

Associated Students, Inc.  
California State University, Long Beach

**SENATE MINUTES (FINAL)**  
**Meeting #11**  
**October 14, 2020**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Maythe Alderete Gonzalez called the meeting to order at 3:31 p.m.

**2. ROLL CALL**

Voting Members Present

Andrea Felix-Cervantes, ASI College of the Arts  
Billy Rubi, ASI College of the Arts  
Atazshii Austin, ASI College of Business  
Aylin Morelos, ASI College of Business  
Albert Morales, ASI College of Education  
Manolo Cruz, ASI College of Engineering (Depart 5:23 p.m.)  
Lexleigh Harris, ASI College of Engineering  
Milena Gevorkian, ASI College of Health and Human Services  
Salvador Marrero, ASI College of Health and Human Services  
Salvador Peregrina, ASI College of Liberal Arts  
Millaray Ramirez, ASI College of Liberal Arts  
Jubilee Muñozvilla, ASI College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics  
Shivam Srivastava, ASI College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics (Departed 4 p.m.)  
Isabel Cameron, ASI At-Large  
Alyssa Castrillon, ASI At-Large  
Sierra Darwin, ASI At-Large  
Jesus Gonzalez, ASI At-Large  
Sumaiyah Hossain, ASI At-Large  
Richie Kennedy, ASI At-Large  
Maythe Alderete Gonzalez ASI Vice President  
Jeff Jarvis, CSULB Faculty Representative (Depart 4:45 p.m.)  
Dr. Piya Bose, CSULB President's Designee

Voting Members Absent

VACANT, ASI College of Education

Staff Present

Dr. Miles Nevin, ASI Executive Director  
Lindsay San Miguel, Assistant Director Government Affairs and Initiatives

**3. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Reese, community member: voiced support for Senate Resolution #2021-02 Support for the Philippine Human Rights Act (PHRA).

Sarin Hanneyan, CSULB student: voiced concern to the current Armenian war, encouraged protest against ethnic cleansing, and encouraged factual discussion.

J. Jimenez: voiced support for Senate Resolution #2021-02 Support for the Philippine Human Rights Act (PHRA).

Steven Hachigian: CSULB student: voiced concern to the current Armenian war, encouraged Armenians to raise their voices to bring awareness to the situation, and called for Senate support.

Randy Santiago, CSULB student: voiced support for Senate Resolution #2021-02 Support for the Philippine Human Rights Act (PHRA).

Mlou Aquino, CSULB student: voiced support for Senate Resolution #2021-02 Support for the Philippine Human Rights Act (PHRA).

**4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**Harris (MOVED) Hossain (SECOND) to approve Senate Agenda, Meeting #11, October 14, 2020, as amended**

- Alderete Gonzalez:
- Item #9-B: remove Time Certain
- Item #9-C: add Time Certain 3:50 p.m.

**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 0-0-20  
Oppose-Abstain-Approve**

**5. ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE CHAIR**

- Recognized that Monday was Indigenous Peoples' Day
- Executives met with:
  - Library Dean Roman Kochan: discussed parking for library materials' locker pick-up, and the circulation increase of books and e-books
  - Academic Senate Chair Pandya: discussed Basic Needs; credit/no credit; talk of canceling Spring Break; CARES funding
  - Sustainable Transportation: Bike Share Program; Clean Vehicle Program
- Take a Sec with an Exec: October 15<sup>th</sup>, 11am-12pm, via Zoom, link on Instagram @csulbasi
- Owens Condition for Tuition: [www.asirecreation.org/owens](http://www.asirecreation.org/owens)
- Revisions to the Executive Order on CSU General Education Breadth (Ethnic Studies Requirement): submit feedback by November 2<sup>nd</sup>
- Master Plan Survey: complete survey by October 16<sup>th</sup>, 11:59 p.m.

