



Student Union Assembly

Monthly Report

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Under My duties as Vice President of Internal Affairs of the Student Union Assembly and Article III Section A Subsection 2(j) of the SUA Constitution, I present my December 2016 monthly report and evaluation to the Assembly. I will outline all of my events, logistical planning, activities and constructive criticism with areas of improvement in hopes of providing a detailed account in the month's report.

Completed and ongoing projects, campaigns, events, tasks, or activities for the month:

- SCOC Progress

o SCOC has finalized all of its dates for sister college events and everyone seems to have an idea in mind they would like to execute for the event! o We received multiple requests for new committees, one being the LRDP Planning Committee, which we will begin advertising for soon. I was asked to serve on the LRDP Executive committee as well. o I assigned task items to all of the exec board to do over break, including updating the contacts we have for committees (some of which are wrong), and continuing retreat planning. We have set a tentative date for Winter C4, 3/3/17. I found replacements for officer's present on CPB and CEP. Replacing Ray on CPB (due to his resignation) will be Tias, and replacing Tias on CEP (scheduling conflict) will be Tamra.

-Becoming SUA Interim President

o After Ray's resignation, both EVP Judith and I declined the roll of President. However, I am now the interim President. I began setting up plans and logistics for the search, more details about my role as president can be found in the December officer report under the presidency office.

- Work with Title IX

o Ray and I met with a Title IX Staff member a few months ago, who followed up to re-schedule a presentation / meeting to give to the assembly. We also received flyers which we will distribute through the assembly and hold in the office.

- Progress towards a mental health fair

o My interns and I are quite disturbed by the survey results I received from IR regarding the mental state of students on our campus. We've decided we would like to do a mental health fair of sort, including educational and stigma reducing games. We reached out to UCSC's chapter of Active Minds to see if they would be interested in collaborating, which seems likely at this point.

- Meeting with EVC

o Three of the officers and the SUA Advisor met with Alison as well as incoming interim EVC Herbie Lee. This was soon after our meet the admin event, where we had already discussed our progress, so it was interesting to hear her share the work her office is doing and the needs they see of students.

- Meeting with Dean of Students

o The officers and Parliamentarian met with Lucy to discuss best practices for advertising, interviewing, and selecting the next SUA President.

- Follow up on Committee Feedback form

o My intern, Davon, shared an email with those who did not complete the committee feedback form for this quarter (on academic senate and administrative committees). I also shared the feedback we were given to some committee staff members, especially to those who had students express concerning experiences.

Areas for Improvement

- Because it was winter break, there aren't many issues that have arose. In summary, I provide this monthly report for December 2016. For comments and or questions, free to contact me via email suavpi@ucsc.edu, or visit my office hours.
