



Student Union Assembly (SUA)

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Student Union Assembly,

Under Article III, Section A.11 of the SUA Constitution requires that representatives submit a report each month that details the issues, events, and programs that happened that month at their college or organization, and evaluates SUA and provides constructive criticism.

Activities, issues, and programs for the months of December 2014 & January 2015

Black Lives Matter Demonstration/Action - December 9, 2014

ABSA and many students around campus joined a demonstration which represented the causes of racism and how black bodies a result of racial profiling. Many students of color held up signs with names of victims of police shootings. There was also an action/rally in the quarry and many students of color and allies blocked off the entrances, representing a public demonstration and resistance to police brutality.

The Big Break - December 14, 2014

This event was dedicated to students looking for a relief during finals week. The event included fun activities, stress relievers, and refreshments for students looking for a break from studying.

Oakes Town Hall - January 20, 2015

Event ideas included more dances at Oakes, both in the form of formals and Latin dances. Another idea was to host an Oakes carnival. Project-based ideas included more wifi at Oakes, water botter re-fillers in the dorms or filters on the sinks, and a foosball table in the Guzman Room and a balls/ball check-out system for the table.

Suggestions for Improvement

- Too many side conversations
- Sleeping during meetings/presentations

I provide this summary as my detailed report for the months of December 2014 and January 2015. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,
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Historian, Student Union Assembly