

Las Positas College Student Government - Minutes

January 16, 2020

4:30 PM

Room 1726
3000 Campus Hill Drive
Livermore, CA 94551

I. CALL TO ORDER (1 min)

President B. Nkrumah calls meeting to order at 4:31 p.m.

Calls for a 10 minute recess

President B. Nkrumah calls meeting to order at 4:41 p.m.

II. ROLL CALL

Officers

A.	Blessing Nkrumah	-	President	<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
B.	Alina Verzi	-	Vice President	<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
C.	Sahna Das	-	Director of Legislation	<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
D.	Rodrigo Saucedo	-	Director of Communication	<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
E.	Shahaf Dan	-	Director of Events	<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
F.	Vacant	-	ICC Chair	<i>P</i>	

Advanced Senators

A.	Michelle Diaz-Nava	-	Director of Programs and Services	<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
B.	Lord Ferrer	-	Marketing Director	<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
C.	Kerouac Diamond	-	Director of Public Relations	<i>NP</i>	<i>NP</i>
D.	Max Gikharev	-	Director of Finance	<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
E.	xxxxxxx	-	Parliamentarian		

Senators

A.	Aria Pourghassemi		<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
B.	Andrea Cruz		<i>UA</i>	<i>UA</i>
C.	Ariana Colmenares		<i>UA</i>	<i>UA</i>
D.	N’Namdi Nassor		<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
E.	Elizabeth Verzi		<i>UA</i>	<i>UA</i>
F.	Frank Polanco		<i>P</i>	<i>P</i>
G.	Nasrin Hussain		<i>UA</i>	<i>UA</i>
H.	Amar Bains		<i>UA</i>	<i>UA</i>
I.	Shagun Srivastava		<i>UA</i>	<i>UA</i>

Advisors

A.	William Garcia	-	<i>Vice President - Student Services</i>	-	<i>P</i>
	<i>NP</i>				
B.	Josue Hernandez	-	<i>Program Coordinator - Student Life & Leadership</i>	-	<i>P</i>
	<i>P</i>				

Student Trustee

III. QUORUM (1 min)

Quorum is established with 12 members out of 19 members and 2 advisors

IV. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA (1 min)

Motion: *To approve this agenda (S. Das / N. Nassor); approved by consensus*

V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion: *To approve last week's minutes (A. Pourghassemi / S. Das); approved by consensus*

VI. GUEST SPEAKERS**VII. PUBLIC COMMENT (3 minutes per person)** *Students and members of the public are encouraged to speak on any topic during public comment. Each individual is limited to three minutes. If students or members of the public wish to address an item on the agenda during the meeting or ask questions during the meeting, they need to be recognized by the Chairperson by both raising their hand and speaking out their name. Their comment is limited to one minute. (CA Education Code 72121.5 and Government Code 54954.3)*

VP Garcia

- *Welcomes senate back*
- *Reminds senate that last day to add/drop classes are in two weeks*

VIII. SPECIAL ORDERS

Community Agreements Blessing Nkrumah	<p>LPCSG will review the LPCSG Community Agreements.</p> <p>https://mail.google.com/mail/u/2?ui=2&ik=45cd221a3c&attid=0.1&permmsgid=msg-f:1651776123298900181&th=16ec49a1f5b3e8d5&view=att&disp=inline&realattid=f_k3nuulru0</p> <p><i>B. Nkrumah reads over LPCSG community agreements</i></p>
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IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

LPCSG Retreat Alina Verzi	<p>LPCSG will discuss the schedule and the date for the retreat.</p> <p><i>Retreat scheduled for 2 days from Friday-Saturday on January 24-25th</i></p> <p><i>The times are planned for 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.</i></p>
Internal Election Procedures Overview Sahnha Das	<p>S. Das will review the Internal Election Procedures for the upcoming LPCSG Internal Election for the vacant ICC Chair position.</p> <p><i>Position is open for all LPC students</i></p> <p><i>Same eligibility is required like the rest of the LPCSG officers</i></p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Nasrin Hussain</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Amar Bains</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Shagun Srivastava</i> <i>not present</i> <p><i>Motion passes with 8 ayes</i></p>
<p>March in March Sahna Das and Jakob Massie</p>	<p>LPCSG will discuss and potentially vote to approve a budget and number of attendees for the March in March.</p> <p><i>March in March is an advocacy event led by SSCCC</i></p> <p><i>Will be located at the capital on Thursday March 19th at 11:00 a.m.</i></p> <p><i>Only fees that would be required are for travel</i></p> <p><u>Motion:</u> <i>To approve up to \$1500 for March in March (S. Das / F. Polanco)</i></p> <p><i>Roll call</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Alina Verzi</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Sahna Das</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Rodrigo Saucedo</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Shahaf Dan</i> <i>nay</i> ● <i>Michelle Diaz-Nava</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Lord Ferrer</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Kerouac Diamond</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Max Gikharev</i> <i>nay</i> ● <i>Aria Pourghassemi</i> <i>nay</i> ● <i>Andrea Cruz</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Ariana Colmenares</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>N’Namdi Nassor</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Elizabeth Verzi</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Frank Polanco</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Nasrin Hussain</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Amar Bains</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Shagun Srivastava</i> <i>not present</i> <p><i>Motion passes with 7 ayes</i></p>
<p>Gender Neutral Bathroom Resolution Sahna Das and Jakob Massie</p>	<p>LPCSG will discuss and potentially vote to approve a resolution to be submitted for the SSCCC Spring 2020 General Assembly.</p> <p><i>Added “Student Senate for community colleges” at RESOLVED and placed parentheses around (SCCC)</i></p> <p><u>Motion:</u> <i>To sponsor S. Das’s resolution (A. Pourghassemi / M. Diaz-Nava); no objections are heard</i></p>

<p>Round Table Alina Verzi</p>	<p>LPCSG will discuss and potentially vote on a budget for the round tables as well as the delegation involved.</p> <p><u>Motion:</u> <i>To approve up to \$1500 for roundtables (A. Verzi / S. Dan)</i></p> <p><i>Roll call</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Alina Verzi</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Sahna Das</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Rodrigo Saucedo</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Shahaf Dan</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Interim ICC Chair</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Michelle Diaz-Nava</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Lord Ferrer</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Kerouac Diamond</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Max Gikharev</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Aria Pourghassemi</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Andrea Cruz</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Ariana Colmenares</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>N’Namdi Nassor</i> <i>nay</i> ● <i>Elizabeth Verzi</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Frank Polanco</i> <i>aye</i> ● <i>Nasrin Hussain</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Amar Bains</i> <i>not present</i> ● <i>Shagun Srivastava</i> <i>not present</i> <p><i>Motion passes with 10 ayes</i></p> <p><i>F. Polanco volunteers to collect food for round tables</i></p>
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XII. OFFICER REPORTS

Officers

- A. Blessing Nkrumah *President* (3 min)
Introduces a business casual drive idea
- B. Alina Verzi *Vice President* (3 min)
Thanks and welcomes back senate
Emphasizes on recruiting new senators
Seeking a new member for retreat taskforce
- C. Sahna Das *Director of Legislation* (3 min)
CBRC meeting
Elections committee seeking for new members
- D. Rodrigo Saucedo *Director of Communications* (3 min)
Welcomes back senate
Will take on Student Life Improvement Task Force
- E. Shahaf Dan *Director of Events* (3 min)
Recruit members for senate during office hours
Club rush is planned for January 30th
Meet and Greet event for the new president to be scheduled for mid February
- F. Vacant *ICC Chair* (3 min)
Tomorrow is ICC Meeting at 10:30 a.m.

