

Associated Students, Inc.
California State University, Long Beach

JUDICIARY (FINAL)
Meeting #4
December 7, 2020

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chief Justice Greg Figueroa called the meeting to order at 12:32 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Voting Members Present

Jarrett Boice, ASI Associate Justice
Michael Gallagher, ASI Associate Justice
Shayan Hashemi, ASI Associate Justice
Samantha Provencher, ASI Associate Justice
Gia Rubalcava, ASI Associate Justice
Keegan Turner, ASI Associate Justice
Greg Figueroa, ASI Chief Justice

Staff Present

Lindsay San Miguel, Assistant Director Government Affairs and Initiatives

Staff Absent

Zion Smith, CSULB Director, Student Conduct and Ethical Development
Dr. Kathryn Perkins, CSULB Faculty Representative

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

Omar Prudencio Gonzalez, ASI President: encouraged board to practice self-care during Finals Week, and wished a healthy and happy holiday season.

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Boice (MOVED) Rubalcava (SECOND) to approve Judiciary Agenda, Meeting #4, December 7, 2020

VOTE ON THE MOTION

PASSES 7-0-0

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5. ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE CHIEF JUSTICE

- February 1, 2021: first Judiciary meeting for the spring semester
- Worked with Vice President Alderete Gonzalez and Senate Vice Chair Hossain on the Judiciary piece of the ASI Bylaw Amendment resolution
- Met with Ortiz and Buhler-Taylor from Beach Pride Events (BPE) to develop Know Your Rights event
- Serving on search committees: Director for the University Honors Program and Director for the Office of Student Conduct and Development
- Save the Date: January 15, 2021, ASI Student Government Spring Retreat
- Encouraged board to practice self-care in preparation for Finals Week

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Action Item: Judiciary Minutes, Meeting #3, November 16, 2020

Boice (MOVED) Turner (SECOND) to approve Judiciary Minutes, Meeting #3, November 16, 2020

VOTE ON THE MOTION

PASSES 7-0-0

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7. REPORTS

A. Information Item: Associate Justices

1) Boice

Work Completed

- Served on the General Education Governing Committee on the evening of 11/23/20.
 - The committee chair gave announcements regarding UNIV 310 and procedural changes.
 - ✓ The executive committee agreed on the full committee's consensus from the last meeting and will soon reach out to the Academic Senate to discuss the idea of UNIV 310 courses as umbrella courses for the Summer Study Abroad program.
 - ✓ A procedural suggestion was approved of changing when courses are coming in and grouping them so that the committee can analyze the courses' relationship when they rely on each other.
 - The language for this change will soon be added to the GEGC website.
 - Conducted procedural course proposals and reviews.
 - Last meeting of the Fall Semester!
- Met with Associate Justice Hashemi on 11/20/20.
 - Discussed backgrounds, goals, and objectives for the year.
 - Analyzed Workers' Rights KYR Campaign.
- Met with Associate Justice Hashemi and Associate Justice Turner on 11/24/20.
 - Discussed backgrounds, goals, and objectives for the year.
 - Discussed how established involvement within the campus community.
- Participated in the Judiciary team-building exercise on the evening of 12/27/2020.
 - Every Justice participated and it was a great opportunity to get know everyone.
- Continued to work on and establish the Know Your Rights: Workers' Rights campaign.

Goals for the Next Two Weeks

- Continue to serve on designated committees and conduct reporting procedures for each.
 - Continue to vet significant items coming me committee and prepare questions for each.
- Continue to work on the Workers' Rights KYR Workshop and collate additional resources.
- Meet with the other Associate Justices to discuss KYR Workshops.

Student Issues and Concerns

- Approaching the end of the fall semester.
 - Many students voicing concerns over CR/NC Grading options.

2) Gallagher

Work Completed

- Participated in a team building exercise

Goals for the Next Two Weeks

- Have a good break
- Pass all my finals

Student Issues and Concerns

- Computer Science students are worried about spring 2021 due to not enough sections offered for required classes.
- Many students will not be able to enroll in classes they need to be on track for a four-year graduation.

Goodbye

- Unfortunately, I will not be able to continue serving on ASI due to schedule conflicts with next semester's schedule.
- Have a good break everyone and if you need anything feel free to give me a text!

3) Hashemi

Work Completed

- Met with Jarret Boice, Michael Gallagher, and Keegan Turner to discuss goals for know you rights campaigns. Jarret provided valuable insight for certain limitations when it comes to KYR campaigns which was much appreciated.
- Took the Bylaws exam but still haven't received any feedback.

