# Graduate & Professional **Student Association**

#### **Members Present**

Diana Do – President Honglip Park – VP of internal Affairs Jasmine Garcia – VP of Diversity Affairs David Sung - VP of External Affairs *grad rep* Sarah Shapiro – VP of External Affairs *prof rep* Samah Abbaker - Dentistry Representative Aidan Pace – Medicine Representative Jay Samson – Pharmacy Representative Naureen Syed – Nursing Representative Tram Pham – Physical Therapy Representative

#### **Students Present**

Monique Lillis – Graduate Division, UC Ship Representative Cindy Ow – Graduate Division, Synapse Editor Sara Ehsan – incoming VP of Diversity Affairs Brandon Chu – incoming VP of External Affairs Francesco Dalla Ricca – Graduate Division

#### **Members Absent**

Woodger Faugas – VP of Finance Keya Patel – VP of External Affairs *prof rep* Sydney Williams – Graduate Division (Basic Sciences) Representative

## Staff Present

Jennifer Rosko – Executive Director, UCSF Student Life Charles McDonough – Operations Manager, Student Health and Counseling Services Neil Windisch – Director, Fitness & Recreation

## I. WELCOME / INTRODUCTIONS (5:30-5:39)

#### II. QUORUM CHECK / MINUTES APPROVAL (5:39-5:40)

- Honglip Park motioned to approve the meeting minutes
- Jasmine Garcia seconded the motion
- Yes: 7, No:0, Abstain: 0

#### III. NEW BUSINESS / ACTION (5:40-7:25)

- A. Election Results Honglip Park
  - a. Brandon Chu will serve as Vice President (VP) of External Affairs, and Sara Ehsan will serve as VP of Diversity Affairs. The former VP of Diversity Affairs, Jasmine Garcia, was elected as VP of Internal Affairs, and Woodger Faugas will continue as VP of Finance. Honglip Park will be serving as President.
  - b. Francesco Dalla Ricca applied for VP of External Affairs grad rep during the meeting
    - i. Jasmine Garcia made a motion for his appointment as VP of External Affairs *grad rep*. Honglip Park seconded the motion.
    - ii. Yes:7, No:0, Abstain:0
- B. SHCS Transition and Budget Updates Charles McDonough
  - a. Introduced the budget model for 2024 2025
  - b. The primary care practice at the Student Health and Counseling Services Center will close on May 31.
  - c. The designated primary care provider for the students with UC SHIP will become UCSF Health, effective June 1.
  - d. So far, only 300 of the 1575 students with UC SHIP reached out to set up care with UCSF Health Primary Care Services. Students can fill out this survey: <u>https://ucsf.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_6EG6cBq1boBw8HY</u>
  - e. Students can choose the location and select their providers
  - f. Funds from the Student Service Fee, campus allocations, and Student Health Council, and state funding are provided for student health.
  - g. The use of funds for student health will be discussed soon.
- C. Updates on Insurance Monique Lillis
  - a. There are benefits changes including LYRA pilot program, copays, out of pocket maximums, and special care visits.
  - b. Health care costs such as premium and co-pays have increased

- c. Contacting financial aid, UCS Charity care, and the Campus Medical Care Assistance Fund can be options to manage the increased health care costs.
- d. The important information regarding the updates needs to be shared with students and discussed in the future.
- D. Campus Community Centers Facilities Fee Neil Windisch
  - a. The proposed adjustments, effective July 1, 2024, include a 4.5% increase, or \$3 per quarter, raising the price from \$66 to \$69, due to inflationary adjustments
  - b. The financial position of Fitness and Recreation from 2016 to 2024 has been provided.
    - Motioned to approved and seconded.
    - Yes: 7, No:0, Abstain: 0
- E. Issues regarding an article posted on Synapse titled "UCSF Students Suck at Democracy"
  - a. The issue was raised concerning the article not addressing GPSA's work and contribution appropriately and defaming student government. It was discussed whether or not to respond to the anonymous author on behalf of the GPSA.
  - b. The article encouraged the voting in the GPSA elections.
  - c. It was suggested that the purpose of the author was to encourage participation of voting.
  - d. Discussed ways to advertise the contributions of the GPSA to UCSF students instead of responding to the article in the name of the GPSA.
- F. Committee Representatives Honglip Park

please note members of the academic council must sit on two committees throughout the academic year

- a. Committees
  - i. AAUCSF Student-Alumni Engagement Committee
  - ii. Chancellor's Council
  - iii. Committee on Disability Inclusion
  - iv. Council on Campus Climate, Culture, and Inclusion
  - v. Miscellaneous Fee Advisory Committee
  - vi. Student Health Advisory Committee
  - vii. Student Services Fee Advisory Committee
  - viii. UCSF Advisory Committee on Sustainability
    - ix. UCSF Police Accountability Board
- b. Seeking Student Representation
  - i. Committee on Education Technology 2 students needed
  - ii. Committee on Library & Scholarly Communication 1 student needed
  - iii. Housing Advisory Committee 1-2 students needed

## IV. UPDATES (7:25-7:27)

## V. PLANNING (7:27-7:27)

- A. Llama Visit May 8, 2024 @ Mission Bay
- B. 2024-25 Event Planning
  - a. Alumni Social October
  - b. Cultural Night November
  - c. UC Regent Info Lunch January
  - d. Formal March
  - e. Last Lecture April
  - f. Llama Visit May

#### VII. OFFICER REPORTS (≤3 minutes each)

- A. President Diana Do
- B. VP of Internal Affairs Honglip Park
- C. VP of Finance Woodger Faugas
- D. VP of Diversity Affairs Jasmine Garcia
- E. VP of External Affairs David Sung, Keya Patel, Sarah Shapiro

- F. Dentistry Representative Samah Abbaker
- G. Graduate Division (Basic Sciences) Representative Sydney Williams
- H. Graduate Division (Social Sciences) Representative OPEN
- I. Medicine Representative Richard Ngo, Aidan Pace, and Stephen John Cruz
- J. Nursing Representative Naureen Syed
- K. Pharmacy Representative Jay Samson
- L. Physical Therapy Representative Tram Pham, Nick Covaia, Patrick Miller, Richard Ou

# XI. ANNOUNCEMENTS (<2 minutes each)

- A. Upcoming Meetings
  - a. Officer Transition
  - b. GPSA Assembly Community Building
- B. Upcoming Events