# NMT SGA Minutes Tuesday, September 27th, 2022

Call to Order (8:05) Approved

Approve Agenda Agenda Approved Approve Minutes Minutes approved

#### **Role Call**

Absent: Suzanne Eisenberg, Ryan Zander, Daniel Martinez Late: Nicklaus Stanaland

#### Induction

Samuel Sotoromero was inducted as a Senator. Senate is now full.

#### **Confirming Supreme Court Justice**

Mia Karmesin is confirmed with 15 votes yes 0 votes no.

#### Materials Club Bill

- MS&T Conference
- Oct. 9-12 in Pittsburgh Pennsylvania
- American Ceramics society will be there as a co-host with MS&T and TMS.
- World renown conference
- Opportunity: Social media contest, Professional headshots, AIST foundation recruiting reception, ACerS tour at Almatis (formerly Alcoa)
- Covered already: Registration, Transport while there, Hotels
- Need: Flights (\$1200)
- Fundraising at presidents golf tournament: totalling \$150
- Sending two students
- CFO Suggestion: \$1200.
- Motion to grant 1200\$. 2nd
- Vote
  - Approve: 15
  - Deny: 0
  - Abstain: 0

#### QUASAR

- They are the NMT chapter of oSTEM
- Club Goals: Education, support, activism, professional development
- Past/ current projects: Preferred name policy, inclusion center, sponsorship package, socorro area resource packet
- They have hosted many other events with SWE, 49ers ect.
- oSTEM is an organization that provides expanding horizons for lgbtqa students
- In Boston MA
- Nov 10-13th
- Full career fair to be had there
- Renting hotel for 8 undergrad students
- Hotels: \$1730
- Registration: \$1240
- Flights: \$2870
- Total ask: \$5840
- CFO recommends: \$1240
- Motion for \$2870. 2nd
- Friendly amendment for \$3500. 2nd
- Vote
  - Approved: 9
  - Deny: 3
  - Abstain: 1

#### Student concerns by Michael Voegerl

- Volunteer hour sheets getting updated along with website this week
- If you are looking for our calendar it works better to look on the NMT calendar or guidebook
- 8 complaints about the GSA/SGA relation in clubs
- GSA and SGA, dean of students, dean of Grad studies as well as Voegerl himself met to discuss options
- SGA and GSA apologize for the miscommunication. They now agree to have representation at each others senate meetings
- Both agree to clean up constitutions
- Passive consent rule will be changed
- GSA does not have funding or bandwidth to host their own clubs
- SGA does not and has not received funds form GSA since 2018
- Meeting outcomes: all clubs must use club emails for club business, any club advisors must be NMT employee, all club money must go through NMT accounts, all clubs must submit club packet, no volunteer hours for your own events, all clubs must have at least 1

undergrad officer in top 3 positions, any clubs and groups that get funds must report back to senate within 2 meetings, and club submitting packet on time will be an official club, SGA will have committee of 9 members to update club rules and chartering (should ideally be composed of specific individuals in the SGA)

- Advise: club rules should not be in constitution, GSA needs to have rep at SGA meetings, GSA should fund SGA some, all senate meetings should be posted online or on bulletin board, SGA and GSA should decide how to help clubs that are purely grad students.
- 49ers paint the M is coming up. Hamburgers and hotdogs to be served on top of the mountain.
- Poster dude is back in fidel. Proceeds all go to food pantry in library
- Received \$50k grant from NM for the food pantry. Refrigerators and freezers will be added as well as rides to food pantry and farmers market
- Sunflower festival coming up to help the farmers market

#### **Reports:**

#### **Michael Voegerl**

• Integrated into Student concerns

#### Recess (9:12-9:17)

#### President

- New hire in SAB
- Been making 49ers plan. Waiting on survey for filler events
- Hydration station after paint the M
- Secretary Dylan will be ordering new jerseys
- Amanda Lewark has 3 P-cards under her name, but in no longer in financial, but Michael Voegerl will take care of it

# VP

- Last 2 weeks have been spent taking care of day to day items with committee heads
- We know some clubs have not been acting within constitutions.

# **Supreme Justice**

- The Constitution is messy and will be cleaned up.
- Each change will be run past senate

# **Student Regent**

- Office hours M 12-1pm on zoom
- If in person is preferred contact me
- Next board of regents meeting will be oct 25th in pias

# CFO

- Club budgets are going
- 26 budgets are done so far

# Paydirt

- Website is up and running at 200 visitors so far
- Social media is getting views of paydirt
- Looking to print again if it is reasonable

# SAB

- Working on 49ers
- Got a tech website updated with the most recent event.
- Club events won't be approved during 49ers unless they are listed as 49ers events

# GAO

• Not here at the moment

#### Webmaster

- Updated office hours.
- Updated bios and paydirt is taking pictures of everyone
- Idea for 49ers webpage

# Committees

#### Legislative standards

• Looking to help fix constitution

# PR

- Have not yet met as a committee
- Dont be a bully
- Few events in the thought process

# **Club Advisory**

• Met and thought about a trivia night

# Social Media

- Need all info and time to post events
- Google form sent out to all senators to be filled out
- No meeting yet, but it is being set
- 2 posts, 3 stories, 5 followers and a few tags since the last meeting

# **Mental Health**

- Meeting and working on events and be there certificates
- Pet day is coming
- Arts and crafts are in the works
- Moving into sga closets with art supplies

Chair smiles on motions :)

Motion to adjourn: 2nd

Meeting Adjourned (9:40)