HOUSTON STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION Minutes as Recorded

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By: Sterling Dodd, Sergeant At-Arms UC North Senate Chamber, 7:30 PM Wednesday September 3rd, 2014

Clause 1: Call to Order by the presiding officer

I. Opening call of the roll

Called to order 1938, Roll attached below

- Clause 2: Recital of the Alma Mater
- Clause 3: Reading and approval of previous meeting's minutes
 - No Changes

Clause 4: Special Reports

- I. University Representatives wishing to address the senate
- II. Students wishing to address the Senate

III. Two-minute speeches by the Members of the Senate

- SN Adams: No Student Life committee meeting this Thursday
- SN Chowdhury: Triangle Frat game this, wants to see all SNs there
- SN Ramirez: UH at minute maid spirited night
- SN Lotomski: Wendy Davis event thanks and club registration.
- SN Bailey: Frontier Fiesta registration now available ww.uh.edu/fiesta
- SN Kirchhoff: Arranged Dr Epling thermo teacher to speak at event
- SN Kadiwala: College of Architecture opens, continuing club organization, freshman integration

Clause 5: Executive and Speaker Reports

- I. Report of the President 7000 students move into the dorm; 10000 students at game; next game on Friday; creation stations printer went down(stolen); Nathan Alsbrooks high talks for graduate senator at large
- II. Report of the Vice President
- III. Report of the Chief of Staff Lots of desire for involvement.
- IV. Report of the Director of Finance
- V. Report of the Director of Public Affairs
- VI. Report of the Director of External Affairs

Coogs vote campaign, large scope within student body and administration, phone banking for hire, pledge cards, reaching out to residential housing, student sign pledge card raffle, unified committee for voting outreach, MVP for health and Wellness weak, deputation next Tuesday.

- VII. Report of the Attorney General
- VIII. Report of the Speaker

Thanks to those who have come out to the events, measurable impact for bills and legislation, clauses must have impact, spirit of bill must be clearly defined, when you vote its 1600 people you're voting for, charged with representation, committee meetings meet regularly, ask for placement.

Clause 6: Committee Reports

- I. Reports of the Standing Committees
 - a. Academic Affairs

Very first bill to come from committee in two years, advising reform, meet Tuesdays at 730pm, starts next week.

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- b. University Administration & Finance Meetings every other Tuesday at 530pm
- c. Internal Affairs Focused on participation with committee at this time, scheduling a convenient time soon.
 d. Student Life
- II. Reports of the Select Committees

Clause 7: Unfinished Business

- I. SGAB-51003 *Election Reform and Transparency Act* (Pending Committee Review) No motions made.
- II. UB-51003 *Democracy Wall* (Pending Committee Review) Legislation rescinded from docket.
- III. SGAB-51004 Advising Reform and Graduation Success Act 18 minute moderated discussion. Called to Question Measure passes
- IV. SGAR-51003 Support of Tier One Initiatives 10 minutes moderated discussion Called to Question Measure Passes

Clause 8: New Business

- I. Presidential Appointment of **Nathan Alsbrooks** for <u>Graduate At-Large Senator</u> Nathan Alsbrooks confirmed as Graduate At-Large Senator
- II. Vice Presidential Appointment of **Hugo Salinas** to <u>Faculty Senate Undergraduate Council</u> Hugo Salinas confirmed to committee.
- III. Vice Presidential Appointment of **Clint Kirchhoff** to <u>Faculty Senate Undergraduate Council</u> Clint Kirchhoff confirmed to committee.

Clause 9: Closing Remarks

- I. Comments and announcements of the officers
- II. Open Forum
- III. Closing call of the roll

Clause 10: Adjournment

Adjourned 2106

Present List-All(SGA Conference 2014: 9/3/2014)

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Team

3 Chelsea Moses 4 Alan Garza	Undergraduate At-Large
	Undergraduate At-Large
5 Hugo Salinas	Undergraduate At-Large
6 Varun Sreenivas	Graduate At-Large
7 Issam Kadiwala	College of Architecture
8 Sunil Motwani	College of Business
9 John Fields	College of Business
11 Pooja Magadi	College of Business
13 Clint Kirchhoff	College of Engineering
14 Nelson Raymond	College of Engineering
15 Canyon Sanford	The Honors College
17 Sarah Aimad	Liberal Arts & Social Sciences
18 Stephanie Bailey	Liberal Arts & Social Sciences
19 Will Fischer	Liberal Arts & Social Sciences
20 Matthew Ramirez	Liberal Arts & Social Sciences
21 James Lee	Liberal Arts & Social Sciences
22 Tatiana Lutomski	Liberal Arts & Social Sciences
24 Clement Agho-Otoghile	Liberal Arts & Social Sciences
25 Louis Adam	Natural Sciences & Maths
27 Ahren Esquenazi	Natural Sciences & Maths
28 Trent Fuller	Natural Sciences & Maths
29 Max Ballands	College of Technology
31 Brianna Mills	College of Technology
32 Lauren Nicole Tolat	College of Pharmacy
Tanzeem Chowdhury	College of Engineering
, Nathan Alsbrooks	Graduate At-Large
Sebastian Agudelo	Undergraduate At-Large
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