05:34 PM Meeting Called to Order

05:35 PM Motion To Call Meeting To Order
- Motion made by Rep. Yvonne Rodriguez
- Seconded by Rep. Mitchel Faulkner

05:36 PM Motion to Pass Last Meeting’s Minutes
- Motion made by Rep. Cristal Gutierrez
- Seconded by Rep. Rachel Dang
- Motion passed

05:36 PM Registration and Graduation

*Sloan White, Associate Registrar*

- Registration for the summer started this Saturday and web registration is open up until the Friday before classes start.
- Registration for fall 2017 will start May 1st up until the Friday before classes start.
- Make sure you have no holds that prevents registration.
- Graduation application is open now for fall 2017 and for academic year 2017-18 for medical and dental students up until June 16th. Once graduation application closes there’s a late paperwork and late fee.
- A notification email is sent for anyone with expected graduation.
- Pre-request your transcript to hold for degree hosting so you can receive them the week following the actual degree conferral.
- Graduate school has different graduation dates within super semesters August, December, February, May and June of each year.
- Question from Rep. Maria slater I am expected to graduate in December and did not receive an email.
- Response from Ms. White: let me make a note of that. I will check with your associate registrar. But it did open April first.
- Application for graduation is done online on student portal, so anyone who’s expected to graduate should be able to see this option.
- Comment from Rep. Elizabeth Hassan: I received the wrong email saying I’m graduating in December while I am graduating in may.
- Response from Ms. White: Have you emailed us back?
- Comment from Rep. Elizabeth Hassan: No because the date on the student portal is correct.
- Response from Ms. White: I will check on that.

5:44 PM Alumni Relations and Life After Graduation

*Chantel C. Maldonado Senior Alumni and Student Relations*

- Our Goal is to connect with you all now before you graduate so that you know more about us than asking for donations.
- We are starting a student legacy circle – 5 delegates from each school – and currently have 43 delegates from all schools.
• The delegates will help build the program because you will know more about what you want from us and we are looking for feedback.
• What we want from SGA is feedback on what do you want from the alumni association department and how can we be of help. What can we do so you can remember us when you leave here.
• We are planning to Host small budget events like ice cream socials, handing out coffee and bagels during exams ..etc. What would be the best times to do these events?
• We are also starting new programs, sending out Birthday greetings where you get discounts.. etc.
• The graduate school will be featured in our Alumni and student spotlight next may.
• We are also starting a graduating student campaign next year. We will ask for small donations and in return you get small thank you gifts.
• The alumni are also curious what the current students are doing and our office wants to feature students from all schools.
• Question from Secretary Nourhan Abdelfattah: Is there a webpage that features our alumni?
• Response from Ms. Maldonado: We are currently working on an alumni website. It is still in the works and needs to be updated.
• With the spotlights, we are doing monthly features of our alumni and we are starting 30 minutes mentoring sessions with the alumni.
• Question from Secretary Nourhan Abdelfattah: How are you keeping in contact with the students after they graduate when they will stop using their university emails.
• Response from Ms. Maldonado: When you graduate, you have to fill a form with new contact information and email. There is also an online community where you update your information which is a little dated.
• We have to report the alumni information. We currently have 37,000 alumni out of these only 31,000 accurate information. We are graded on the accuracy of this information so please update your information.
• We will have our second annual alumni mixer may 22nd – we will hear about it through email.

5:55 Lancer Feedback

Chef Hallam was unable to make it.

• Feedback from Rep. Mitchel Faulkner (School of Medicine)
  o There isn’t a good variety .. esp. vegetarians . ethnic food rotating into the mix.
  o UHS cafeteria is close and cheaper with pretty good options, so why would we go the ALTC and the sandwich shop when UHS has better options?
• Feedback from Rep. Penny Wong (School of Dentistry)
  o The replacement to Subway Herbert and Gerbert is a worse/more expensive option and it’s a name they don’t know/
• Feedback from Rep. Jaylon fane (School of Nursing)
  o We want to know if it is possible for them to open earlier (at least 6:00 am) because a lot of classes start at 7:00 am and we don’t get to have breakfast and later.
  o Also if it is possible to close later (at 7:00 or 8:00 pm) so that we have a dinner option .. Latosha Kelley
• Feedback from Rep. Destiny Chavez-Levey (School of Nursing)
  o Can we have little pods like the ones at UTSA? It’s super efficient and need one person to operate. It also provide access to medicine, pens and coffee. Nursing
Students have nowhere to eat that is close to classes and the ALTC is on the other side of campus.

- Question from Rep. Laura Grota (School of nursing)
  - I heard they might do something with the Texas Star café area
  - Rep. Penny Wong: What’s being done with that area?
  - Response from rep. Yvonne Rodriguez: There’s a sign that says UT police

- Suggestion from rep. Cody Smith: Regarding availability. Later than closing times now that the library is going to be open 24 hours, we could get some higher end vending machines.

- Question from rep. LaTosha Kelley: Are they closed all weekend? We have to go all the way to the hospital to get something to eat.
  - Yes.
  - Rep. LaTosha Kelley: can they open during the weekend then?

