

## *Las Positas College Student Government - Senate Meeting Minutes*

4 April 2019

4:30 PM

Room 1058  
3000 Campus Hill Drive  
Livermore, CA 94551

### I. CALL TO ORDER (1 min)

*President L. Schmedel calls this meeting to order at 4:30PM*

### II. ROLL CALL

#### Officers

<b>A.</b> Lylah Schmedel	- <i>President</i>	<i>P</i>
<b>B.</b> Hariel Colcol	- <i>Vice President</i>	<i>P</i>
<b>C.</b> Alejandro Buenrostro	- <i>Director of Communications</i>	<i>P</i>
<b>D.</b> Jakob Massie	- <i>Director of Legislation</i>	<i>P, PP (7:07PM-7:12PM)</i>
<b>E.</b> Kirstie Burgess	- <i>Director of Events</i>	<i>EA</i>
<b>F.</b> Angela Vasquez	- <i>ICC Chair</i>	<i>P, PP (5:48PM-6:00PM)</i>
<b>G.</b> Garrett Culbertson	- <i>Student Trustee</i>	<i>P</i>

#### Advanced Senators

<b>H.</b> Rodrigo Saucedo	- <i>Parliamentarian</i>	<i>P, PP (6:01PM-6:05PM)</i>
<b>I.</b> Garrett Culbertson	- <i>Director of Finance</i>	<i>P</i>
<b>J.</b> Gursimran Singh	- <i>Marketing Director</i>	<i>EA</i>
<b>K.</b> Alisha Shaik	- <i>Director of Public Relations</i>	<i>UT, Entered at 4:36PM,</i>
<i>PP (6:01PM-6:10PM)</i>		
<b>L.</b> Mariana Zuniga	- <i>Director of Programs &amp; Services</i>	<i>P, PP (6:31PM-6:34PM)</i>

#### Senators

<b>M.</b> Ariana Colmenares		<i>P, PP (7:18PM)</i>
<b>N.</b> Kori Conlon		<i>UT, Entered at 4:34PM,</i>
<i>PP (7:44PM-7:49PM)</i>		
<b>O.</b> Shahaf Dan		<i>P</i>
<b>P.</b> Sahna Das		<i>P, PP (7:13PM)</i>
<b>Q.</b> Michelle Diaz-Nava		<i>P, PP (6:16PM-6:22PM)</i>
<b>R.</b> Treasure Domingo		<i>P, PP (6:07PM-6:10PM)</i>
<b>S.</b> Julia Gomez		<i>P</i>
<b>T.</b> Gezelyn Heredia		<i>P</i>
<b>U.</b> Breanna Hibbard		<i>P, PP (5:59PM-6:10PM),</i>
<i>PP (7:36PM-7:39PM)</i>		
<b>V.</b> Navjot Kaur		<i>P</i>
<b>W.</b> Harnek Khinda		<i>P</i>
<b>X.</b> Yesenia Medina		<i>P</i>
<b>Y.</b> Blessing Nkrumah		<i>P</i>
<b>Z.</b> Kyle Perez		<i>P, PP (5:41-5:43), PP</i>
<i>(6:46PM-6:48PM)</i>		
<b>AA.</b> Vanesa Pineda		<i>P, PP (6:48PM-6:52PM)</i>
<b>BB.</b> Aria Pourghassemi		<i>P, PP (6:31PM)</i>
<b>CC.</b> D'Artagnan Reed		<i>UT, Entered at 4:34PM,</i>
<i>(5:48PM-5:52PM)</i>		

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<b>DD.</b> Shayari Saha		P
<b>EE.</b> Victor Sandoval		P, PP (6:13PM)
<b>FF.</b> Kaylin Trinh		P, PP (6:35PM)
<b>GG.</b> Maritza Ventura		P, PP (5:54PM-6:03PM),
	PP (6:46PM)	
<b>HH.</b> Alina Verzi		P, PP (7:36PM-7:39PM)
<b>II.</b> Caitlin Yee		P, PP (6:34PM)
<b>JJ.</b> Krystina Zuluaga		P, PP (6:26PM-6:29PM)

Advisors

<b>KK.</b> William Garcia	Vice President - Student Services	-
<b>LL.</b> Nessa Julian	Director - Student Equity and Success	P

