

Executive Director Report

Delivered to ASUCSB Senate by
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Personnel Announcements

1. I've been interviewing finalists CFF this week, and will be done with that this Friday. I'll have an update on that next Senate meeting.
2. New Position- Campus Support Advisor- for the TSA, Global Gauchos and AS Public and Mental Health Commission

Under the direction of the Assistant Director for Governmental Affairs (LaDonte King), the AS Campus Support Advisor (CSA) provides advice to AS UCSB students in three areas: transfer policies, policies related to international students, and public and mental health issues. The CSA advises the AS Transfer Student Alliance, the AS Global Gauchos Committee and the AS Public and Mental Health Commission.

The Campus Support Advisor (CSA) maintains knowledge of policies and needs for transfer students, international students and issues related to student public and mental health.

In the area of transfer: articulation agreements and transfer requirements and regulations and collaborates relevant UCSB departments involved with transfer students and transfer student issues.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

Education: A Master's degree in any discipline is desirable; and a BA is required.

Experience: At least two years in academic, transfer advising is required. Knowledge of UCSB academic policies, procedures, and practices is required. Teaching experience is preferred.

Skills: Effective oral and written communication skills are required. Effective interpersonal skills required in order to work with a diverse population. Organizational and management skills are required. A working knowledge of various computer applications (word processing, database, spreadsheet, web design and maintenance) is required.

Issues-Ongoing

1. Regarding Elections, and Reaffirmation Process in Particular.

Response to Richard Michaelson:

Richard,

In response to your query, I am writing to confirm that the Associated Students' Constitution does indeed reflect regental policy specifically the majority-vote approval requirement per [section 84.13 of PACAOS](#).

This can be specifically found in the language in Article V, Section 3. Existing Fees.

https://www.as.ucsb.edu/files/dlm_uploads/2017/09/17-18LEGAL-CODE.pdf

Additionally, departments that had lock-ins up for reaffirmation during this current cycle received a letter alerting them to the fact that 50% +1 is the new standard; all of the AS fee reaffirmations during this cycle exceeded the 50% + 1 threshold.

Finally, while ASUCSB does indeed meet the expected compliance, I do want to share that student's campaign to modify their own constitution sought to protect the standard by which prior lock-ins were voted for. However, when one reads and interprets the AS constitution, it, in fact, does not state that intention.

Marisela

We received the following yesterday:

Dear (names omitted) ,

Please see the email below on our annual call to the campuses on the campus-based fee approval cycle. I have not received confirmation that the cbf-related regulations for reaffirmations voted on through the Associated Students (AS) election process have been updated to be fully compliant with the PACAOS policy, specifically the majority-vote approval requirement per [section 84.13 of PACAOS](#). For reaffirmations approved through the AS election process for the Spring 2018 election cycle, please handle it like any request for a new or an increase to a campus-based fee, that is, please include the reaffirmation request as part of the Chancellor letter and complete the supporting documentation (see attachment). Please note that the President makes effective campus-based fee renewals and the continued incompliance may factor negatively in her decision for reaffirmations approved through the AS election process.

Please let me know if you require an extension and if you have any questions.

Cheers, Richard

2. Regarding AS' Non Profit Status: Recognized by the State of CA

Regarding	: Tax-Exempt Status
Organization's Name	: UNIV. CENTER/ASSOC. STUDENTS OF UNIVERSITY OF CA, SANTA BARBARA
CCN	: 9790830
Purpose	: Educational
R&TC Section	: 23701d
Form of Organization	: Unincorporated Association
Accounting Period Ending	: 06/30
Tax-Exempt Status Effective	: 06/30/1960

Exempt Determination Letter

We have determined the organization is tax-exempt from California franchise or income tax as stated in the above Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) section.

3. IDEAS, Undocumented Students and AS:

I'm ready to implement the resolution directing me to address demands on behalf of this student population. In particular, we are supporting their use of the AS Annex kitchen by repairing it and making it usable, and one of our staff attorneys working in the LRC – Ron Perry—is potentially going to begin to offer dedicated time to serve this student population as an Independent Contractor. AS is being asked to pay for their time.