**Bose stepped out of chambers 5:01 p.m.**

**6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

A. Action Item: Senate Minutes, Meeting #10, October 7, 2020

**Hossain (MOVED) Peregrina (SECOND) to approve Senate Minutes, Meeting #10, October 7, 2020**

**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 0-0-18  
Oppose-Abstain-Approve**

**Bose returned to chambers 5:04 p.m.**

**7. CONSENT CALENDAR/REPORTS**

A. Approval of Minutes from Subsidiary Boards

1) Action Item: Board of Control (BOC) Minutes, Meeting #9, September 29, 2020

**Darwin (MOVED) Rubi (SECOND) to approve Board of Control (BOC) Minutes, Meeting #9, September 29, 2020**

**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 0-0-19  
Oppose-Abstain-Approve**

2) Action Item: Lobby Corps Minutes, Meeting #6, October 1, 2020

**Cameron (MOVED) Harris (SECOND) to approve Lobby Corps Minutes, Meeting #6, October 1, 2020**  
**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 0-0-16**

**Oppose-Abstain-Approve**

**B. Acceptance of Minutes from Subsidiary Boards**

- 1) Action Item: Cabinet Minutes, Meeting #5, September 28, 2020

**Hossain (MOVED) Darwin (SECOND) to accept Cabinet Minutes, Meeting #5, September 28, 2020**

**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 0-0-19**

**Oppose-Abstain-Approve**

**8. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**A. Legislative Business**

- 1) Action Item: SR #2021-01 ASI Stance on Select California Statewide Ballot Measures (2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading)

Alderete Gonzalez reviewed the following revisions:

- Added to the end of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Resolve: ...in compliance with rules and regulations stipulating limits on direct legislative activity among non-profit organizations organized under Section 501©3 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- Corrected proposition number from 20 to 25 in its description.

**Harris (MOVED) Peregrina (SECOND) to approve SR #2021-01 ASI Stance on Select California Statewide Ballot Measures (2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading)**

**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 0-2-17**

**Oppose-Abstain-Approve**

- 2) Action Item: SR #2021-02 Support for the Philippine Human Rights Act (PHRA) (2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading)

Alderete

There were no revisions.

**Peregrina (MOVED) Harris (SECOND) to approve SR #2021-02 Support for the Philippine Human Rights Act (PHRA) (2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading)**

**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 0-1-16**

**Oppose-Abstain-Approve**

**B. Non-Legislative Business**

- 1) Action Item: 2020-21 ASI Consolidated Operating Budget (2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading)

There were no revisions.

**Muñozvilla (MOVED) Harris (SECOND) to approve 2020-21 ASI Consolidated Operating Budget (2<sup>nd</sup> and Final Reading)**

**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 0-2-16**

**Oppose-Abstain-Approve**

**9. REPORTS**

- A. Information Item: Omar Prudencio Gonzalez, ASI President Time Certain 3:45 p.m.

There was no report.

- B. Information Item: Mateo Maya, ASI Chief Government Relations Officer

Work completed since last report

- Lobby Corps started the Voting Issues campaign which has been our main focus along with voter registration. The campaign consists in posting social media content every week related to voting equity, climate change, LGBTQ and gender-based issues, racial justice, and immigration issues and link them to the importance of voting and civic engagement.
- The campaign also has published two articles about voting inequity and climate justice, s/o to the authors Senator Cameron and Senator Darwin
- Contacted every single student officer to promote voter registration and created a quick competition to see which org can register the most students. The top 3 will win cash prizes and recognitions, so please encourage your constituents and organizations to participate through the following form <https://forms.gle/Ai1tPsyob2yqMxGJA>
- Ballot bowl update: we're number 6 with 886 registrations, however Fullerton is leading with 1546 registrations. We need your help to defeat Fullerton, so please keep promoting this link <http://asicsulb.org/vote2020>
- Attended meeting with President Conoley with the other executive officers to discuss our current projects.

#### Goals for next two weeks

- This week we are focusing on gender and LGBTQ+ issues
- Next week we will have a zoom info session about prop 25 (replacing cash bail) with Dr. Scott-Hayward. Info:
  - Date and time– October 21st at 5pm
  - Webinar ID: 812 8436 7036
  - Passcode: Vote
- On Oct 26 we will have a panel about Civic Engagement in Immigrant Communities. Info:
  - Date & time: October 26 at 5pm
  - Webinar ID: 876 8538 2392
  - Passcode: Vote

#### Student concerns

- Students have mainly reached out to share or ask about voting registration and education issues.

