

UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO STUDENT SENATE

47th Session

8:15 p.m. November 29th, 2011

Room 2592, Student Union

- **Call to order**
- **Roll Call**

Ademuweyo P
Ellis P
Engle P
Filzer Excused
Hicho P
Jencen P
Joseph P
Khuder P
Kinney P
Kramp Excused
Kuemerle P
Lassalle A
Meisner A
Momenee P
Notestine P
Rigsby P
Saine P
Samson P
Sinha P
Smith P
Stricklin P
Subei P
Taylor P
Thapa P
Wery P

- **Approval of Minutes**
 - Motion to approve minutes (Samson, Taylor)
- **Pledge of Allegiance**
- **Open floor**
 - Motion to add a resolution to new business (Samson, Kinney)
 - Motion to bring late resolution to tonight (Saine, Samson)
 - Motion to bring redbox legislation up tonight as well (Wery, Jencen)
 - Senator Momenee is trying to take pictures of everyone in SG so stay after the meeting
- **Safety Concerns**
- **Guest Speaker**
 - Dr. Ben Pryor will be with us next week instead of this week
- **Appointments**
 - Jimmy Momenee nominated for SSIPS Chair position- was already in the

committee and has legislation ideas for next semester

- Senator Momenie approved as new SSIPS Chair
- Four new at-large senators up for approval today
 - Motion to approve by acclamation (Jencen, Stricklin)
 - New at-large senators approved by acclamation (Caico, Zimmerman, Teall, Tiamiyu)

- **University and Intergovernmental Reports**

- Executive Branch
 - Book and Access Code Resolution and Online Class Resolution were passed along to Faculty Senate as well as Dr. Kaye Patten Wallace
 - Security cameras in the union and ablution sink on the 3rd floor were also communicated to Jeff Witt and Dr. Kaye Patten Wallace
 - Matt talked with the LLS council about advisory board for LLS- students have the opportunity to sit on the committee
 - Elections are coming up fast- Aaron Dau will be brought next week for approval as E-Board Director
 - University Senate issue is coming up soon- check out senate.osu.edu to see how a university senate works- try to take an active role in deciding whether university senate would work at UT
- Student Judicial Council (SJC)
 - Several conduct hearings were held recently- if you have any senate grievances come to SJC
- Advisor
- Student Trustee
- Faculty Representative
- Chair
 - If you have any suggestions for another SG advisor let Heather or Matt know
- Vice Chair
 - Attendance has been very poor this semester- when we don't meet quorum, having a meeting is basically pointless
 - On the third absence, senators at-large are removed from the senate roster
 - Elected senators are put on probation after their third absence and are in danger of being impeached
 - Bring in canned goods to wipe absences off your record
 - Motion to open up discussion about election board (Hicho, Taylor)
 - SJC was proposed to be the new e-board due to inconsistencies in previous election boards; also, it was intended to give SJC more responsibility in SG

- **Committee Reports**

- Academic Affairs
 - Legislation up tonight for vote
- Administrative Affairs
 - Working on two pieces of legislation- will probably be ready next week
- Finance

- Housing and Residence Life
- Student Services, Information, and Public Safety (SSIPS)
 - Legislation up tonight for vote
 - Come see Jimmy if you are a new senator and want to be on the SSIPS committee
- Ad-Hoc Committee
 - Only had one person show up to the meeting on Monday so join if you are interested in helping makeover the SG office
 - A lot of stuff will be done over winter break to improve the office
 - If you are going to be in Toledo during the winter break, come help out!
- **College Caucuses**
- **Old Business**
 - No old business
- **New Business**
 - Amendment to specify that only undergraduate students will be allowed in Cabinet (needs 3 readings)
 - Amendment would take effect next year
 - Amendment would help to differentiate between GSA and SG
 - Motion to table (Kinney, Taylor)
 - Amendment to specify that only undergraduate students will be allowed in Senate (needs 3 readings)
 - Amendment would take effect next year
 - Tabled
 - Bill to make SGFL a 4-week program
 - Will help to recruit new senators straight from SGFL and will help to structure SGFL more
 - Meetings will be held each week with the last meeting being an observation meeting of Senate
 - Tabled for next reading
 - Resolution to extend library hours on weekend before finals
 - Resolution approved by acclamation
 - Resolution saying that SG fully supports UT's smoking ban
 - Approved by acclamation
 - Resolution to fix lights by the library (between union and the library)
 - Approved by acclamation
 - Resolution to make students aware of how the General Fees are spent (e.g. by logo)
 - Approved by acclamation
 - Resolution supporting the installation of a Red Box in the Student Union
 - Approved by acclamation
 - Legislation to establish Lights on the Mall Event
 - Motion to make emergency legislation- legislation approved

- Legislation to establish ad-hoc committee to improve the SG website
- Motion to postpone indefinitely- approved

- **Announcements**
- **Final Roll**

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- **Adjournment**