

Student Government Association

The University of Texas at Tyler

November 14th, 2023 Minutes

- I. Call to Order**
- II. Roll Call**
- III. Approval of Minutes**
- IV. Open Forum**
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- V. Speaker's Podium**
- VI. a. Faculty Senate President, Dr. Amentahru Wahlrab**
 - discussed structural difference in governance.
 - discussed strategies to be more effective as a Senate to see change happen.
 - answered mult
- VII. Officer Reports**
 - a. President Dix- meetings and finalizing things before the semester ends.
 - b. Vice-President Carnes- Working with events committee, discussed further in committee reports.
 - c. Secretary Henry- updated the SGA website to current minutes, recordings, and senators.
 - d. Treasurer Peters- responding to student org requests, last SGAC meeting this week.
 - e. Chief of Staff Tropp- report was given in committee report. Next week they are discussing the bylaws.
- VIII. Committee Reports**
 - a. Events- finals bags week after thanksgiving, will be doing a toy drive week after thanksgiving until finals week. Looking for volunteers.
 - b. Communications- Continuing with rotations for announcements post made by Senator Schwartz.
 - c. SGAC- women in math and science for Friendsgiving, BSA for vision board, this week they will be meeting with the reform university fellowship & the student veteran association.
 - d. Rules- discussed rules committee changes to SGA House Rules
 - e. ESC- trying to plan something for the HTX engineering campus.
- IX. Student Voice Reports**
 - a. Health Science Center
 - students are doing great and preparing for exams.
 - b. School of Medicine
 - Student Senate met this past week, student interest funding was approved.
 - Working on exams and thesis.
 - Increased student engagement.
 - Will be moved to permanent location
 - c. School of Health Professions
 - Lost an advisor
 - Still working on the vending machine.

Old Business

 - c. n/a
- X. New Business**
- XI. a. November 28th meeting discussion**
- XII. b. Discussed open forum speakers speech.**
- XIII. Advisor Comments**
 - a. Josh Neaves
- XIV. Announcements**
 - a. Joining a committee
 - i. Events: Tuesdays at 4:30pm in SGA Office

- ii. Communications: Mondays at 5:00pm via Zoom
- iii. SGAC: Wednesdays at 4:00pm via Zoom
- iv. Rules: Thursday at 3:00pm
- v. ESC: Wednesday 5:15pm via zoom
- b. Student Regent Applications due November 20th

Next Week

- XV. a. no meeting
- XVI. Adjournment

6:54pm