



**Associated Students of Concordia University Irvine  
Wednesday, September 28, 2016  
Student Union 202, Open Forum**

**Minutes**

- I. Call to Order – Catherine Foster 10:32 am
- II. Opening Prayer- Jessica
- III. Attendance
  - a. **Senators Present:** Adam Garcia, Conor Koester, Isabelle Upchurch, Forrest McFarland, Deborah Shells, Catherine Pimentel, Josiah Popp, Reanna Benton Nikki Ancona, Amanda Alvarez, Noah Eschmann, Evette Jahangiri, Erika Boychenko, Maddy Schmitt, Ashlie Rodgers, Alik Bonis, Katie DePol, Nayeli Gonzalez
  - b. **Executive Board Present:** Ariana Sadeghipour, Catherine Foster, Hayden Kirkman, Jessica James, Celina Stratton, Lauren Youngsma
  - c. **Staff Present:** Laura Courvoisier
- IV. Approval of Minutes
  - a. 1<sup>st</sup> Erika
  - b. 2<sup>nd</sup> Adam
- V. Approval of Agenda
  - a. 1<sup>st</sup> Maddy
  - b. 2<sup>nd</sup> Nayeli
- VI. New Business
  - a. BCA Breakdown
    - i. Next Thursday is the first event in the gym
    - ii. Have sent google invites for times signed up
    - iii. There are additional signups if you need hours
  - b. Registration Event
    - i. Dippin Dots and Registering California residents
    - ii. Can still sign up
  - c. Club Funding Proposals
    - i. Phi Delta Epsilon
      1. Holding a fundraiser- stand for the Kids
      2. International fraternity
      3. Every chapter holds an event this day for Children’s Miracle Network
      4. Event outside the CU Center

5. Majority of money will go to dunk tank to dunk professors
  6. Hold raffle and Pie-ing members
  7. They fund CHOC hospital
  8. Dunk tank around \$250 – want to send a majority of the funds to the Children’s Miracle Network
  9. Partnership with UCI- raise \$4000 and they raise \$8000
  10. Celina- advertising in a week?
    - a. We had fliers done to get approved, but the graduate fair was happening so the fliers needed to change
    - b. Social media, students talk in classes, professors share about event
    - c. Fliers and door decs
  11. Catherine- How are you purchasing food?
    - a. Were going to hold bake sale and members will bring food
  12. Celina- How much does it cost to dunk professor?
    - a. \$1 for 3 balls
    - b. \$2 for 5 balls
    - c. Should advertise to carry cash for event- will update
  13. Adam- The math doesn’t work for your prices
  14. Amanda- Have you gotten approved to have the dunk tank in front of the CU center?
    - a. Have sent in proposal, sent in for reservation
  15. Laura- what professors are confirmed?
    - a. Mostly science professors, but still looking for others
  16. Deliberation
    - a. Amanda- their submission hasn’t been approved?
      - i. There could be a possibility it isn’t approved, but there would be a reimbursement or they could change the date
      - ii. Usually it isn’t a problem
    - b. In favor- all
      - i. approved
- ii. Nuestra Voz
1. Purpose- representation of Latin America Culture
  2. Bowers Museum offering opportunity for the club to see colonial art focused on Virgin Mary
  3. Opportunity for people to understand the culture
  4. Erika- How are you going to get people to the museum?
    - a. Already have people willing to give rides
    - b. Haven’t sent out emails to rest of members, but have 5 people willing
    - c. Catherine- for carpool, will have to have waiver

5. Deborah- Do you have a date solidified?
  - a. Goal to do it before the end of the semester
  - b. By the end of October before Day of the Dead
6. Catherine- How long is the exhibit there?
  - a. October 31- January
7. Celina- would you be open to have an event before hand about the history of the event to get more people interested in the museum?
  - a. Yes. During our first events, we brought it up to the club
  - b. Pretty sure that everyone in the club would be open
8. Amanda- are you open to people outside of the club?
  - a. People outside of the club to give the opportunity for people to understand the culture
9. Ashlie- Is there a fee?
  - a. The fee for general admission is \$12
10. Conor- As far as your target audience, would you be open to including for theology majors? These people would be open to studying this
  - a. Perfect opportunity to open it up to other faiths because the Virgin Mary is so important
11. Deliberation
  - a. Erika- seems a bit unorganized with money and ride wise
    - i. Limited to 15 people based on number of tickets they are buying
  - b. Celina- What if not all 25 people go, it is allocated to budget. That is a big sum of money
    - i. Could ask for a more definite number. Can approve with revisions
  - c. Approval process
    - i. With revision- approved
      1. Transportation, number, and date

### iii. International Business

1. Future event- November 16
2. Want to bring panel of 5 professionals- 3 confirmed, working on two more
3. To learn from their experiences and how to learn to start a business
4. Reason- wants to connect people throughout the world and connect with people
5. Meet and greet type event and Q&A session
6. Target audience- want to include people interested in business, communications, networking and how to become successful no matter what the field
7. Budget – from catering menu for Bon Appetit- expect about 50 people

- a. Club has 25- 30 people, expect business frat, speakers and additional students
- b. All food for 50 people
- 8. Catherine- what were the turnouts for previous events?
  - a. 25 people and 30 expected
  - b. would've been about 27- 28 people
  - c. What are you doing differently?
    - i. MyCUI banner, social media, Eagles Insider, using resources and asking to talk in classes
- 9. Ashlie- do you have a time when you will confirm the other speakers?
  - a. Just need to clarify
- 10. Josiah- where is this event?
  - a. Business conference room is planned
  - b. Denault
- 11. Deliberation
  - a. Adam- a lot of money for water
    - i. Going off on Bon Apetit's prices
    - ii. This has been taken off of the menu in the handout
    - iii. Could get the pitchers of waters
  - b. Approval with revision
    - i. Get pitcher of water, not bottles
  - iv. Will send emails of approvals and revisions
  - v. Next week we will have new club proposals

## VII. Old Business

- a. Introduction
- b. Ongoing Projects
- c. 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration
  - i. thank you to those that were there
- d. Breast Cancer Awareness Overview
  - i. Will be emailing more details
- e. One on One Signups
  - i. Google Calendars
  - ii. Be sure you are on time
- f. Club Proposals 9/28
- g. Bonding
  - i. Still scheduling
  - ii. Need google calendars

## VIII. Open Floor

- a. Senate Pictures (10/12)
  - i. We will be taking pictures outside, so look pretty

## IX. Adjournment- 11:08 am