

To: ASI Board of Directors

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Subject: October 2019 Board Report

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News:

First and foremost I hope everyone is having a great semester. I cannot stress that we should all take care of ourselves as midterms come up throughout the semester. Our Board has voted and passed our strategic priorities on Sept. 11, 2019. I am eager to start working on these so we can maximize our outcome for our students. There was an Associated Students Inc., panel on August 20 and I want to thank the Board members that were a part of this panel. The Dreamer Resource Center asked me to partake on an "I stand with immigrants video" and I was pleased to help them out on Sept. 27. This month has been flying by so quickly and we are quickly jumping into October. So far I have done classroom presentations for students regarding ASI and what resources we offer students. I have also reached out to clubs on campus to offer our services to them. Please find the clubs I have reached out to below in the report.

I have been able to connect with more faculty through sitting on Faculty Senate and Adam has done a great job at helping me transition into the role. Having frequent meetings with our Provost Steve Perez has also helped me transition into my position. I have been trying to schedule monthly meetings with him to get him updates with what our board is currently working on. I look forward to working with our Board this year to get our priorities done in a timely manner.

Committee Updates:

Student Academic Senate:

First meeting for SAS was Sept. 27, 2019 and unfortunately I lost 2 students that sat on this committee. I have been asking the Directors for help to recruit 2 students from each college but it is hard to get them to join. This committee serves as an informational committee and gives the student perspective to faculty when they are making decisions that will affect students.

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Still Searching for the following students to sit on this committee:

- ECS 1-2 students
- EDU 1-2 students
- BUS 1-2 students
- HHS 1-2 students
- NSM 1 student
- UND 1-2 students
- GRAD 1 student
- SSIS 1-2 Students

Faculty Senate Executive Committee:

Faculty Senate Executive Committee meets every Tuesday from 3-5pm in Sacramento Hall 275. Current things being discuss in the Executive committee include

Faculty Senate:

The Faculty Senate meets every other Thursday from 3-5pm in the University Union.

Grade Appeals Panel:

I have not found another student interested in serving. Still looking for one more.

Curriculum Policies Committee:

This committee meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month from 1:30pm-2:50pm. Looking for 2 students to sit on this committee.

Academic Policies Committee:

This committee will meet every 1st and 3rd Friday of every month. Still looking for a Grad student to be a part of this committee.

Executive Officers Committee:

First Executive Officers Committee 10/2/19.

Council on Preparation of School Personnel:

This committee meets the second Wednesday of every month from 1pm-3pm. ASI Director of Education or designee sits on this committee.

Faculty Policies Committee:

This committee meets the 1st and 3rd of every month from 1pm-2:30pm. No student has been appointed to this committee. Still actively engaging with students in classrooms in hopes of getting them involved on campus.

Graduate Council:

This committee meets Fridays from 9am-11am. Director of Graduate Studies has been appointed.

Strategic Priorities

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2019/20 ASI Board of Directors passed strategic priorities 09/11/2019.

- **1.1.1 Collaborate with campus partners on an event supporting the need to vote** Currently working with OGA to figure out what campus partners we will be working with.
- **1.1.2** Support/market voter registration to Sac State students Instagram post on Voter Registration Day.
- **1.2.1 Collaborate with other campus partners in support of census education** Spoke with Lisa and OGA staff & there will be an event Nov. 13th
- **1.2.2 Promote census education** Will discuss with OGA about what can be done.
- **1.5.1 Promote CHESS Conference Attendance** Will work with OGA in spring to promote this event.
- **2.2.1 Collaborate with campus partners to promote ASI events and programs** Collaborated with Serna Center to host an ASI workshop about leadership.
- **2.3.1 Assess the feasibility to require ASI presentation to External Grant recipients.** Talked with VPF, Denisse, to get further information about what we need to do.
- **3.3.1 Investigate storage for professional clothes closet with campus partners** Currently working with President, Melissa from Pride, and Dr. Dong Shen, a Fashion and Merchandising and management professor to get this going.
- **4.1.1 Promote Career/academic focused campus programs** Advised students about job fair on campus 9/30/19.
- **4.1.2** Assess the feasibility of an online platform compiling career/academic initiatives across campus partners

Pending

4.2.2 Promote & Attend Diversity & Inclusion Events/Programs Pending

Presentations:

Brown Issues: On a Thursday from 3-5pm (Pending) Black Student Union: Pending Mujeres Ayudando la Raza: Presenting 10/2/19 7:30 pm Mariposa 1014 PRSSA: Thursday at 6 pm (pending) Classroom Presentation: 9/19/19; 10/2/19

Meetings/Extras:

• ASI in the Quad – 9/11/19

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- ASI Block Party 9/12/19
- Ernest E. Tschannen Science Complex Grand Opening 9/19/19
- CAMP Event with Sac Republic 9/19/19
- ASI Pictures 9/25/19
- Met with Provost 9/24/19 to discuss professional closet and student success
- Met with President 10/1/19 to discuss Dreamer Student Safety on Campus
- Faculty Executive 9/17/19, 10/1/19
- Faculty Senate 9/12/19, 9/19/19, 10/3/19

Ending Note:

I hope everyone has a great October!

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me by phone (916) 278-4169 Or by email at asivpaa@csus.edu