**III. QUORUM (1 min)**

*Quorum is established with 29 members and 1 advisor.*

**IV. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA (1 min)**

**Motion:** *To approve the current agenda with the amendment of: moving senator appointment/removal in front of unfinished business; ( M. Zuniga / S. Das ); approved by consensus*

**V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES [March 21, 2019](#)**

**Motion:** *To postpone the approval of the minutes from the March 21st LPCSG meeting; ( H. Colcol / S. Das ); approved by consensus*

**VI. GUEST SPEAKERS**

*Timothy Cech: solicits sponsorship for the LPC anthology, Hakiv, from LPCSG as well as thanks the senate for their previous sponsorship*

**PUBLIC COMMENT (1 minute per person)** *Students and members of the public are encouraged to speak on any topic during public comment. Each individual is limited to one minute. 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)*

**VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

<p><b>Committee Recognition</b> Haniel Colcol</p>	<p>H. Colcol will recommend the appointments of various members to governance and internal committees.</p> <p><b><u>Motion:</u></b> <i>To appoint the following individuals to their respective governance committees; ( H. Colcol / S. Das ); approved by consensus</i></p>	<p>5 mins</p>
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	<p><i>Aria Pourghassemi to the Institutional Planning and Effectiveness Committee</i>  <i>Ariana Colmenares to the Curriculum Committee</i></p> <p><b><i>Motion:</i></b> <i>To appoint the following individuals to their respective internal committees; ( H. Colcol / J. Massie ); approved by consensus</i></p> <p><i>Aria Pourghassemi to the CBRC</i>  <i>Rodrigo Saucedo to the CBRC</i>  <i>Ariana Colmenares to the Equality and Safety Committee</i></p>	
<p><b>Upcoming Events</b>  Kirstie Burgess</p>	<p>K. Burgess will discuss and review upcoming events hosted through LPCSG.</p> <p><b><i>Motion:</i></b> <i>To postpone t-shirts, upcoming event, CBRC review ( H. Colcol / C. Yee ); approved by consensus</i>  <b><i>Motion:</i></b> <i>To postpone Alisha's agenda items; ( A. Shaik / A. Verzi ); approved by consensus</i></p>	5 mins
<p><b>LPCSG Shirts</b>  Lylah Schmedel  Kori Conlon</p>	<p>L. Schmedel and K. Conlon will present potential LPCSG t-shirt designs.</p> <p><b><i>Motion:</i></b> <i>To postpone t-shirts, upcoming event, CBRC review ( H. Colcol / C. Yee ); approved by consensus</i></p>	5 mins
<p><b>Intercultural Fair</b>  Alisha Shaik, Shahaf Dan, Yesenia Medina, Rodrigo Saucedo</p>	<p>A. Shaik, S. Dan, Y. Medina, and R. Saucedo will discuss the possibility of initiating an intercultural fair at LPC.</p> <p><i>Members of senate involved with the Intercultural fair speak to the execution of such an event for LPC</i></p>	5 mins
<p><b>LPCSG Bylaws and Constitution</b>  Jake Massie</p>	<p>J. Massie will review possible amendments to the LPCSG Bylaws and Constitution regarding the Student Trustee and the possible integration of members at large.</p> <p><a href="#">LPCSG Bylaws Spring'19 Draft</a></p> <p><b><i>Motion:</i></b> <i>To approve the members at large article (7) in the LPCSG bylaws with the amendment of: changing gendered pronouns (he/she) to "they" ; (J. Massie / S. Das ); approved by consensus</i></p> <p><b><i>Motion:</i></b> <i>To amend "election" to "elections" in section 8 of the LPCSG; (J. Massie / S. Dan ); approved by consensus</i></p>	10 mins
<p><b>SSCCC</b>  Jake Massie</p>	<p>J. Massie will review and discuss the Region IV SSSCC Resolutions in preparation for the SSSCC Spring 2019 General Assembly</p> <p><a href="#">SSCCC Spring 19 Resolutions</a></p> <p><i>J. Massie reviews resolutions proposed</i></p>	15 mins