#### Did you know?

- You can easily register to vote using the following link, please share with your constituents: <http://asicsulb.org/vote2020>
- Check out and promote: <https://www.csulb.edu/vote> where you can find all the information you need regarding voting
- Check out the Beachfront articles: <https://www.asicsulb.org/corporate/connect/beachfront>
- Make sure you are following all the ASI social media accounts so you can see the voting issues campaign content

#### C. Information Item: Shivam Srivastava, Senate Representative for Beach Pride Events Committee Time Certain 4 p.m.

##### Work completed since last report

- Training on BPE working rules and Robert's rules of order
- Election of a vice chair
- Created subcommittees within the BPE Committee
- Received training on the history of ASI & The USU
- Planned events such as...
  - Speed Friending & Mini Talent Show
  - Poet's Lounge for Oct. & Nov.

- OUTober week
- Virtual games for Quarantined housing students
- A virtual music Lounge (E-Concert)

Goals for next two weeks

- Further plan events for the upcoming respect diversity week for end of October.
- Reflect upon past events such as speed friending and the virtual games for housing students
- Vote on a Co-sponsorship for Fetch Day
- Collaborate with the SWRC on a Guided Art – DIY Pumpkins event
- Plan upcoming/ recurring events such as poets lounge and speed friending
- Discuss and plan events for hunger and homelessness week

Student concerns

- Students are concerned about getting involved on campus and feel distant from the school
- Students are also experiencing zoom fatigue from their classes, and may not want to spend extra time on zoom for extracurricular events and meetings.

Did you know?

- Beach pride events is hosting a monthly speed friending event
- Similar to speed dating, speed friending allows students to meet and mingle with other CSULB students
- Due to the success of the first event in September we have decided to host speed friending every month for the rest of the semester

D. Information Item: James Saucedo - Office of Multicultural Affairs Time Certain 4:05 p.m.

- The Declaration of Inter-dependence: Cross cultural leadership
- Events
  - October: OUTober – LGBTQ Month Celebration
  - October 11<sup>th</sup>: National Coming Out Day
  - October 13<sup>th</sup>: Indigenous Peoples' Day
  - October 15<sup>th</sup>, 5pm: Community Spaces, Session II Black Students
  - Respect Diversity Week (October 26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>):
- Staff training: 3 cultural competency training workshops; workshops will be recorded for webinar usage
- Completed cross-cultural training for health care
- Full-time coordinator for Pan African Studies to begin in spring 2021
- Finished hiring 6 student assistants for the various cultural resource centers, to serve as liaisons for student needs

E. Information Item: David Weinberg, ASI Commissioner for Disability Affairs Time Certain 4:15 p.m.

Work completed since last report

- Meeting with Director of BMAC (DSS), Mary Nguyen
  - Discussed concerns of the disability communities at CSULB, and the need for accommodations to shift with the demands of new modality
  - Discussed the office's goals to adapt to the circumstances of COVID-19
    - ✓ MyBMAC: rolled out this fall with the goal to streamline the accommodation process
- Joint meeting with BMAC Director and ASI President & Treasurer
  - Advocating for inclusion of additional student populations in agenda
    - ✓ ASI Policy Agenda for Equity, Inclusion, and Racial Justice and related discussions
- Respect Diversity Week and Meet the Commissioner Planning

- President's Cabinet finished with majority of planning for events

#### Goals for next two weeks

- Respect Diversity Week
  - Student & Faculty Panel (Sponsored by ASI Cabinet) (October 26th 5:00-6:30 PM)
    - ✓ Understanding the oppression members of marginalized communities face at CSULB
  - Ability Ally (Sponsored by BMAC) (October 30th 9:00-11:00 AM)
    - ✓ Designed for providing ally training to CSULB students, instead of the usual faculty focus
- Meet the Commissioner
  - Disability Affairs (October 21st 5:00-6:00 PM)
- BMAC Student Support Group
  - Event details to be finalized in the next few days, and I will be attending the event as a potential resource for students needing advocacy.