Goals for the Next Two Weeks

- Continue to gain knowledge on the history and policies of ASI.
- Establish pathways and networks of communication between myself and my constituents
- Pass Final Exams

Student Issues and Concerns

- Nothing to report that has not already been reported

4) Provencher

Work Completed

- Getting the hang of office hours/Microsoft Teams which is good!
- No one tuned into office hours this week, but I had many conversations with different students about this online semester

Goals for the Next Two Weeks

- Continue logging into my office hours
- Continue to have conversations with peers about how they felt this online semester went

Student Issues and Concerns

- Many students are upset that CSULB is not offer alternative grading.
- I have talked with a few peers about how they feel their workloads were feeling
 - My experiences differ from their experiences with the same professor

5) Rubalcava

Work Completed

- Participated in a judiciary bonding activity
- Completed the Associated Students Incorporated (ASI) Bylaws Exam
- Assisted Chief Justice Greg Figueroa in planning the dates for the Know Your Rights campaign next semester
- Attended Associated Students Incorporated (ASI) Spring 2021 Retreat Planning Committee meeting
- Drafted outline for LGBTQ+ Know Your Rights Campaign panel discussion

Goals for the Next Two Weeks

- Pass my finals

Student Issues and Concerns

- Complaints of classes being completely filled
 - I have received multiple complaints about prerequisite courses being filled and wait lists are not available

Anything Else

- Good luck to everyone on their finals! Stay hydrated and make sure to get your sleep! You all got this!
- I hope you have a wonderful winter break! Take this time to prioritize self-care and relaxing!

6) Turner

Work Completed

- Met with Associate Justice Boise and Associate Justice Hashemi
- Got placed with a Grade Appeals committee
- Read documents pertaining to the Judicial Branch
- Bylaws and the Judiciary Working Rules

Goals for the Next Two Weeks

- Take the Bylaws Exam
- Meet with Grade Appeals committee

Student Issues and Concerns

- None voiced

B. Information Item: Director of Student Conduct & Ethical Development

There was no report.

C. Information Item: Faculty Representative

There was no report.

8. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. Discussion Item: Know Your Rights Week

Met with Ortiz to determine event focus and finalize logistics.

Topic and Judiciary/Cabinet Collaboration Assignments:

- LGBTQIA+ Rights: Rubalcava/Commissioner for LGBTIQ+ Affairs Caleb Aparicio
- Pregnant and Parents Students Rights: Figueroa/Commissioner for Pregnant and Parenting Students Pilar Cáceres
- Disability Rights: Figueroa/Commissioner for Disability Affairs David Weinberg
- Workers' Rights: Boice
- Navigating Interactions with the Police: Hashemi/Commissioner for Cultural Affairs Mya Jones
- Undocumented Students Rights: Commissioner for AB540 and Undocumented Students Toni Flores
- Privacy Rights and Online Learning: Provencher

Discussion ensued regarding having the event as week-long or as a bi-weekly series.

B. Discussion Item: Spring 2021 Grade Appeals

Department and College grade appeal hearing assignments:

- Turner: COTA
- Boice: CEDU
- Provencher: CENG
- Hashemi: CHHS
- Rubalcava: CLA and COB
- Figueroa: CNSM

Figueroa: will be submitting ASI Communications graphic work order to begin advertising.

9. NEW BUSINESS

A. Action Item: Approval of the 2021 ASI Elections Handbook - Government Elections Officer Helen

Rodriguez Time Certain: 12:40 p.m.

Rubalcava (MOVED) Provencher (SECOND) to approve the 2021 ASI Elections Handbook

VOTE ON THE MOTION

PASSES 6-0-1

Approve-Abstain-Oppose

B. Discussion Item: Meet the Justices

- Tentative dates: Week of February 22-26, 2021

Discussion ensued regarding event agenda format options (such as breakout rooms) to mitigate Zoom fatigue.

Figueroa: will discuss Judiciary's program budget with San Miguel for possible event digital giveaways.

10. DOCKET

There were none.

11. CLOSING COMMENTS

Boice: wished everyone a great Winter Break and looks forward to seeing everyone back in the spring.

Figueroa: encouraged Covid safety practices, and wished good luck for Finals.

12. ADJOURNMENT

Without objection, Chief Justice Greg Figueroa adjourned the meeting at 1:28 p.m.