

**Associated Students of Orange Coast College  
SGOCC Student Senate and Executive Board**

Minutes

Friday, March 10, 2017; 9:00 a.m.

Legacy Hall 101

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**I. Organizational Items**

**I.01 Call to Order: 9:03 a.m.**

**I.02 Roll Call**

Student Senators: Basant ElGhayati, Christy Nguyen, Giang Nguyen (arrived at 9:15 a.m.), Jesse Lopez, Julie Recalde (arrived at 9:15 a.m.), Karen Caspa, Miguel Cruz, Jose Talavera, & Omar Haddad  
Executive Board: Ashley Quinn, Jessica Riestra, Juan Partida (arrived at 9:07 a.m.), Junell Brown, Leanna Gutierrez, Frances Sanchez & Parker Hawkins (absent)  
Advisors: Dr. Julie Nguyen, Student Leadership Coordinator  
Recorder: Eva Shaffer, Student Activities Assistant

**I.03 Opportunity for Pledge of Allegiance**

**I.04 Approval of Minutes**

*Meeting minutes for Associated Students of Orange Coast College (ASOCC), Student Government of Orange Coast College (SGOCC) Student Senate Meeting dated March 3, 2017 approved without objection.*

*Meeting minutes for Associated Students of Orange Coast College (ASOCC), Student Government of Orange Coast College (SGOCC) Student Senate Meeting dated December 2, 2016 approved without objection.*

*Meeting minutes for Associated Students of Orange Coast College (ASOCC), Student Government of Orange Coast College (SGOCC) Student Senate Meeting dated December 16, 2016 approved without objection.*

**II. Public Forum**

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**III. Reports**

**III.01 Fiscal Affairs Council Report and Recommendation(s) for Possible Student Senate Action**

This is an opportunity for the Vice President of Fiscal Affairs to present financial recommendations and reports as well as an opportunity for the Senate to approve financial recommendations. Following deliberation and action by the Fiscal Affairs Council, the Vice President of Fiscal Affairs recommends the following Senate action(s) be taken:

1. Club Start-Up Funds: Accounting Society; Modern Board Games; Sociology Club; and Young Democrats.

*Motion by Ashley Quinn to approve \$50 Club Start-Up Funds for the Accounting Society; Modern Board Games; Sociology Club; and Young Democrats; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Basant ElGhayati. Motion passes without objection.*

2. One-time event or other fund requests:
  - Honor's Program: \$2,565.00 to attend the Western Regional Honor's Council Conference in Ashland, Oregon on April 7-9, 2017 and to attend the Honor's Transfer Council of California Student Research Conference for California on April 1, 2017 at the University of California, Irvine. – **Item Postponed**
3. Request for transfer: None.

**III.02 Participatory Governance Committee Reports**

Opportunity for V.P. of Diplomatic Affairs to make recommendations for appointments to shared governance committees as well as an opportunity for reports from any individual involved in a campus wide committee.

Junell Brown provided her report.

Juan Partida reported on the College Council.

Karen Caspa and Juan Partida reported on the Institutional Advancement Planning and Effectiveness Council.

Giang Nguyen, Karen Caspa & Juan Partida reported on the Academic Senate.

**III.03 Student Body President's Report**

This is an opportunity for the Student Body President to report.  
Juan Partida provided his report.

- Advocacy Committee

**III.04 Standing/Ad-hoc/Special Committees**

1. Sustainability Committee – Giang Nguyen reported.
2. Constitution & Bylaws Committee – Basant ElGhayati resigned as chair from the Constitution & Bylaws Committee. Omar Haddad appointed as chair to the Constitution & Bylaws Committee without objection.
3. Campus Safety and Student Wellness Task Force - Leanna Gutierrez reported.
4. Event Task Force – No report
5. Disabled Students Note-Taking Services Task Force – Julie Recalde reported.

**IV. Unfinished Business**

**V. New Business**

All items under new business are discussion and/or action items. Attachments are available in the ASOCC Office.

**V.01 Friends of the Students Award**

The Student Senate and Executive Board discussed the Friends of the Students Award.

**V.02 Review of Event Task Force event (i.e. Lunch with Student Senate and Executive Board)**

Christy Nguyen gave a presentation regarding the data collected at the Lunch with Student Senate and Executive Board event on February 16, 2017.

**V.03 Campus Safety and Student Wellness Task Force Update**

Leanna Gutierrez gave a presentation regarding the Campus Safety and Student Wellness Task Force.

**V.04 2016-2017 Student Senate and Executive Board Goals**

A discussion took place regarding the Student Senate and Executive Board goals.

**V.05 Communication Committee**

Jessica Riestra gave a presentation regarding the publicity of the upcoming Student Senate Elections for 2017-2018.

*Without objection, the meeting was extended by 5 minutes.*

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**VII. General SGOCC Reports**

**VII.01 Advisors' Report (Limited to 2 minutes per report)**

**VII.02 Board, Officer, and Staff Reports (Limited to 2 minute per person)**

**VIII. Adjournment: 11:09 a.m.**