#### Student Issues

- Technology accessibility (e.g., access, captioning, audio/video trouble)
- Student complaints (e.g., faculty issue with request & microaggression)
- Universal design opportunities (e.g. lecture recording & other resource)

#### Student Concerns

- Students' rights to privacy as it relates to disclosing the reasons for their BMAC accommodations and other health-related events
- Additionally, accommodations are not exclusively made by BMAC. Faculty at CSULB can recognize disabilities that do not "qualify"

#### Did you know?

- In process of gathering ideas to create a safe space or alliance for disabled students (e.g., D.R.E.A.M. chapter) and need student interest
- Contact info: [www.DavidGWeinberg.com](http://www.DavidGWeinberg.com)
- Please share if you meet a student with concerns related to a disability, including students who are not registered with BMAC
- Disability Awareness Month - October
- "Nothing about us, without us" - Disability Rights Movement

#### F. Information Item: Rico Ovalles - Day 1 Digital Access Time Certain 4:20 p.m.

##### Who We Are – 49er Shops

- We are a NON-profit Bookstore
  - Out of the 23 CSUs, we are 1 of 5 remaining
  - \$ goes back to campus vs. shareholders
- Board consist of campus community
  - VP of DAF, VP of Student Services, Pres/VP/Treasurer of ASI, faculty member(s), etc.
- Maintain a focus on student success and student savings as opposed to profitability

##### Day 1 Digital Access

- Digital e-book or courseware "integrated" into Beach Board
  - Always the correct materials
- FREE access on Day 1
  - All students can start the class right away
- Pricing equity for CSULB
  - Lower than physical new book price and direct digital price
  - Equal pricing for ALL students including veterans, DOR, scholarships, etc.
  - Keep \$ on campus

- Participating publishers
  - Pearson, McGraw, Cengage, Wiley, Macmillan, Norton, Oxford, Sage, Cambridge, and Human Kinetics
- Students have until add/drop (without W) to OPT OUT
  - Generally 2 weeks for Spring/Fall semesters
- Charged to student account
  - MORE time to pay for the material
- MUST be requested by instructor or department

#### Update - Growth

- Fall 2018: 398
- Fall 2019: 422 (+6.0%)
- Fall 2020: 563 (+33.4%)
- Spring 2019: 310
- Spring 2020: 286 (-7.7%)
- Spring 2021: ???

#### Updates – Opted In (Fall 2020)

- EBook: 54.4%
- Courseware: 88.8%
- Total: 74.0%

#### Updates – Estimate Savings

- Physical New Price: \$663,003
- Digital (non-D1DA): \$319,681

#### Challenges/Lessons Learned

- Instructors were not notifying students nor posting it on BeachBoard
  - We remind instructors to “Please notify your students”
  - We received access to post D1DA on BeachBoard
    - ✓ BeachBoard Content Day 1 Digital Access
  - Our system sends out 3 emails to students (donotreply@redshelf.com)
    - ✓ 1st day of classes
    - ✓ 1st day of 2nd week
    - ✓ 1-2 days before opt out deadline
- Late adoptions and instructors not knowing about D1DA program
  - Department presentations and emails
  - Worked directly with publisher reps to promote D1DA
- Students reaching out to us after deadline to opt out

#### G. Information Item: Larisa Hamada - Title IX Time Certain 4:30 p.m.

##### Title IX Complaints: 2019-20

- Cases reported: 239
- Open Cases 19
- Issues resolved/referred without complaint: 170
- Complaint resolved via Early Resolution: 24
- Title IX Accommodation/Remedy: 26

##### DeVos Changes

- The Department of Education recently issued new guidelines “Final Rule” pertaining to Title IX, which has now become federal law. CSUs are required to comply with these laws, effective August 14, 2020. We are meeting with campus partners and presenting how these changes may be relevant to you.

## Jurisdiction

- Location: Underlying actions must occur within the United States, on campus or at an event in which CSULB exercises “substantial control.” This includes wherever CSULB holds an activity. For example Blair Field, campus dorms or a fundraiser at a third-party location.
  - Off-campus incidents, including at private residences, would not be covered under new regulations.
- Complainant & Respondent: Must be an active student/employee participating in an Education Program or Activity.
- Supportive Measures: We will continue to offer Supportive Measures (formally, Interim Measures) to any survivor who wants them. These include, counseling, assignment extensions, excused absences, housing reassignment, NCOs

## Investigations

- OED will conduct an investigations wherein both parties will be interviewed, identify witnesses and submit evidence.
- Both parties have a right to a Process Advisor, Hearing Advisor and Support Person
- New regulations provide a higher threshold for Sexual Harassment. It is now defined as, “Unwelcome conduct determined by a reasonable person to be so severe, pervasive and objectively offensive that it effectively denies a person equal access to an education program or activity.”
- Early Resolution will continue. However, we cannot Early Resolve anything between an active student and active employee.