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## VIII. NEW BUSINESS

<b>Internal Panel</b> Lylah Schmedel	<p>L. Schmedel will discuss the internal panel for the candidates in our LPCSG Elections.</p> <p><b>Motion:</b> To extend time by 5 minutes; ( R. Saucedo / A. Verzi ); approved by consensus</p>	10 mins
<b>ICC Constitution</b> Angela Vasquez	<p>A. Vasquez will introduce prospective amendments for the ICC Constitution.</p> <p><i>A. Vasquez conducts the first reading of the updated ICC constitution</i></p>	10 mins
<b>Interfaith Prayer and Meditation Room</b> Alejandro Buenrostro	<p>A. Buenrostro will review the procedures and policies involved with the temporary LPCSG Interfaith Prayer and Meditation Room.</p> <p><b>Motion:</b> Approve the Interfaith Prayer and Meditation Room Guidelines; (H. Colcol / T. Domingo); Approve by consensus</p>	10 mins
<b>Volunteer Opportunities</b> Alejandro Buenrostro	<p>A. Buenrostro will introduce multiple volunteer opportunities for community service and group bonding.</p> <p><b>Motion:</b> To postpone the volunteer opportunity agenda item ( A. Buenrostro / A. Verzi ); approved by consensus</p>	10 mins
<b>Commencement</b> Lylah Schmedel	<p>L. Schmedel will discuss possible action to take in regards to LPCSG hosting or supporting Commencement.</p> <p><a href="#">Commencement Volunteering</a></p> <p><i>L. Schmedel shares with LPCSG opportunities to take part in the LPC commencement</i></p>	5 mins
<b>2019 - 2020 Budget Draft</b> Garrett Culbertson	<p>G. Culbertson will review the 2019 - 2020 LPCSG budget draft.</p> <p><i>G, Culbertson conducts analysis on the proposed budget for the next academic school year with LPCSG</i></p>	10 mins
<b>Textbook Loaner Program</b> Mariana Zuniga	<p>M. Zuniga will discuss possible direction to take regarding the funding of the textbook loaner program as well as the disposal/ donation of the obsolete textbooks.</p> <p><i>M. Zuniga discusses directives on the textbook loaner program with senate</i></p>	10 mins
<b>LPC Anthology Sponsorship</b> Garrett Culbertson	<p>G. Culbertson will discuss possible sponsoring for LPC Anthology.</p> <p><b>Motion:</b> To approve \$1000 from the program support budget to sponsor a diamond hawk sponsorship in the LPC Anthology; ( G. Culbertson / A. Verzi)</p> <p><i>Roll call</i></p>	5 mins

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	<p>Lylah Schmedel - Aye  Hariel Colcol - Aye  Alejandro Buenrostro - Aye  Kirstie Burgess - Not present  Angela Vasquez - Aye  Jakob Massie - Aye  Kyle Perez - Aye  Yesenia Medina - Aye  Maritza Ventura - Not present  Caitlin Yee - Not present  Victor Sandoval - Not present  Alisha Shaik - Aye  Krystina Zuluaga - Aye  Mariana Zuniga - Aye  Garrett Culbertson - Aye  Gursimran Singh - Not present  Sahna Das - Not present  Julia Gomez - Aye  Breanna Hibbard - Aye  Kori Conlon - Aye  Rodrigo Saucedo - Aye  Alina Verzi - Aye  Vanesa Pineda - Aye  Kaylin Trinh - Not present  Shahaf Dan - Aye  Michelle Diaz - Aye  D'Artagnan Reed - Aye  Treasure Domingo - Aye  Navi Kaur - Aye  Shayari Saha - Aye  Blessing Nkrumah - Aye  Gezelyn Heredia - Aye  Harnek Khinda - Aye  Aria Pourghassemi - Not present  Ariana Colmenares - Not present  Motion passes unanimously</p>	
<p><b>Constitution and Bylaws Review</b>  Rodrigo Saucedo</p>	<p>R. Saucedo will review the LPCSG Constitution and Bylaws.</p> <p><b><u>Motion:</u></b> To postpone t-shirts, upcoming event, CBRC review ( H. Colcol / C. Yee ); approved by consensus</p>	10 mins
<p><b>Senator Appointments/ Removal</b>  Lylah Schmedel  Hariel Colcol</p>	<p>L. Schmedel and H. Colcol will discuss a senator probation of attendance.</p> <p><a href="#">Probation Resolution</a>  <a href="#">Attendance Reprimand - Yesenia 2</a></p> <p><b><u>Motion:</u></b> To approve 2 minutes to Y. Medina to take the floor and elaborate on her case of failure of attendance; ( G. Culbertson / H. Colcol ); approved by consensus  <b><u>Motion:</u></b> To extend time by 3 minutes; ( S. Dan / A. Verzi ); approved by consensus</p>	15 mins

