



Associated Students of Santa Monica College

Inter-Club Council

Regular Meeting Minutes

May 5, 2022, 4pm

Zoom Link: <https://cccconfer.zoom.us/j/94178012174>



I. Call to Order 4:02 PM

II. Roll Call

ICC Officers

- P-ICC Chair: Catalina Fuentes
- P- ICC Vice Chair: Olivia Taha
- P- ICC Communications Officer: Marbi-An Tejas

ICC Advisors

- P- Counselor/ICC: Benny Blaydes
- P- Counselor/PT Advisor: Dennis Funes
- P- Associate Dean of Student Life: Thomas Bui

Installed clubs

- P- Acting Club at SMC
- P- Astronomy Club at SMC
- P- Amnesty International
- AB - Alpha Gamma Sigma Honor Society
- P- Adelante Club
- AB- Black Collegians
- P- Computer Science Club at SMC
- P- DiverseAbility at SMC
- P- English Club
- AB- Enlightened Childhood Educators
- P- Eco- Action Club at SMC
- AB- Econ Club
- P- Film Club at Santa Monica College
- AB- Fitness for a Change
- P- Girl's Power Association at SMC
- P- Gender Sexuality Alliance (GSA)
- AB- Geography Club at SMC
- P- I.D.E.A.S. at SMC
- P - Indonesian Student Association
- P- International Student Forum
- AB- Korean Student Association
- AB- Muslim Student Association
- AB- Music Club
- AB- Middle Eastern Club
- P- National Society of Collegiate Scholars
- AB- NOMAS at SMC
- AB- Opera Club at SMC
- P- Pre-Law Society
- P - Period @ Santa Monica College
- P- Pre Health Association (PHA)
- P- Respiratory Care Practitioner Club at SMC
- AB- Robotics Club
- P- Rotaract Club at Santa Monica College
- P- Scriptwriting at SMC
- P- Student Veterans of America
- AB- Writers Club at SMC
- AB- WiSTEM
- P- Women in Tech at SMC

III. Public Comments

- Eco-Action: Marjahnee is introducing the new President of Eco-Action, Elijah.
- Marjahnee also provided information about the Chase discussion, how some students had questions, but he cannot provide information as it would violate the Brown Act.
- Motioned to move onto 4.1 Installation of clubs by Adelante Club, seconded by Astronomy Club.
- Motion to remove Red Cross Club and add Ceramics Club on section 4.1 Installation of Clubs by Student Veterans of America seconded by Film Club.



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IV. Consent Action Items

4.1 Installation of Clubs

- a) Clubs Ready to be Installed with 33% funding:
 - AB – Chinese Student and Scholars Association
 - AB- Student Nurses Association
 - P- Ceramics Club
 - Motion to install Ceramics Club as a charter club with 33% funding by Astronomy Club seconded by Scriptwriting Club.
 - Without objection Ceramics Club is now a charter club with 33% funding
- b) Clubs Pending Installation (clubs will be installed with 33% funding, if missing paperwork completed by date of ICC Meeting):
 - College Leap at SMC
 - History Club
 - AB- Business Club
 - Pending clubs were not installed

V. Minutes

5.1 Approval of Minutes from 04/21/2022

- Motion to approve the minutes from 04/21/2022 by DiverseAbility at SMC, seconded by International Student Forum.
- Without objections the minutes from 04/21/2022 have been approved.

5.2 Agenda: Motion to remove Action item 6.2 and Discussion item 7.2 from the agenda by Adelante Club, seconded by Astronomy Club

VI. Action Items

6.1 ICC Officer Nomination

- Looking for new ICC Officers for the upcoming semesters.
 - ICC Delegate: Antoine Aoude is running for ICC Chair.
 - ICC Delegate: Katherine Nilsen is running for ICC Vice Chair
 - ICC Delegate: Aika Taguchi is running for ICC Communications Officer

6.2 Vote to Condemn Canary Mission

- Item 6.2 was removed from the agenda, see item 5.2

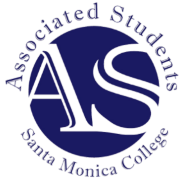
VII. Discussion Items

7.1 Dropping Chase (10 Minutes)

- JP Morgan Chase is SMC's Bank.
- Upon researching JP Morgan is the biggest contributor to fossil fuels
- They are one of many that are responsible for our Earth's destructions.
- An Alternative bank would be Bank of the West.

7.2 Presentation on Canary Mission (10 Minutes)

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7.3 ICC Club Row Feedback (5 Minutes)

- Many students gave their opinions on the ICC Club Row Event.
- Katherine from Scriptwriting Club suggested we need to have better ways of promoting this event to gather more students.
- Marjahnee from Eco-Action commented that there was not enough time to go through all the clubs. He suggests that we make different time slots for each club so there's a better chance to learn about the other clubs at SMC.
- Bestie from Film Club suggested we should make this event hybrid (on ground and virtually held)

7.4 Proctorio Feedback (10 Minutes)

- A presentation about proctorio was given by Bradley Lane.
- Informed the students about the expiring contract between SMC and proctorio wanted to gather the students feedback whether to renew the license or not.
- Motion to add 10 minutes to 7.4 Proctorio Feedback and shorten 7.5 Making a Proposal Tutorial to 5 minutes by DiverseAbility at SMC, seconded by Astronomy Club.
- Many students commented and questioned the alternatives to Proctorio.

7.5 Making a Proposal Tutorial (15 Minutes)

- Proposal deadline is on May 11th at 4PM to those who want to use their clubs funding.
- Go to smc.edu/as, click on A.S. documents, and you will find all the files needed.

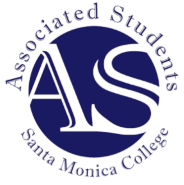
7.6 ICC Social (10 Mintues)

- More information will be posted soon.
- This event will be held virtually.

VIII. Reports

8.1 ICC Officers

- ICC Chair
 - Thanking all the clubs for attending
 - Peer Navigator is hiring, application is open until May 27th
- ICC Vice Chair
 - Club Row was an amazing experience
- ICC Communications Officer
 - Club Row is was nice. My favorite part was when Thomas share his recipe for Nam Khao crispy rice salad.



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8.2 Advisor Reports

- Benny Blaydes
 - Bodega is on Wednesdays from 11AM-3PM, please follow COVID protocols.
 - CARES is offering money to students who are in need.
- Dennis Funes
 - Be sure to check your portals as transfer decisions are arriving!
 - If you are having difficulties with transferring please contact Benny or Dennis to help you out!
- Thomas Bui
 - Open House is Saturday, May 14th!
 - PRIDE week is happening soon, please look at your clubs emails to see how to sign up.

8.3 A.S. Director reports

- A.S. Director of Equity and Diversity, Julissa Hernandez Romero
 - Announcing an event based on Mental Health.
 - A therapist from Black Collegians will be present
 - A.S. merchandise will be given

8.4 Club Announcements (limit of 1 min)

- International Student Forum
 - Hosting 2 more on campus events first one is Trivia Night and the other is a Tie Dye Event
- Scriptwriting
 - Club writing challenge is still on going. Look for more students to participate.

IX. Adjournment

- Motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:28PM by Film Club, seconded by I.D.E.A.S.