## Hearings

- After the investigation is completed, a case will move to a hearing phase.
- A live hearing via Zoom Video Conferencing or other video conferencing will occur.
- Complainant, Respondent and Witnesses will be cross-examined by Hearing Advisors.
- A trained Hearing Officer, appointed by the CO, will make the determination as to whether a policy violation occurred.
- Parties have appeal rights.

## Hearing Details and Costs

- Good News!!! No Hearings yet at CSULB
- DeVos changes will limit our ability to Early Resolve matters.
- DeVos changes are mini-trials that require a Hearing Officer and Hearing Advisors for both parties.
- Campus partners at other CSUs report that hearings have cost between \$10,000 - \$75,000, depending on the number of witnesses and number of days it takes to complete the hearing.

## Reporting Requirements

### Duty to Report

- Any Employee who knows or has reason to know of Discrimination, Harassment, Retaliation, Sexual Misconduct, Stalking, or Dating/Domestic Violence must report the allegations to the Office of Equity & Diversity.
- You are required to disclose all information including the names of the Parties, even where the person has requested anonymity

### How to Report

#### Online Reporting Form

- Go to [www.csulb.edu](http://www.csulb.edu)
- Under search, Type “Office of Equity & Diversity”
- Click on First Link
- On lower, right-hand side, click on: Online Title IX Reporting Form
- Fill out form and press submit



May also be reported by calling (562)985-8256 or by emailing [oed@csulb.edu](mailto:oed@csulb.edu)

### Key Takeaways

- Increase in Title IX Cases (DV-During COVID)
- DeVos changes will require hearings that are likely to be:
  - Traumatic to parties
  - A significant cost to the university
- The Hearing Advisors will be key to this process. At present, the CO is asking for employees to volunteer to serve in these roles. A stipend or other consideration may lead to more volunteers.
- Supportive Measures: We will need to rely on help from our faculty, Enrollment Services, Academic Advisors, and Student Affairs professionals.

### Questions

- Equity & Diversity
  - Email: [OED@csulb.edu](mailto:OED@csulb.edu)
  - Phone: (562) 985-8256
  - Hours: 8AM-5PM

#### H. Information Item: Adriana Andrade, ASI Treasurer Time Certain 4:45 p.m.

- Financial Empowerment Workshop #2
    - Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> at 11 am – 12pm.
  - Quarter Financial Reports
  - Should be good for 27th for BOC; Senate after
- Information Item: Spring 2021 Grant Allocation Process
- Discussed Timeline
  - Develop a general announcement for the application opening
  - Set dates with BOC for application deadline and hearings dates
  - 3 parts to it
    - ✓ College councils and sports clubs are applications will go first

#### I. Information Item: Dr. Miles Nevin, ASI Executive Director

- James Ahumada: former ASI President went to Washington D.C., came back to ASI, and has been a great support. Ahumada accepted a position with the City of Long Beach as the Director of Communications

#### J. Information Item: ASI College Senators

##### 1) College of the Arts

##### Work completed since last report

- Met with COTA Assistant to the Dean, Corinne Garthoff
  - Devising a survey to see COTA students online experience
    - ✓ Subject to being approved at this time
  - Scheduled a Meet the Dean and Senators (10/21), 12pm-1pm
- Arts Ink Council
  - Devising an application
  - Reached out to Bethany Price to collaborate on flyer

##### Goals for next two weeks

- Open Forum/Lunch with Dean, Wednesday, October 21st, 12-1pm
- Schedule an Senator-related event with COTA student orgs

- Schedule a Q & A for Arts Ink Council

#### Student concerns

- Shared ASI Survey to students regarding online learning
- Continued concerns over course workloads
- Concerns over election results

#### Did you know?

- Master of Arts in Human Experience Design: Starting Fall 2019 the department of Design began offering its very first MA in Design. Through the MA\_HXDI program, students will develop expertise in the tools and methods of experience design as a strategy for making and adding value to systems, products, spaces, and services.

