

Discussion: Last years Pi Day was fun, took a picture with Einstein, had a photo booth area

Motion: Motion to support ESW funding proposal

- Move to vote: Griffin Jiroudek
- Second Motion: Keanu Rochette Yu-Tsuen
- Vote: 12 votes, passes unanimously

<p>Funding Proposal</p>	<p><i>Moderated by Brissa Flores</i></p> <p>Ceramics Club : <i>no representative in attendance</i></p> <p>Funding Request</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● \$272 for banner, poster, and flyers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ghromm Graphic for one 3 by 4 banner \$98.00 & \$50 poster for \$161.00 ○ This will help advertise their event (808) 691-9300 ● \$83 City Mill <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ To set up a sales table (808) 735-7636 ● \$26 Fabric Mart <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 5 yards of Cloth to cover their table ○ All the vendors will take a purchase order and have already submitted to Ceramics Club an invoice for pricing ○ All items should last the club for 2 or more years to go towards making the club functional <p>Total: \$381.00</p> <p>Proposal Question: How does your RIO event support the students of KCC?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The Christmas Sale will offer the Academic and Social Community the opportunity to buy Ceramic Art Work. It will also provide an opportunity to the ceramic makers the experience of making art and how to sale their Art. The funds will be use to buy most needed supplies and tools for the Ceramic Room at KCC 	<p>5 minutes</p>	<p>Tabled for future meeting</p>
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	<p>How will the money be used?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All funds will be used to support the KCC Art Club 		
<p>Ecology Presentation</p>	<p><i>Moderated by Brissa Flores</i></p> <p>Ecology club will be showing a presentation about their recently funded trip to Hilo, Hawaii. (Presented by Keanu Rochette Yu-Tsuen)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ecology Club Service Trip to the Hakalau Forest National Wildlife Refuge • 3 day trip (November 16-18): 9 students, 1 faculty • Great diversity of native bird and plant species • Restoration work in the forest, to learn about Ecology and native plants • Hands on experience to learn • Field work and out planting: went to an area where they planted koa in 1997, provided home for these birds to nest • Numbers: 512 plants total were planted • Worked with a very endangered plants, specifically the Oha Wai, there are only 24 left in the wildlife right now • Sought a Happy Face Spider and I'o birds • Educational and fun, explored the forest, went bird watching and appreciated moments with nature • Heard birds singing and this is a sign of a healthy forest 	<p>5 minutes</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Acknowledgements: Wendy Kuntz, Baron & Russell (botanists and horticulturists in the Hakalau Forest), Student Congress, Quinn Patrick O'Malley <p>Question</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What was your favorite part? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Going back to the airport and to the road was able to see a Pueo (owl) ● How many pretty birds are left in the wild? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ You can find some in Maui, Big Island and Oahu but Big Island has the highest population 		
RIO Updates	<p><i>Moderated by Russia Famorca</i></p> <p>Anime Club - Carolyn Coke</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Going to start their christmas party tomorrow will have pizza and Secret Santa <p>Bayanihan Club - Manny Pichay</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Suppose to have a Christmas potluck but got cancelled due to some lack of participation <p>BOSP - Nicole Pomare</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Last general meeting on December 7 from 11:30 AM-2:30 PM in 'Iliahi 123 ● You can still submit your work, last day of submissions in December 14 ● In need of a Secretary for Spring 2019 ● In need of Media Lab Monitors for Spring 2019 <p>HOSA - Charletta Wilson</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Went to Waipahu High School to recruit students, currently have 15 first-year students 	10 minutes	

BOSA - Carrie Glenn

- Voted in a new Vice Chair: Willy “June” Kapiier
- Finals Survival Week will happen next week
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday until
midnight.
 - Free snacks and coffee will be provided
 - This will be the last BOSA event for this
semester

Ecology Club - Keanu Rochette-Yu Tsuen, Kyle and
James

- Looking forward to doing new activities next
semester

IT - Kevin Cox and Sean Ahloo

- Rebranding and reconstituting their
organization

Pacific Islanders United - June Kapiier

- *none*

Veterans Club

- *none*

Ungraduated Cylinders - Portia Yee

- *none*

New Media Arts Club - Annalea James

- *none*

ESW - Abby Trowbridge

- Tomorrow is their last meeting of the semester
will have pizza and Samoan dessert in the
STEM center from 5:00pm-6:30pm

PTK - Maria McClellan

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is her last semester so she won't be here for the rest of the year 		
Other Updates	<p>Lisa Yamamoto - Campus Marketing</p> <p>Campus Calendar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> There's a survey that's circulating and it will take less than 30 seconds to fill out https://goo.gl/forms/FDthFxW0Y0044miF3 Important Deadlines, School Events that are being organized 		
<p>VC of Administrative Services</p> <p>Brian Furuto</p>	<p><i>Moderated by Russia Famorca</i></p> <p>Brian Furuto will be coming to discuss and give updates about the cafeteria.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Doing the biggest renovation in campus history, the buildings are about 25-30 years old Kitchen, Bookstore, Grill, Cafeteria Food and studying areas will be different 'Ohia Auditorium will not be available Spring purchases of books will not change, early of construction will be in March Returning procedures for textbooks may be different Next semester will have a nicer place to eat and study, an upgraded bookstore and auditorium Renovations should improve the flow of foot traffic in the cafeteria Overall projection is 6-8 months Foyer and auditorium were renovated about 2 years ago. There is some moisture getting into 	15 minutes	

the ceiling of 'Ohia Auditorium, the pipes need to be fixed due to 3-4 pipes leaking

- In previous years, the Cafeteria has been closed during finals week. If students are concerned about breakfast during finals, we can work with Subway to open earlier or maybe with the Culinary Department to offer alternative breakfast items.
- After they remodel, is there a way the cafeteria can be more sustainable?

