



Student Union Assembly

Monthly Report

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Under my duties as Vice President of Internal Affairs and Article III Section A Subsection 5(j) of the SUA Constitution, I present my March 2017 monthly report and evaluation to the Assembly. I will outline all my events, logistical planning, activities and constructive criticism with areas of improvement in hopes of providing a detailed account in the month's report.

Goal tracking: (I have removed things from this list that had been previously marked as completed for brevity)

5. Mental health fair and awareness campaign (Planned: May 20)
7. Consider different edits and potential additions or restructures to SUA assembly space to increase productivity (Ongoing, until end of year)
8. Work in collaboration with VPAA to ask students about impact of shortened class times (Planned: April/May)
9. Fill all SCOC committees remaining (Planned: ongoing, and by end of year)
10. Sister college events (4/5 completed so far)
12. Exploring potential implementation of mental health training in frosh core courses (started; ongoing)

- **Winter C4 (3/3)**

- This quarter's C4 was very successful, we received catering from Taqueria Santa Cruz and had a good turnout. A lot of time in SCOC meetings and with the exec board went into planning this event.

- **Meeting with Martin Berger and Kim Lau (3/6)**

- I met with the heads of the Beyond Compliance team to provide feedback from students regarding the recent settlement, including providing my opinion on best practices for how the campus should respond. We discussed the upcoming town hall and healing space and I was charged to find an undergraduate student to speak at the beyond compliance town hall event.

- **Planning for and hosting of RCC/ Oakes Sister College Event (3/1-3/11)**
 - RCC and Oakes Colleges hosted an incredibly successful sister college event to advertise SCOC, with an over 100 attendance turnout. It was carnival 2 | Page themed with multiple inflatable games, food, music, etc.
- **Food for Finals (3/15)**
 - I offered to help Jessica, the VPAA, plan and execute her first food for finals event. We split the budget and decided to put more money into it than years prior to provide more food for students, given this is a highly successful event. I helped give out food and testing supplies for one day of this 20day event outside S&E Library, and my outreach coordinator was also able to help work the event with Jessica's office. It was very successful and we were able to engage many students into conversation about SUA.
- **Meeting with Jaye Padgett (3/21)**
 - Jessica and I met with Jaye Padgett, interim Vice Provost for Student Success, to discuss the goals of the student success division and propose a student subcommittee that would act as an advisory committee to the division. He seemed open to the idea and we plan to look into other UCs, who have similar divisions, to see how they solicit student input and whether they have an advisory committee made of students.
- **Mental Health fair planning (all month)**
 - My interns and I finalized the budget, events, food, location, volunteers, etc. for the mental health fair to take place in May. We actually decided to invite many groups to table, including: Active Minds, BMC, CAPS (peers), SUA and SCOC, NAMI, The Women's Center, the Monarch Center, and CARE.

Areas for improvement:

- This was not an incredibly busy month since the quarter was winding down and much of it was finals and Spring break. However, I am satisfied with the work I was able to do.
- The Cowell/ Stevenson sister college event has been postponed until Spring quarter, which is far from ideal.