## Global Gaucho Commission MinutesASsquare_logo.tif

## Associated Students

DATE: April 13, 2021

LOCATION: via Zoom Minutes/Actions recorded by: Sicheng Wang

**CALL TO ORDER:** 19:07 by Hanrui Feng, co-chair

**A. MEETING BUSINESS**

1. **Roll Call**

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| **Name** | **Note:** | **Name** | **Note:** |
| Hanrui Feng | Present | Zoe Fung | Present |
| Feiyang He | Excused Absence | Rebecca Ji | Excused Absence |
| Wenjing Li | Present | Harry Liu | Present |
| Yiming Pang | Present | Hongyou Wang | Present |
| Sicheng Wang | Present | Elizabeth Nicole Morgan | Excused Absence |
| Cecilia Zhang | Excused Tardy | Zuowei Zhang | Excused Absence |
| Ruoxin Wang | Excused Absence |  |  |

1. **Acceptance of Excused Absences**

***MOTION/SECOND****: Wenjing Li / Yiming Pang*

***Motion Language:*** *Motion to bundle and accept all excused absences*

***ACTION****: Vote: 7-0 to APPROVE.*

1. **Acceptance of Proxies**

**B. PUBLIC FORUM**

1. **EXTERNAL REPORTS**
2. **Advisor’s Report**
   1. Reminder that the Strategic Plan worksheet and survey is due on April 16 by 5pm
      1. Links [survey](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ASEntitiesLongerTermPlanning) and [google sheet](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/173E0ZyLJE4SAK2_cmw8n7O24G59H-P4xZyOEUTXZNA4/edit?usp=sharing).
   2. The Associated Students 2021 Awards nominations request details were provided today via email and on the Slack General channel. The nomination form can be found here: [**https://forms.gle/PK1WsQRfvYUZxvmr6**](https://forms.gle/PK1WsQRfvYUZxvmr6)**.** Awards descriptions/details and nomination tips can be found here: [**AS Awards Resources**](http://www.as.ucsb.edu/resources/awards/)**.** Please submit your nominations as soon as possible and before the deadline of April 30th.
3. **Executive Officer’s Report(s)**
   1. chair election：each candidate will have 5-10minutes to present. Then, candidates leave the meeting, people discuss for about 5-10 minutes. Then, vote. Then, candidates join the zoom again and we announce the result.
   2. member recruitment: will do this with the new chairs
   3. send out the covid grant application today.
4. **Group Project/Member Report(s)**
5. **ACCEPTANCE of AGENDA/CHANGES to AGENDA**

***MOTION/SECOND****: PeterFeng / Robin Pang*

***Motion Language:*** *Motion to accept the agenda*

***ACTION****: Vote: 9:0 to CONSENT/OBJECT*

1. **CONSENT ITEMS**
2. **Approval of our Action Summary/Minutes from:**
3. **ACTION ITEMS**

**F-1. Old Business:**

**F-2 New Business**

1. **DISCUSSION ITEMS**
2. **Discussion Topic**

Chair Election

Harry Liu:

2-year member,

Participated in several activities, including

culinary competition,

International student leadership conference

Participated in UC-wide international students conference

Problem noted

International student orgs lack communications among them; GGC will foster communication;

Agenda:

quarterly update to campus community through email

Campus-wide survey on current issues, for example coronavirus and anti-Asian sediments

Ensure at least one event per quarter

Build a personal, appealing image for accounts

Zoe Fung

Qualifications:

Personal qualities:

Passionate for works: building an inclusive and caring environment for international students; Driven; Eager;

Motivated when join the commission; produced graphics in several occasions including BLM, Responding anti-Asian sediments,

Agenda:

Strengthen outreach: Expand social media presence; making resources accessible

Quarterly international students townhall;

Increase involvements with other AS entities and student orgs, hence foster a sense of belonging

Robin Pang:

Qualifications:

Represented UCSB in UC-wide international students conference;

Coordinated with other campuses to host activities for students who are currently remote (go local program);

Co-hosted UCSB international students’ parents

Agenda:

Host livestream events to promote communication

To work closely with OISS, targeting specific questions such as immigration/ visa/ other documents/

Continue to work with other UCs

The next year: issues and ideas

1. **REMARKS**
2. **ADJOURNMENT**

***MOTION/SECOND****: First/Second*

***Motion Language:***

***ACTION****: Vote: XX:XX to CONSENT/OBJECT*