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	<p><b><u>Motion:</u></b> To extend time by 10 minutes; ( H. Colcol / J. Massie ); approved by consensus</p> <p><b><u>Motion:</u></b> To move onto a pro/con basis; ( H. Colcol / T. Domingo ); approved by consensus</p> <p><b><u>Motion:</u></b> To move to previous question; ( J. Massie / A. Verzi ); approved by consensus</p> <p><b><u>Motion:</u></b> To vote on the impeachment of Yesenia Medina; ( T. Domingo / A. Verzi );</p> <p>Roll call</p> <p>Lylah Schmedel - Aye Haniel Colcol - Aye Alejandro Buenrostro - Aye Kirstie Burgess - Not present Angela Vasquez - Aye Jakob Massie - Aye Kyle Perez - Nay Yesenia Medina - Nay Maritza Ventura - Nay Caitlin Yee - Aye Victor Sandoval - Aye Alisha Shaik - Aye Krystina Zuluaga - Aye Mariana Zuniga - Aye Garrett Culbertson - Nay Gursimran Singh - Not present Sahna Das - Aye Julia Gomez - Aye Breanna Hibbard - Aye Kori Conlon - Aye Rodrigo Saucedo - Nay Alina Verzi - Aye Vanessa Pineda - Aye Kaylin Trinh - Aye Shahaf Dan - Aye Michelle Diaz - Aye D'Artagnan Reed - Nay Treasure Domingo - Abstain Navi Kaur - Nay Shayari Saha - Nay Blessing Nkrumah - Aye Gezelyn Heredia - Nay Harnek Khinda - Aye Aria Pourghassemi - Aye Ariana Colmenares - Aye</p> <p><b><u>Motion fails</u></b></p>	
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## IX. OFFICER REPORTS

### Officers

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- A. Lylah Schmedel - *President* (open)  
*Sent out email for elections and commencement volunteers*  
*Wishes candidates a great elections season*
- B. Hariel Colcol - *Vice President* (3 min)  
*Will start work on annual report for LPCSG*  
*Round table next week will have a check in and workshop cycle*
- C. Alejandro Buenrostro - *Director of Communications* (3 min)  
*Queer Prom on May 3rd*  
*Interfaith prayer and Meditation guidelines and flyer to go up soon*
- D. Jakob Massie - *Director of Legislation* (3 min)  
*Attended Region 4 SSCCC meeting*  
*LPC will host the next region meeting April 19th*
- E. Kirstie Burgess - *Director of Events* (3 min)
- F. Angela Vasquez - *ICC Chair* (3 min)  
*Continuing work on constitution and bylaws*
- G. Garrett Culbertson - *Student Trustee* (open)  
*Air quality resolution on the Trustee meeting agenda*

#### Advanced Senators

- H. Rodrigo Saucedo - *Parliamentarian* (3 min)
- I. Garrett Culbertson - *Director of Finance* (3 min)
- J. Gursimran Singh - *Marketing Director* (3 min)
- K. Alisha Shaik - *Director of Public Relations* (3 min)  
*Reaching out to help plan in the prospective intercultural fair*
- L. Mariana Zuniga - *Director of Programs & Services* (3 min)  
*Program and services will meet next week*

#### Senators

- M. Various (3 min)
- N. Shared Governance Committee (3 min)  
*Julia Gomez - Technology Committee - on canvas teacher will be able to merge class sections*  
*Rodrigo Saucedo - Distance Education Committee - Proctorio workshops to be held, propose a wellness page accessible to students 24/7, raised retention rates*
- O. Internal Committees (3 min)  
*Hariel Colcol - Internal Affairs Committee - Will be disbanded*  
*Alejandro Buenrostro - Equality and Safety Committee - reviewed flyers and guidelines for Interfaith Prayer and Meditation space*

#### Advisors

- P. William Garcia - *Vice President of Student Services* (open)
- Q. Nessa Julian - *Director - Student Equity and Success* (open)  
*Wants to start implementing annual reports on goals and outcomes*  
*Updates on lactation rooms*  
*Student life office configuration will be revised at a cheaper price*  
*2 presentations will be given at the board of trustee meetings*

### X. ANNOUNCEMENTS (3 mins)

### XI. ADJOURNMENT (1 min)

*President L. Schmedel adjourns this meeting at 8:09PM*

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