### 2) College of Business

#### Work completed since last report

- Meeting with Dean of College of Business Michael Solt, ABSOC advisor Howard Fletcher & SLD Director Matt Cabrera
  - Discuss goals/initiatives/programs for the year
- Attended ABSOC Meeting
- Meeting with Isaac Julian
- Attended Academic Senate Meeting
  - Discussed employment policies for graduate students & master's students

#### Goals for next two weeks

- 1:1 meeting with VP Gonzales, Mya Jones, & Kaysha Jones
  - Resolution writing to increase the representation of marginalized students
- Attend ABSOC Meeting
  - Discuss ways to increase awareness of both workshops & programs involving internships, resume writing and more

#### Student concerns

- N/A

#### Did you know?

- ICBS is having a business competition man in which you can obtain course credit for spring semester

### 3) College of Education

#### Work completed since last report

- Planned out first events and meetings for College of Education Student Assembly (COESA) and Liberal Studies Student Association (LSSA)
- College of Education support groups directory clarified on websites and emailed out to students after discussing this issue with Dean Dr. Shireen Pavri
- College of Education financial aid, grants and scholarships information emailed to students since there was confusion with deadline dates

#### Goals for next two weeks

- Continue collaborating with Dean Dr. Shireen Pavri about upcoming conferences, workshops and professional development on how to help College of Education students complete program requirements including teaching, intern hours, and credential exams/assessments
- Plan with College of Education Student Assembly (COESA) future fundraising events and organization awareness/outreach

#### Student concerns

- As application deadlines for comprehensive exams, thesis and research projects and fieldwork are coming up, students are concerned about slower response time from College of Education offices; they are not open during normal business hours
- There has been an increase in mix-ups from the credential and Teacher Preparation Advising Center (TPAC) office

Did you know?

- College of Education Graduate Student Assembly Virtual Study Halls held every Sunday from 12pm-3pm with the most recent being 10/11 Spooky Virtual Hangout
- Meet with the Dean on Wednesday, 10/21 from 3:30-4:30. Registration deadline is 10/20 at 8am.
- Nominations open for outstanding research , scholarly and creative activity student awards due 11/10 by pm, emailed to Dean Dr. Shireen Pavri
- Graduate Peer Mentors office hours are Mondays and Tuesdays from 2-3:30pm
- College of Education Open Discussion with Student Ambassadors on 10/14 from 12-1pm to ask questions, express concerns and share resources related to the transitioning of alternate modes of instruction for the 2020-21 academic year
- College of Education Writer's Workshop open to all undergraduate, credential and master's students on 10/15 from 3-4pm
- Student teaching Application deadline October 1st via OneDrive

#### 4) College of Engineering

Work completed since last report

- Set dates for Virtual Coffee with C.O.E dean.
- Assist to A.E.S.B. monthly meeting.
  - Gave detailed report regarding ASI tasks and accomplishments
  - Shared important information about resources with Student Organizations to further share with their members
- Had meeting with Senator Muñozvilla and Senator Gevorkian about a new Isabel Patterson Child Development Center
  - Gathered important information to report back to the COE Dean and Associate Dean

Goals for next two weeks

- Promote Virtual Coffee with the dean.
- Reach out to IPCDC director for more clarifying information to report back to COE Dean and Associate Dean
- Promote mental health among students decrease zoom fatigue and burnout.
- Create mass email list to keep all COE students informed and up to date on ASI information
- Reach out to Faculty Champions
  - Go over current survey data in order to take next steps

Student concerns

- Turbulent political climate with the upcoming 2020 election.
- Students are not adjusting to the new zoom testing formats
  - Mid-terms have negatively affected students' mental health

Did you know?

- The Carpenter Center lobby will be open as a voting location.
- Oct 24<sup>th</sup>-Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> (Election Day), 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

- You can also drop off your completed ballot at the Drive-thru Ballot Box in the parking lot at 6200 E. Atherton St.