Alternative Energy - PV

- Toward the end of the Spring, they will be breaking ground for PhotoVoltaics (PV) which will provide about 74-76 percent of the campus' energy
- Another project in Manono Building: Its being entirely shutdown and will be renovated in March (same as bookstore)
- PV covering some parking areas, and ground based
- There will be battery storage on campus since we will be having PV

Questions and Discussions

- Question from ESW: "Green Roofs", is that possible if PV is put on the roofs?
 - It will be difficult for them to implement. The problem for doing that in campus is it was not made for that, it has to be on the correct building

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Question: How will the campus be serving food?<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Everything in the cafeteria will be closed EXCEPT the kitchen. Initial thought is putting a tent in the middle of the campus.○ The Culinary Program has proposed to be food tents (likely 4) throughout the campus instead of one central tent.● Question: Any updates going forward?<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Three methods: (1) You can always ask Brian Furuto. (2) They are trying to put information on the Kapiolani website. (3) An email blast throughout the campus.● Question: Will there be seating?<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ The food tents will be in areas where there is shaded seating. Four locations of 10 x 10 tents, will be shaded chairs and tables near by, not putting up 24/7 because of the weather.● Question: What will the hours be?<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Unsure. But if you go to the cafeteria, there are leave pamphlets on the table that gives information about the operations● Question: Will the campus parking be impacted?		
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Parking Lot Demolition would be on days that students don't have school and completed when students begin school. ○ There will be 5-6 stalls at most that will be occupied by machinery. ● Lunch truck is the only definite location, located in Kopiko ● The bookstore will close approximately in March <p>UH Alert</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sign up at www.hawaii.edu/alert <p>Campus Bulletins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Subscribe here at https://news.kapiolani.hawaii.edu/subscribe/ 		
<p>Chancellor</p> <p>Louise Pagotto</p>	<p><i>Moderated by Griffin Jiroudek</i></p> <p>Ask Me Anything (AMA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Did AMA sessions in Ilima building, Some people would come just to listen ● Pledge to meet every program in KCC especially the AGO's and we are one of them ● Another goal is to meet at least 5 students a week, missed 2 weeks due to a trip to China and the following week that required her to catch up with work <p>A little about LP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Serves as KCC Chancellor since this past June ● Started as a faculty member teaching English 22 at Manoa, on loan from KCC because UHM needed remedial English courses 	<p>20 minutes</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Came to Hawaii as an F1 student because she was an international student from Canada● Went to China 2 weeks ago and met with College students. Also visited the Shao Lin Temple and watched demonstrations about how concentration can really impact the outcome of something, despite what we would assume is the outcome.● Serves as KCC Chancellor since this past June <p>Any desire to back and live in Canada?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● “No, it’s too cold, there is a lot of snow, it is difficult to go around during the winter time.”● Family is from Montreal, which is on the East Coast. <p>What is it like to hold a position, such as a Chancellor?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● “Gender has never been an issue to me on campus, female is most of the popularity, but I never felt that my gender was an obstacle or implement. Gender is not a barrier here.”● Almost finished reading “All the Single Ladies”, which is a great book to learn about the movement and ebbs and flows of feminism in the United States. <p>Which language did you learn first, French or English?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● “My parents are first generation Italian, they both came from Italy around the first world war, parents spoke French, Italian and English. Growing up, I lived in an apartment building with 5 apartments that was owned by my		
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	<p>Grandmother who lived next door and my Uncle being upstairs. I was also sent to English school.”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The whole difference of when you learn language is it is truly an amazing thing so if you learned languages at the same time it will be stored in the same area of your brain. <p>Are you a Drake fan?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drake who? I don't know who that is, but go Justin Bieber! <p>What is your biggest fear?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standing on the edges of bridges or subway platforms or cliffs, but did jump out of a plane. She was hanging with her friends and told them she would jump off a plane and her friends got her a ticket to do so. <p>What countries have you been to?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduated college in 1971, and went to New Guinea, London, Marshall Island (7 summers) <p>Do you have any TED Talks Videos you recommend?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Empathy, Leadership by Brene Brown 		
Adjournment	4:57 PM		
Upcoming Meeting	January 16, 2019 'Iliahi 123 ABC @ 3:30-5:00 PM		
Minutes Taken by	Dessa Lyn Millon <i>2018-2019 ASKCC - Student Congress Secretary</i>		