



6300 Ocean Drive, University Center 218M
Corpus Christi, Texas 78412-5783
O: 361-825-5745 F: 361-825-5201
SGA.President@tamucc.edu
SGA.VP@tamucc.edu
<https://sga.tamucc.edu>

TAMUCC SGA Senate Meetings 7/6/18

- I. Call to Order 9:04 am**
- II. Roll Call** Damian Olvera, Garrett Ransom, Clayton Swift, Kirk Jorgensen, Connor Allen, Brittney Held, Sarina Garcia, Dung Pham, Phebe Leach, Sarah Elharoun, Jacquelyn Lara, Friederike Davis, Cassandra Scheick
- III. Islander Pledge**
- IV. Guest Introductions**
 - i. Phoebe Leech
 - Phoebe Leech is employed at the TAMUCC library.
 - Phoebe was recently appointed to Library Senator
 - ii. Dung Pham
 - Dung Pham is the senator for international students.
 - He is currently obtaining his master's in accounting.
- V. President's Report**
 - i. Treasurer appointment
 - Mr. Bustos has been interviewed by President Allen for the position of Treasurer. Mr. Bustos is knowledgeable in budgeting in previous SGA sessions. This position does not require senate approval.
 - Mr. Bustos would like to look closely at how the university is spending its money along with the Student Government Association's budget.
 - ii. Library Senator appointment
 - Phebe Leach
 - Plans to work with the staff and students to better communicate organizations and improve relations between the staff and who they are serving.
 - iii. Midterm Act
 - Kevin Hollihan returned procedures with corrections.
 - Major change was changing from ten days for the grade to be posted for the midterm act to five business days before the established drop date. This change occurred because Hollihan does not believe that it gave the faculty enough time to adequately submit grades.
 - The next step would be that the Student Government Association will need to forward this to faculty senate and other groups, until it reaches the presidential cabinet.
 - iv. President Quintanilla meeting
 - Discussed Islander Launch, specifically that Passport to the Island should be mandatory for students attending orientation.
 - It was discussed that she would like to implement students participating in organizations via the First Year Seminar.
 - Possible Open Forum to get people more interested in career services that are available through TAMUCC.
 - v. University committees
 - Distance education committee position is not filled.
 - Dr. Perez asks that one graduate and one undergraduate student is needed to fill this position.
- VI. Vice President's Report**
 - i. Student Affairs committee chair appointment
 - Moving forward with appointment of Anthony Ortiz.
 - Associate Justice, member of First Year Council, political science sophomore.

SERVE • GUIDE • ACT



6300 Ocean Drive, University Center 218M
Corpus Christi, Texas 78412-5783
O: 361-825-5745 F: 361-825-5201
SGA.President@tamucc.edu
SGA.VP@tamucc.edu
<https://sga.tamucc.edu>

- Voting will take place later today, July 6th, 2018.
- ii. Islander Launch and Passport to the Island
 - College of Liberal Arts on Monday, July 9th.
 - College of Business and College of Education and Human Development on Friday, July 13th.
- iii. Fall Elections
 - Applications are open for the Fall SGA elections.
- iv. FYC applicants
 - 5 people have applied so far for the First Year Council through I-Engage.
- v. Office Hours update Summer II
 - Document will be released Monday, July 9th with updated information.
- VII. **Treasurer's Report**
 - i. Waves of Welcome Bags
 - Waves of Welcome Bags
 - Packets of Wrigley's gum was purchased to hand to students during Passport to the Island.
 - President Allen asked for volunteers to place stickers with the SGA logo on the gum.
 - ii. Summer budget
- VIII. **Chief Justice's Report**
 - i. June 27th meeting with President Allan
 - ii. Parking Appeals
 - 2 approved, 3 denied, and one reduced
- IX. **First-Year Council Director**
 - i. FYC Retreat
 - Volunteers will be needed for the Fall First Year Council Retreat. Ask specifically for previous members of first year council.
 - ii. Drafting committees
- X. **Senator Reports**
- XI. **Committee Reports**
 - i. Public Relations
 - Julie Shuttlesworth meeting
 - June 10th, meeting with Julie Shuttlesworth meeting
 - Discussion about community involvement.
 - Fall and Spring meetings
 - Islander Launch
 - Senator Jorgensen would like to include more community involvement on social media platforms. Senator Jorgensen will be posting winners of the parking pass giveaways on social media to help promote this.
 - Representatives of SGA will be giving away ice cream scoops and frisbees at Islander Launch.
 - ii. Spirit and Traditions
 - Bluesday Tuesday
 - 1,000 tshirts are the current estimate to be created for promotion of Bluesday Tuesday.

SERVE • GUIDE • ACT



6300 Ocean Drive, University Center 218M
Corpus Christi, Texas 78412-5783
O: 361-825-5745 F: 361-825-5201
SGA.President@tamucc.edu
SGA.VP@tamucc.edu
<https://sga.tamucc.edu>

- The company "Hole in the Roof" is being used to design t-shirts for Bluesday Tuesday and Mia's Sports and More appears to be the cheapest option to order the shirts from.
- Senator Garcia met with Quinton Peyton.
- Athletics could match Bluesday Tuesday t-shirts to include blue crew.
- 600 members of blue crew is the goal.
- During Waves of Welcome, there will be a tailgate at the women's soccer game on August 31st.
- T-shirts
 - Dr. Perez asked what the distribution plans were for the t-shirts.
 - Senator Garcia responded that it will be used for prizes and will look more into how it will be used throughout the year.
 - Senator Jorgensen suggested that around 20 shirts should be kept for social media prizes.
- Athletics meeting
- Women's soccer tailgate

XII. Old Business

XIII. New Business

XIV. Advisor's Report

- i. Texas A&M System Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs SGA meet and greet July 12th
 - July 12th at 1-2:00pm.
 - Discuss attending with Dr. Perez.
 - Wants to meet with students to understand the perspective of students within the A&M system.
- ii. Athletic Director Search Committee
 - Justin Bustos will be the student sitting on committee.
 - July 10th
 - Parker and Executive search firm is being used to find applicants.
 - Input will need to be given to what students want to see in an athletic director.

XV. Open Forum

- i. Volunteers are needed to place labels on gum.

XVI. Announcements

- i. Islander Launch for College of Liberal Arts on Monday, July 9th.
- ii. Islander Launch for College of Business and College of Education and Human Development on Friday, July 13th.

XVII. Final Roll Call Damian Olvera, Garrett Ransom, Clayton Swift, Kirk Jorgensen, Connor Allen, Brittney Held, Sarina Garcia, Dung Pham, Phebe Leach, Sarah Elharoun, Jacquelyn Lara, Friederike Davis, Cassandra Scheick

XVIII. Adjournment 9:45

SERVE • GUIDE • ACT