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A Special Note to Our Hornets

It has been my honor to serve this university. Never would I have thought to take on something like student government ever my freshmen year in college. But sitting in my room during the pandemic made me dive into the many possibilities, opportunities, and ultimately to try what scares me when I got back into in-person school. Take advantage of the opportunities you have here while you can because this college time goes by so fast that you'll look back and wish you'd done more. Know that you are capable of more than you could ever imagine. I wish you all the best. This isn't goodbye but just a see you later.

Internal Committee Accomplishments

ASI Scholarship Committee: Graded scholarships, learned very rewarding stories, and you got to really understand our students appreciating their journeys even more

University Committee Accomplishments

Green & Gold Planning Committee: discussed upcoming speakers had a brief search, we ended up picking Zaylore Stout as our speaker

State Hornet Publications Board: Picked out the new editor and chief, made introductions and was excited to see what new editor and chief archives for the academic year

Student Affairs/ Dean of Students Search Committee: Contributed feedback about eligible applications picking top five, eventually going to top three, on-campus interviews happen after we get out of school end of May

2020-2021[Director of Arts and Letters] Strategic Priorities

1.1.1 Collaborate with Alumni Center/Association and other campus partners on an event (roundtables, speed networking, mentorship)

-Collaborated with ASI 65th Anniversary event to provide speakers for the event, met with Jennifer Barber to establish this connection

1.1.2 Host an Alumni Panel to support the 65th anniversary of ASI (past presidents, employees, etc.)

-Reached out to potential panelists, meetings about the best place to hold events, moderated some of the events, happened online in the fall, and in-person for the spring

1.3.2 Collaborate with campus partners to support their efforts with internships and volunteer opportunities

-Meeting with Jim Dragna, Met with Kate Lockwood along with other directors and promoted internships and volunteer opportunities via Instagram

3.2.1 Advocate for culturally competent & diverse mental health counselors

-Met with Counseling Staff asked questions, expanding staff very soon, wants to meet with new board at least once a semester from now on, learned about the hiring process, established meeting with Ronald Lutz with ASI directors

4.1.1 Utilize different forms of communication to highlight ASI resources

-attempted to get into the theater program for shows and senior showcase

4.1.2 Promote ASI positional accounts

-over 1,000 additional followers from the start of term, most followed board member, promoted all ASI events

Noteworthy Events and Initiatives

The first event I wanna talk about is the production Dance Nation. I went with a couple of friends and we really had a blast supporting our friends. Next is Sacramento State's football game. Not only was it nice to finally go to my first game but a good majority of the board actually showed up and we enjoyed it together. It was one of my favorite moments of the year. After that is the Meet the Majors event. It did not have the biggest turnout however multiple directors were there and we all shared our experiences within our majors. I think this event can be even bigger if it is early in the semester next year. The final event I want to talk about is the Basic Needs Resource Fair. It had a huge turnout, big promotion, and a presence from almost the entire board. Not only did multiple students ask if we were holding another vent like this but lots of students also had access to clothes they wouldn't have thought to look for at any stores. Overall I had an amazing time at these events.