

Committee on Academics and Student Affairs

Senate of the Associated Students 88th Session

Minutes for Tuesday, December 1, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

Zoom Meeting: email Steffany Yang at SenatorYang@asun.unr.edu for more information

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Senator Yang called the Committee on Academics and Student Affairs to order on Tuesday, December 1, 2020 at 9:00 am. Presiding Secretary, Yesenia Pelayo.

2. ROLL CALL

Senators Yang, Abrams, Ahmed, Casildo Rios, Chantiyanon, Harvey, Kidd, and Stoddard were present.

Senator McElhoes was absent unexcused.

A quorum was present.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment at this time.

4. MINUTES

a. There were no minutes to be approved at this time

5. OLD BUSINESS

a. Senator Updates

a. **Senator Abrams** – Residence Hall Association, Nevada Career Studios

Senator Abrams said Nevada Career Studio was still doing CHS specific professional days.

b. **Senator Ahmed** – NSURJ, Faculty Senate

Senator Ahmed has a meeting with Faculty Senate to discuss the academic integrity course.

c. **Senator Casildo-Rios** – AVP Student Life Services, Academic Advising & Tutoring Centers

Senator Casildo Rios said he had to reschedule his meeting with AVP Nash, and it will be their last meeting of the semester.

d. **Senator Chantiyanon** – Office of Admissions and Records, University Libraries

Senator Chantiyanon said Senator Harvey introduced her to her contacts from UNR Libraries.



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e. **Senator Harvey** – NSURJ, University Libraries

Senator Harvey said she introduced her contacts from the UNR Libraries to Senator Chantyanon and also discussed the open educational resources proposal.

f. **Senator Kidd** – Office of Admissions and Records, VP of Student Services

Senator Kidd said the grade replacement policy passed in Faculty Senate. She will have a meeting to discuss the details.

Senator Yang asked if Senator Kidd knew if there was a timeframe to retake the classes.

Senator Kidd said as of now, there is no timeline.

Senator Yang asked if students could remove the S/U and get their original grade back.

Senator Kidd said she would ask. It was her understanding that you can't go back once you submit.

g. **Senator McElhoes** - AVP Student Life Services, Academic Advising & Tutoring Centers

There was no report to be heard.

h. **Senator Stoddard** – Faculty Senate, Office of the Provost, Nevada Career Studios

Senator Stoddard said the Career Studio would continue operations throughout the rest of the semester.

i. **Senator Yang** – VP of Student Services, Residence Hall Association

Senator Yang said their last meeting will be next week.

Senator McElhoes entered the zoom at 9:14 am.

b. Legislation Tracker Update

There were no updates at this time.

6. NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business to discuss at this time.

7. PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment at this time.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Senator Yang adjourned the meeting at 9:16 am.