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To: 2024- 2025 ASI Board of Directors

From: Colin Kemp – ASI Director of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies

Date: 24th September, 2024 **Subject:** Board Report

Hello Hornets! My name is Colin Kemp, and I've received the honor of representing you on the ASI Board of Directors as the Director of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies (SSIS). I am currently a political science major in my senior year, and have been a participant in the Sacramento Semester program. My involvement in Associated Students Incorporated (ASI) began last year when I was involved in a few ASI committees, and realized the importance of ASI and the services it offers. I'm excited to represent you this year, and assist in offering the numerous services that ASI has to offer. It's great to see so many new Hornets exploring degrees in the College of SSIS, and the addition of a new Department of Nutrition, Food, and Dietetics. ASI is for the students, by the students, and is what you make it. If you need anything this semester, feel free to reach out at anytime, I'm here to support you and be a resource. Thank you and have a great year!

STINGERS UP!

General Information:

- Office Location: University Union | 3rd Floor, Room 3260
- Office Hours during the fall semester:
 - o Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays: By request
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Board Priorities:

- 1.0 Support Enrollment, Engagement and Retention Efforts
 - o 1.1 Support OGA Civic Engagement Efforts
 - 1.1.2: Engage in letters of support
 - o 1.2: Explore Outreach Opportunities in Conjunction with Admissions and Outreach
 - 1.2.1: Meet with admissions and outreach to determine opportunities.
 - Completed on Thursday, September 19th
 - o 1.3 Engage Students in Financial Literacy Events
 - 1.3.1: Collaborate with/host Financial Literacy Events
- 3.0 Support and Advocate for Academic and Career Resources
 - o 3.3 Advocate for embedding programs in each college for experiential learning.
 - Determine Experiential Education opportunities in the college and report back to the board.

Committees:

Internal Committees:

- Finance and Budget (FnB):
 - o Met on Monday, September 17th
 - Discussed student employment grant process
- Student Academic Senate (SAS):
 - o Met on Friday, September 6th
 - Discussed Strategic Priorities for SAS for the year
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- Lobby Corps:
 - Met on Thursday, September 12^{th2}

Events:

- Attended the ASI Swear-in Ceremony on Friday. May 31st
- Attended the ASI Board of Directors retreat between Friday, August 9th through Sunday, August 11th
- Attended both New Student & Family Convocation sessions on August 22nd
- Attended the Football Kickoff Watch Party: Hornets versus Spartans on Thursday, August 29th
- Attended Phlagelblast on Wednesday. September 4th
 - o Tabled during this event



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- Attended the NSM Fest on Thursday, September 5th
 - o Tabled during this event
- Attended Football Watch Party: Hornets versus Bulldogs on Saturday, September 7th
- Attended SWANA Center Grand Opening on Tuesday, September 10th
- Attended Meeting for ASI Executive Director on Tuesday, September 10th
- Attended ASI Board Photograph Shoot on Wednesday, September 11th
- Attended Football Home Game as official designated Hornet Hype Officer on Saturday, September 14th
- Attended Meeting for ASI Executive Director on Tuesday, September 17th
- Attended Asian American Pacific Islander Summit on Wednesday, September 18th
- Attended Meeting for ASI Executive Director on Thursday, September 19th
- Attended Student Academic Senate on Friday, September 20th
- Attended the Student Social Justice and Equity Council on Monday, September 23rd

Presentations:

Presented to POLS 144 on Wednesday, September 18th

Meetings:

- Met with Vice President of Academic Affairs multiple times from Monday, July 1st to Tuesday, September 24th
- Met with Vice President of Finance multiple times from Monday, July 1st to Thursday, September 24th
- Met with the Dean of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies Dianne Hyson and Associate Dean Marya Endriga on Tuesday, September 3rd
- Met with the chairs of the departments in SSIS during the monthly SSIS Program Director Meeting on Tuesday, September 10th
- Met with Noah Bustamente to appoint to the SSIS Joint Council on Friday, September 13th
- Met with Admissions Director Brian Henley, University Registrar Tara Hardee Teodoro, and Director of Student Service Center and Financial Wellness on Thursday, September 19th
- Met with Jonathan Poston to appoint to the SSIS Joint Council on Thursday, September 19th

During Office Hours:

- Met with board members
- Discussed and planned legislation
- Planned SSIS Joint Council
- Worked on board strategic priorities
- Wrote emails
- Assisted in planning events