**6:03 Medical Service Fee Referendum**

*Chris Lam*

- We want to have high voter turnout … we have already wrote the emails so we need the reps to send these emails out
- He is going to email it the morning of and they need us to copy and paste and send new emails out
- Voting booths outside of the starbucks are … doodle poll and sign up to volunteer … opens before 8 am
- Receiving a unique link to you. It will be Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday.

**6:06 Exec Updates**

- We are ordering new polos with the new logo. Please make sure your size is updated on the google doc.
- We will have our spring retreat at the end of the month and a google poll with possible dates and venues will be emailed to you soon.
- Our community service event Grandparents Raising Grandchildren event is this weekend, so please plan to attend.
  - Comment from rep. Elizabeth Hassan: its from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm at location. There will be booths from each school to show kids what each career is like. We also have a nutritionist/dietician, and a CPR demo. Please volunteer.
  - Question from rep. Jiye moon: when should we come?
  - Answer from rep. Elizabeth Hassan: around 9:00 am.
  - Question from Rep. LaTosha Kelley: What’s the dress code?
  - Answer from rep. Elizabeth Hassan: if you have your polo, wear it. If you want to wear scrubs, please do.
  - Question from rep. Mitchel Faulkner: Is it an inside event?
  - Answer from rep. Elizabeth Hassan: Yes, because we need access to electricity.
  - Comment from rep. Shirley Nah: Please do not wear University Hospital scrubs, It’s against policy.

- On Monday, April 10, 2017, the Accelerated ABSN Class of 2017, Student Government Association and the School of Nursing Student Success Center are coordinating a campus wide effort to make 100+ knot blankets. More details are posted on Facebook.
• Science Fiesta is this Sunday from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm. It’s an event at the Witte museum by the graduate school to raise awareness.
  o Comment from rep. Elizabeth Hassan: Please distribute the flyer to the students there will be food trucks and interesting things.
• SGA president Evan Lucas: We have been talking about hosting a UT health Olympics. It will be a very large scale event. We would have to have widespread participation from you guys and your schools. The event will be at the end of Fall 2017 or beginning of Spring 2018.
  o Question from rep. Cody Smith: is it academically oriented?
  o Reply from President Evan Lucas: No, It’s sports competitions.
• Suggestion from rep. Collin Dowling: We should team up with Allied Health Games because they have experience with this.
  o Suggestion from rep. Destiny Chavez-Levey: We can start with small events during burger burn and then expand according to turnout and feedback.
  o Comment from rep. Mitchel Faulkner: We can have competitions at the field during burger burn or chili cookoff.
  o Suggestion from rep. Laura: we can host this at the end of a semester so it would be more of a reward because burger burn happens during classes.
  o Comment from treasurer Alexander Oderhowho: We also would like you to survey what would people be interested in competing in.
• Treasurer Alexander Oderhowho: is there any ideas of things we can do to engage the entire school? We would like some feedback
  o Jordan Kampschmidt: The healing garden we hosted last year had good feedback. A couple of student performed and there was a talent show.
  o Rep. Caitlin Richards: Love run got a good feedback as well.
• Secretary Nourhan Abdelfattah: The office of international services is hosting an event called A Night In The Middle East They would like volunteers with middle eastern background and would like you guys to spread the word and attend the event. The event will be Wednesday, April 19th in the holly auditorium from 5:00 to 7:00. I will send the flyer out for more information.

6:25 State of affairs

• Rep. Jaylon Fane: Are they changing the library hours to 24/7?
  o Response from Dr. Mok: Yes, it will start in June 1st.
• Rep. Penny Wong: DS2 students want to be able to reverse the rooms in the ALTC. Can there be a system like the library or card swipe? There can also be a key checkout at TechZone and they would be held responsible for the equipment in the rooms.
  o Response from rep. Cody Smith: the rooms are open for reservation after 5 but not during the weekend.
  o Rep. Penny Wong: I heard the reservation process is difficult.
  o Rep. Cody Smith: Yes, the online form goes though the scheduling office, which takes time.
  o Rep. Mitchel Faulkner: med students also have the same feedback.
  o Rep. Penny Wong: it would be fair to have something similar to the library so you know who has it reserved
  o Jordan Kampschmidt: why are they used the library rooms for interviews while they can get into the ALTC easier than us? They use the third, fourth and fifth floor study rooms.
• Rep. Stephany: is there going to be free movie knight
- Response from Le’Kiesha Johnson: We usually don’t do it this late in the semester. But please give us feedback
- Rep. Cody Smith: it might be fun to have one around the holidays for people who can’t go home.
- Rep. Jiye Moon: microwaves are dirty in new dental building. We need signs like the ones on main campus.
  - Rep. LaTosha Kelley: we also need more microwaves In the ALTC.
  - Jordan Kampschmidt: We put new ones recently in the library area.
  - Treasurer Alexander Oderhowho: there is another one on the second floor of the library

**Announcements:**

- If you haven’t already please get your SGA rep. badges.
- The 27th SGA awards night is coming up April 27th and we need volunteers.

**6:30 Motion to adjourn the meeting**

- Motion made by Rep. Colin Dowling
- Seconded by Rep. Kathryn Hinojosa