

To: ASI Board of Directors

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Subject: February 2021 Board Report

General Information

Office Hours:

Thursday: 1:30pm – 3:30pm Zoom Meeting ID: 676 428 3501

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A Special Note to Our Hornets

Happy Week 6 of Spring Semester 2021! So far this semester has been jammed packed with amazing events put on by various clubs and departments within Social Science and Interdisciplinary Studies, as well as all over campus! Special shoutout to the amazing clubs in SSIS college, Diverse Women in Politics, Environmental Student Organization and Ethnic Studies Association for successfully mobilizing students together to have revolutionary discussions and finding practical ways to address issues in our community!

Black History Month has ended and it has been a great time of celebration and reflection! I want to thank the spaces on campus who continue to support marginalized communities on campus. Now we celebrate National Women's History Month to honor the women who came before us



and form part of our history. Let's do our part in making campus an inclusive and intersectional space for all students to feel heard and seen.

Cheers,

Ashley

Internal Committee Updates

ASI Marketing Committee

-During our last meeting on February 4, 2021, we discussed the results of a survey which showed the best times to engage with students on social media. We also discussed ASI's 65th Anniversary that will take place in June 2021.

City Ambassadors

-Previous meeting on February 25th, 2021.

-During our meeting we split into subcommittee to address the three issue areas which are:

- Underserved students
- Basic Needs Insecurities
- Engagement(my subcommittee)

-Continued research is needed to address this issues in tactical ways.

University Committee Updates

Capital Public Radio Committee

- Last meeting on 01/28/2021
- During the meeting, Lisa Woodard-Mink, who reports on activities and events going on at Sac State, highlighted the Associated Students Inc. (ASI) Food Pantry who nearly one-fourth of Sacramento State students rely on to feed themselves and their family members. She also mentioned the Thanksgiving Food Basket Drive that ran for a week and that the original goal of \$5,250 was surpassed by 40%. She also mentioned Keeping the Dream Alive" conference,U-Nite!, and Global Entrepreneurship Week.

Transportation Advisory Committee

- Previous meeting on 2/24/2021. Updates on Campus Construction Projects were made.



Strategic Priority Updates

- 1.4.1 Share available resources for students, through collaboration with campus partners.
 - Compiling infographics of Campus resources like CARES Office and the WELLness center to share with board members.
 - 3.2.1 Further outreach to Sacramento community
 - I recently found a community organizations that delivers food to students in a nearby k-12 school district. They are seeking volunteers and I reached out to them about promoting their organization to Sac state students. I hope to hear back from them soon.
- 3.1.3 Encourage activism expression by creating a space where students can be creative.
 - Allocated \$500 of strategic priority funds to support the Center of Race, Immigration and Social Justice art sub-committee's project, Un/Equal Freedoms: Expressions of social justice.
- 3.4.1 Increase awareness of racial injustices, discrimination, and white fragility.
 - Compiling a list of scholarships for BIPOC students to share on social media. Working on creating a community action scholarship for students.
- 3.5.1 Review campus police department procedures.
 - Three board members and I had a discussion with the campus police chief about their policies and procedures regarding campus safety. Moving forward, we plan to organize a space where student and the chief can have a conversation about making campus a comfortable place for all.

Current Project Updates

Coffee with the dean

• I am excited to be moderating a conversation with the Dean and associate Deans of SSIS college. The goal of this discussion is for students to meet the deans and for them to know that they are accessible if they have any questions or concerns.

Researching Mental Health Support for Students of Color During and After the Coronavirus Pandemic

• My main priority this year is to focus on disparities experienced in the BIPOC community and how ASI can pass initiatives to address the stress and trauma that comes with social distancing and remote learning in 2020.



• I have shared some strategies and resources for mental and emotional well-being with my constituents on Instagram.

Joint Council

• Some board members and I met to discuss ways to establish Joint councils within our college. My first task is to attend the various club meetings within SSIS, introduce myself and present the idea of forming an informal joint council where student leaders can collaborate together.

Office Hours

List activities that took place during your office hours, below.

- Met with Deans of SSIS college to discuss where our priorities align and to brainstorm events.
- Worked on projects above .

Meetings, Events, & Presentations

List the events, presentations, and meetings you attended, below.

January 27 ASI Working Board Meeting 28 Cap Radio Annual Board of Directors Meeting 29 Meeting with SSIS dean

February 3 ASI Board Meeting 4 Marketing Committee meeting **4 CRISJ Arts Subcommittee 4 BSU Welcome Black** 8 DEGREES Scholarship writing Workshop 10 DWIP club meeting 10 Working Board meeting 11 CRISJ Arts Subcommittee 12 Joint Council meeting w/ Board of Directors 17 Feminista Jones Lecture 17 ASI Board meeting 18 CRISJ Arts Subcommittee 19 Strategic Priority 4.2.1 meeting 24 ASI Working Board Meeting 25 City Ambassadors Meeting



25 CRISJ Arts Meeting25 Celebrating Women: Leaders & Learners Connect25 Chicanx and Latinx Studies Lecture

26 Meeting with SSIS Dean and Sarah Hodge

26 Checkin with VP and Prez

March 1 Strategic Priority 1.4.1 Meeting