LAUC Meeting Minutes

3/15/2017

Start Time: 6:00pm

End Time: 7:45pm

*\*\*LAUC Endorsements for UPUA candidates are highlighted\*\**

LAUC Announcements:

* Wall Street Bootcamp II Infosession
	+ March 16, 6pm, 110 Business Building
* Chapel Exec Internship program
* Lunch and Learn with Employers
	+ April 6th at 12:15pm

UPUA Endorsement Presentations:

*President and Vice President:*

* Jordan Shockley Campaign:
	+ Katie Jordan-Pres, Alex Shockley-VP
	+ Creation of an Outreach Committee
	+ Inclusion of World in Convo. As Requirement for students
	+ ADA Compliance and Wheelchair Accessibility
	+ Textbook Grace Period during add/drop period
	+ Expansion of policy on overload conflict exams
	+ Est. of First Year Grade Forgiveness
	+ Utilizing Open Ed Resources
	+ Charging Stations
	+ Enhancement of Library Study Spaces
	+ Free Resume Printing in the Copy Central
	+ Students as a protected class in the borough
	+ Election day accessibility
	+ Student-liaison to the penn state Grassroots Network Increasing Leg. Outreach
	+ Big10 Collab for improvements to the higher education act
	+ Increased protection of medical amnesty, student-friendliness and services from ASA, Financial Literacy, and Refrigeration Services for Lions Pantry
* Sammy and Jorge Campaign
	+ Experience: Association of Big10 Students; Academic Affairs; Vice chair of Student Life Committee; Exec Board of Latino Caucus
	+ Textbook Affordability: Utilizing ABTS resources and establish big 10 network and textbook sharing among all of the schools
	+ International House (Ohio State): Residence hall promotes other cultures, makes more safe
	+ Facilities: Creation of Penn State app
	+ Off Campus Safety and being proactive; off campus and on campus included in the alert system
	+ Tom Wolf; Capital Day for Gov. Affairs

*At Large Rep:*

* **Andrew Uhring**
	+ Junior
	+ Chief of Staff of College Dems
	+ Deputy Comm Director
	+ College Dems of America
	+ Higher state appropriations
		- Capital Day lobbying for state appropriations
	+ Lower tuitions for in-state
	+ Increase student Civic Engagement
	+ Gender Neutral Housing
* **Spencer Davis**
	+ Freshman
	+ Freshman Council
	+ Internship at API
	+ Lionpath
	+ Laptop Charger rentals
* **Tom Bibi**
	+ LA College
	+ Academic Affairs and Gen Ed Reform office (5 new Gen Ed classes)
		- Class for State and Local laws in PA
		- GA
	+ Civic Engagement
	+ Gov. Affairs committee for borough candidates and Meet the Candidates
* **Robert Greggs**
	+ Freshman
	+ LA College, double major in French and Bus Management
	+ Student Poverty: Exposure for Project CARE and Lions Pantry. Expansions.
	+ Organizational Efficiency
	+ Improved and Continued legislative outreach: resolutions passed and followed through with actions and letters.
	+ Establish relationships
* **Isaac Will**
	+ Sophomore, LA College (Poli Sci)
	+ UPUA: Vice chair of Gov. Affairs
	+ Liaison for Gov. of Sch.
	+ Improving campus safety within Gov. Affairs Committee
	+ Student bill of rights for student tenants and rights with respect to apartments and landlords
	+ Campus safety, gov. relations and outreach.
	+ Emergency safety and active shooter management
	+ Student orientation program including emergency management
	+ Legislative outreach: reaching out to the borough (increasing alleyway lighting, ensuring student rights for landlords), State level (PA state related students; coordinated voices and reach out to legislators, state appropriations), Federal government (Big10 schools).
* **Brad Edwards**
	+ Freshman; LA College- Poli Sci and Econ
	+ Freshman council for UPUA and facilities committee
	+ Building inclusive and diverse atmosphere at PSU
	+ CAPS services and easier access to the resources for emergencies and mental health hotlines, hospitals
	+ Wifi-trouble resources and messaging services
	+ Building a diverse and inclusive atmosphere on campus
		- Talking about increasing openness with diversity at the orientations, informed discussions in the format of a deliberation
* **Anthony Stem**
	+ LA College: Poli Sci and Music
	+ Blue Band
	+ Scheyer Honors Globe
	+ Improve access to quality healthcare, off-campus options: Expand access.
	+ Add assistance for homeless students
	+ Reduce cost meal plans and textbook network
	+ New opportunities for Civic Engagement
		- Local Engagement (Glenn Thompson, etc.)
		- Extension for the great debate
		- Local elections
	+ Support for International Students, expand accessibility to intn’l. Students
	+ Targeted infrastructure funding/spending
	+ Printing stations
	+ Exposure for student performers and the arts
	+ Facebook.com/votestem2017
* **Ben Cutler and Tyler Akers**
* Mini Series such as Vox for inclusion
* Allergy Free ice cream at the Creamery
* Expansion of Hub Resources
* Revamping Lion Pantry and refrigeration
* Charger rental system
* Advertisement opportunities with CATA

*Liberal Arts Rep and Faculty Senator:*

* **Rachel Harrison**
	+ UPUA and Liberal Arts Experience
	+ Close ties to UPUA
	+ Online syllabi database
	+ Ebulletin updates
	+ Placement testing for language classes
	+ Transparency for Liberal Arts and UPUA voices