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Minutes, Arts & Sciences Student Life Committee Meeting, Tuesday, March 22, 2016

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Agenda for 3/22/16 – Student Life Committee meeting
12:30 -1:45 P.M. in Warden Dining room

- I. Call to order
- II. Approval of minutes [approved]
- III. Reports
 - a. SHIP committee

11 applications received for latest round: 6 were denied, rest received partial or full funding. Several of the denied apps were to attend competitions, which are technically ineligible; we should consider revising our funding criteria to include competitions. Some students haven't submitted receipts post-travel to justify funds advanced; should they be asked to give the money back?
→ Derrick will circulate the existing rules and criteria to the entire SLC and solicit recommended changes
 - b. SGA

SGA is discussing the following: cultural appropriation; the new governance structure and roles of SGA and SLC within it
 - c. Food committee

Alexa: Sodexo "Bite" app is not available for Rollins, they recommend using MyFitnessPal. Nutritional info is also available on the Sodexo website. Publicizing caloric content at food stations is problematic, e.g. for those with eating disorders.
Meghan: Students with gluten or nut allergies can opt-out of meal plan, but they need to work through Disability Services.
Kosher kitchen for Hillel is still in the works.
C-Store will purchase special groceries for students upon request, using meal plan credit.
Davin: Markup is excessive, and they don't always follow through.
- IV. Old business –
 - a. Academic and Social honor code

Next step is Derrick will present the proposed revisions to CPS.
Goal remains to have this entire process completed in the Fall.
 - b. FSL committee update
 - i. Greek org evaluation cmte

SLC approved the following: Amalia Yount, Destinee Lott, Robert Whetstone, Derrick Paladino, Richard Morris, Lori Coffae
SLC approved Derrick's proposal to solicit and accept additional volunteers via email.
 - ii. FSL strategic planning committee – Micki Meyer

FSL strategic plan cmte is getting final recs from stakeholders, will then begin writing plan. Four areas of focus, and some of the issues being discussed:
-Growth:
Annual assessment of % of students who are Greek.
Is there a maximum % we want?
Should reaching a certain % trigger extension process to add new orgs?
Ellane: How to incorporate diversity concerns into this process?
Stephanie: What about a gender-neutral Greek org?
Davin: concerned about reinforcing segregation
Richard, Adrian: new living-learning communities don't have to be Greek
Meghan: we need evidence of whether/how Greek life contributes to college mission
Adrian: CCR should include details on chapters' service.
- Mentoring/Advising:

1-star chapter is being advised by faculty, how to build on this

-Resources:

A host of long-term issues. (SLC's discussion of this topic was not confined to Greek life per se. Issues that came up included: need for renovation of some campus housing units, e.g. Sutton; how long students should be required to live on campus; whether to retain first-year halls)

-Education:

What are key experiences all members should have? e.g. diversity

V. New business

a. SLC reorganization

College faculty is voting this week on proposal for new governance structure.

SLC will no longer be a standing committee, but rather an all-college advisory cmte that will include a mix of faculty, students, and staff.

There will no longer be an SLC seat on the Exec Cmte. SGA will retain seat on Exec Cmte.

Some faculty are concerned that SLC won't count toward service requirement for tenure.

However, it may be possible to revise bylaws to clarify that advisory committees such as SLC and Diversity Council do count toward tenure.

Derrick: concerned new structure will reduce student voice without an EC representative

Faculty meeting is open to all.

b. Minutes for next meeting

c. Faculty expectation of testing services through the Office of Disability Services - Meghan Harte Weyant [tabled]

d. Faculty expectations/opinions on how and when student rooms are searched for policy violations (i.e. Marijuana)

Meghan Harte Weyant: while college policy remains same, there is a change in protocol: the procedure has been adjusted to mitigate police involvement in first time marijuana cases.

VI. Adjournment

In attendance:

Derrick Paladino (chair), Nathan Arrowsmith (Staff), Missy Barnes (A&S), Hannah Ewing (A&S), Alexa Gordon (Staff), Richard Morris (CPS), Matthew Nichter (A&S), Ellane Park (A&S), Adriana Talbot (SGA Representative), Davin Laskin (SGA Representative), Stephanie Chewing (SGA Representative), Meghan Harte Weyant, Micki Meyer

Our meetings will be held on Tuesdays from 12:30-1:45 throughout this next academic year.

4/19 PM Warden Dining room

4/26 (if needed) Bieberbach-Reed Room
