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Minutes
Student Activities Commission
Friday, October 31, 2025, 2:30 – 3:30 PM
Innovation and Instruction (II) 2200

- I. Called to order at 2:34 p.m. by Arwin Ordonez, Chairperson.
- II. Roll Call
Voting members Present: Arwin Ordonez, Dylan Ponce Medina, Elijah Kain-Arther, and Kyrsten Tyler
Advisors Present: Michellena Lakey and Sean James
Advisors Absent: Morelia Castaneda-Patino and Jessica Rodriguez
Visitors: Janneane Rosales, History Club, and Vietnamese Student Association
- III. Approval of Agenda – Action Item
M/Kain-Arther, S/Ponce to approve the agenda for October 31, 2025.
VOTE: UNANIMOUS
- IV. Approval of Minutes (October 3, 2025) – Action Item
M/Ponce, S/Kain-Arther to approve the minutes for October 3, 2025, with added amendments. **VOTE: UNANIMOUS**
- V. Reports
ASI Organizations – Kain-Arther updated the Commission on the cap limit for registration fee set at \$450.
ASI Student Activities Commissioner – Ordonez met with the people who are requesting funding from Student Activities and went over Viewpoint Neutrality.
- VI. Open Forum – Agenda Items Only
Time for members of the audience to address the Commission on specific agenda items only. None.
- VII. Unfinished Business – None.
- VIII. New Business
 - A. Vietnamese Students Association – Discussion / Action Item
The Commission will discuss and consider funding for the Vietnamese Student Association.
The Vietnamese Student Association is requesting \$ 1,000 in funding from the Student Activities Commission for a music performance at their annual Lunar New Year Festival. This event will be hosted by the Asian Pacific Culture Center in collaboration with the Vietnamese Student Association, promoting Asian culture and welcoming all. They provided examples of the cost breakdown from

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last year's event, which they are using as a basis for their funding request. If approved, the \$1000 will be allocated as follows: LSU will contribute \$1000, the APCC will allocate \$1500 in state funds, and the Vietnamese Student Association will provide \$500 as collateral. The Vietnamese Student Association clarified that the APCC will not fund this event to avoid double-dipping. The Commission discussed their thoughts on this request and noted that last year's Lunar New Year event had a strong turnout. They also emphasized that the event promotes culture and community. According to their budget breakdown, they are utilizing their funding effectively. Overall, the Commission believes this event shows promise.

*M/Kain-Arther, S/Ponce to approve the Vietnamese Student Association funding request for music performance for their annual Lunar New Year event for \$1000.

VOTE: UNANIMOUS

IX. Open Forum – Discussion Item

Time for members of the audience to address the Commission.

Ordonez said that regarding the registration fees, the Graduate Program of Social Work applied for IRA funding Registration Fees, which were supposed to be a cushion. Kain-Arther stated that Castaneda-Patino recommends that clubs requesting registration funding go to Organizations Committed first, since Student Activities is intended for events.

X. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 2:54 p.m.