

Date: 9/22/17

Time: 9:00-10:00pm

Location: Tivoli 329, Senate Chambers

ATTENDEES

Community College of Denver

- Ola Alsaadi, SACAB—*present*
- Jesus Robledo, SACAB—*present*
- Kathryn Mahoney, Ex-Officio—*present*

Metropolitan State University of Denver

- Emily Straka, SACAB—*present*
- Bela Puigvert, SACAB—*present*
- Angela LeValley, Ex-Officio—*present*

University of Colorado Denver

- Mayra Gallegos-Lopez, SACAB—*present*
- Frida Silva, SACAB —*excused*
- Joe Halter, Ex-Officio—*present*

Auraria Higher Education Center

- Ariel Redell, Advisor—*present*
- Jared Rollheiser, Secretary—*present*

Others Present: Josh Gardner (MSU, Student Body President), Meloni Crawford (CCD, Dean of Students), Chris Herr (SCP, Officer) Rob Byers (AHEC, Director of Campus Programs)

AGENDA

- Approval of Agenda and Minutes 9.15.17
Minutes approved unanimously

- Guest Speakers: Josh Gardner, MSU President

Josh was present to talk about his goals for MSU this year. They can be summed up in three points: communication, community, collaboration. Communication: he wants to bridge the gap between student government and students at large, finding new ways to get new information. Collaboration focuses on cooperation between SGAs. In the past, there have been some petty squabbles between SGAs, and while upper admin does also compete, there needs to be collaboration between these groups to achieve the same goals. He hopes the three institutions can work together more this year and in the future. Josh also told the group that he is interested

in breathing new life into the Student Government Coalition, which has fallen out of focus for some time now, many schools no longer taking part in it. SGC used to have schools involved from across Colorado and it was a respected group on a government level. The ultimate objective is to incorporate schools and seek change on a statewide level.

Bela asked Josh about an event they are hosting in October (20 to 22) called Campus Con. Campuscon.org is the website for more information, this is for SGA's coming from institutions across the country. The times for this event are still unknown. MSU Denver will provide updates as they know more.

New Business

a. Voting on SCP Proposal

The conference for Sustainability for Higher Education will be taking place in San Antonio, Texas. Five people from SCP hope to attend the conference. It will be a great opportunity to learn about sustainability practices which can be applied to the Auraria campus. Bela asked about where the funding comes from for these proposals. Ariel responded that it comes from a five-dollar student fee that each student pays, per semester. This is where SCP gets their budget for all projects. Emily requested that the full amount that SCP approved be approved by SACAB as well (even though they might not spend that much). SCP has some new members and she wanted to give them the opportunity to go on this trip if they would like to.

A presentation will be given when SCP returns from the conference to talk about what they learned. **Bela called for a motion to approve the SCP proposal. Emily moved and Ola seconded. The motion passed unanimously.**

b. Voting New SACAB Logo

Though Frida wasn't present, everyone disliked the new triangle logo. The circle logo was still the most liked, especially with the new font, which appears much less corporate and more approachable.

Bela called for a motion to approve the second circle logo as the new SACAB logo. Ola moved and Mayra seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

c. DACA Tri Resolution

Bela asked Josh if there was any news from MSU regarding approving the resolution. He said that MSU had already passed a resolution and they could obtain a copy.

MSU has already passed a resolution and CCD plans to, but CU Denver has not created anything yet and is unsure when and if they will release a DACA resolution. The SACAB group decided they will work on putting something together to look at next week. Emily volunteered to draft the resolution.

d. AHHA Update

The second meeting took place on Monday and the third will take place next Monday at 12 – everyone is encouraged to attend. The group decided to only have this event last two days, so that both days are full of programming. It will be Wednesday and Thursday, Wednesday being the resource day, along with a panel discussion in the Garage Lounge, and Thursday, they plan to have homeless students come and tell their stories, a meal for everyone to share, and Gobbler Basket pick up. For food, the group is thinking to do pizza on Wednesday and having a thanksgiving type dinner for Thursday. Quotes from the catering are in and will be discussed next Monday. BJ from MSU Denver is helping by creating a registry form online, so they can tell which resources will be attending.

Position Announcements

o SGA:

MSU: Last week MSU attended the food bank for the Rockies event so updates are limited. It was approved that they would donate funds to the DACA event last week.

CCD: They didn't meet either, but they were contacted by the library for feedback over a data policy project. They are sending a representative to speak to the library staff and will update SACAB accordingly.

CU Denver: No major updates.

o ABOD: An open ABOD meeting will be held next Wednesday at 7:30am. They too will be discussing DACA. Ariel encouraged the group to attend.

o PODSOC: No update. They meet on 9/28/2017

o FSAC: No update from Mayra. However, Angela told the group that they are bringing in Blackjack on Tuesday, so if anyone has comments for them, please send them to Mayra.

o SCP: They are still getting into the swing of things, and almost have a full committee. They are working on proposals.

o Campus Update – Ariel Redell/Rob Byers: Ariel will move forward with the printing of the new smoking maps now that the new SACAB logo is finished.

Frida and Bela should now both have access to the SACAB Facebook page, so if anyone wants to post anything, it needs to be handled through them. SACAB has no Instagram account, but they could easily make one if wanted.

#8 photo will be used on the SACAB website.

A gender-neutral bathroom location was identified. However, AHEC does not have the funding to do this project currently. The location that was decided upon was on the second floor, right outside the Turnhalle, where the other restrooms are currently. This would be a single stall, gender neutral and family restroom. If this is something that SACAB is passionate about, they could start brainstorming funding ideas and initiatives.

Ariel will be out of the office from 9/28-10/10 and will miss two meetings. Rob will be present to answer any questions the group might have.

Additional lockers have arrived and are being installed in Sigi's Hub. There have been no issues with no missing or broken equipment thus far.

Public Comment

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 9:47am