#### 5) College of Health & Human Services

##### Work completed since last report

- Scheduled the next monthly check-in with Dean of the College of Health and Human Services, Monica A. F. Lounsbery, via zoom to discuss any updates.
- Attended the Executive Board Meeting on October 5<sup>th</sup> to thoroughly discuss “Let’s Rattle Hunger Campaign” and BEACH pantry expansion plans and ideas.
- Scheduled a meeting with Sylvana Cicero and other colleges to begin working on “Let’s Rattle Hunger Campaign”
- Attended the CSULB ASA meeting and provided information and support to Armenian students concerning the war in their homeland, in addition to introducing myself.
- Connected with Anna Nazarian-Peters to bring together Armenian students and begin working on amending a pre-existing resolution.
- Attended a meeting with Senator Harris, Muñozvilla, and Cruz to collaborate on IPCDC playground project plans.
- Attended Latinx Student Union (LSU) meeting & helped coordinate transition to new executive board

##### Goals for next two weeks

- Attend “Let’s Rattle Hunger Campaign” meeting and begin working on integration into the pantry.
- Meet with Armenian students and Anna Nazarian-Peters to thoroughly discuss a possible amendment to existing resolution.
- Contact Biological Science Department Chair to address 20+ email complaints received.
- Catch up with our college council via email/call

##### Student concerns

- Finding best study habits for virtual setting and tutoring services.
- Campus open for voting?

#### 6) College of Liberal Arts

##### Work completed since last report

- Filmed two videos for the College of Liberal Arts (CLA) social media team
- Alongside the social media team we decided to create ASI awareness week on all CLA social media platforms
- Met with Senator Gonzalez and Chief Diversity officer Citlali Ortiz
- Met with the college council

##### Goals for next two weeks

- Meet with the Dean
- Meet with Chief Diversity Officer and Senator Gonzalez
- Meet with Vice President Alderete-Gonzalez

##### Student concerns

- Students are receiving more homework than usual and are concerned that they are not having time to study or do other stuff outside of school.

##### Did you know?

- Did you know that this week is ASI awareness week on all CLA Social Media platforms? Check out our 37 questions video on instagram. CSULB\_LiberalArts

## 7) College of Natural Science & Math

Work completed since last report

- Met with CNSM Dean
- Scheduled meet the Senators
- Senator Srivastava attended the CSU Peer Leadership Summit
- Senator Srivastava also scheduled a meeting with Valerie Bagley
- Senator Muñozvilla talked with the WGEC
- BTTC met with At-large Transfer senators, Senator Darwin, Senator Cameron
- Senator Muñozvilla talked with OED

Goals for next two weeks

- Promote the event on insta: @cnsmstudentcouncil & @csulbjensensas
- Talk with BUILD on sharing list of PIs (principal investigators) that are accepting students for research projects
- Hold panel for transfer students to be aware of ASI and Beach Team
- Meet with commissioner for pregnant and parenting students to write a resolution.
- Meet with Valerie Bagley and discuss methods to adjust NSCI freshmen courses to promote research

Student concerns

- Incoming students are worried about unavailable research and volunteering opportunities
- Students taking lab this semester are worried about possible COVID-19 exposure
- Because of previous lab shutdowns, students worry about returning to research
- Struggles with exam allotted time, maybe not enough

Did you know?

- Meet the CNSM Senators Event
  - Friday October 16th from 2-3pm
  - An opportunity to meet the CNSM senators and ask questions!
- Professor Colloquiums hosted by the CNSM College Council
  - Every month, CNSMSC is putting together a colloquium for the entire college. The objective is to get student more acquainted with CNSM professors and their research

## K. Information Item: Dr. Piya Bose, CSULB Dean of Students

- CARES Presentation 1pm Thursday for students to learn about the CARES Team/Process
  - <https://csulb-hipaa.zoom.us/j/93926088309>
  - Meeting ID: 939 2608 8309
- WASC accreditation next week - virtual
- Voting on Campus: <https://www.csulb.edu/vote>
- DSA is planning a series of programming both pre and post-election in Oct & Nov
- The Learning Center offers tutoring, plus workshops on a variety of topics
- Self-care is important, especially during stressful times like midterms

## 10. CLOSING COMMENTS

There were none.

## 11. ADJOURNMENT

**Without objection**, Chair Maythe Alderete Gonzalez adjourned the meeting at 6:06 p.m.