



DASG EXECUTIVE ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
MEETING MINUTES  
Monday, October 18, 2021  
8:00 pm  
Remotely Via Zoom  
**Chair:** Anahi Ruvalcaba  
**Contact:** [dasgpresident@fhda.edu](mailto:dasgpresident@fhda.edu)

Dennis Shannakian (he/him/his) is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: DASG Executive Advisory Committee Fall 2021

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Call to Order

Roll Call

**Present:**

Sarah Morales

Sharon Utomo

Helya Bahari

Sunnie Chen

Luiza Eloy

Catherine Le

Afizah Ghazali

Justin Toh

**Excused:**

Erin Valdecanas

**Approval of Minutes**

Moved by *Sharon*, Seconded by *Afizah*

**Public Comments**

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Sharon reminds the executives about budget application being due soon. Fill in the one with “Operational’s”

**Business Items**

1. **INFORMATION/DISCUSSION**

Title: Check-ins for Committee Updates so far

Description: To share how things are going, updates or concerns.

Presenters: Everyone

Time: 10 minutes

1. Justin likes will be working with Catherine on a year end fundraiser.
2. Sarah raises the issue of hiring campus police for events.
3. Helya raises the concern of small committee sizes, which in turn affect the capacity of a committee to function.
  - Luiza seconds the point, elaborating on how E&D is facing the same problem
  - Sunnie discusses the possibility of using the same format as previous years by emailing professors to get more students to intern into the senate.
  - Sharon reiterates the need for interns in Finance – personal DMs net 3 interns in a day
  - Sarah outlines how the elections committee is working towards promoting senate internship via an email template sent out to various groups. Sunnie notes that there is an existing email template and would like to work with Sarah to expedite the process.
4. Sunnie talks about posting the media onto Instagram and staggering the posts to avoid clutter. Working with art guild for logo is hampered by cost. Possible alternative is working with office of communications graphic designer.
5. Finance shifts focus this week towards budget deliberations

6. Afizah will be hosting an informal meeting on 19<sup>th</sup> October in lieu of the previous meeting that had to be cancelled for personal reasons
7. Catherine talks about P&E preparing to host a town hall.

Motion to extend time by Sunnie, Seconded by Sharon

## 2. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

Title: Organizations share out

Description: Share out organizations found and resume conversation from last meeting.

Presenter: Everyone

Time: 20 minutes

- Sarah talks about Folkloric colibri- a performance group
- Sunnie talks about her work with the active minds chapter in De Anza, and possible collaborations
- Helya shares about <https://risefirst.org>.
- Catherine talks about the Italian American heritage foundation
- Luiza shares about the clubs within de Anza- specifically the performance clubs that have been affected by the pandemic. Additionally, a ballet studio that supports local dancers in San Jose
- Justin talks about the Cupertino chamber of commerce being willing to work with the Flea Market to host an event.
- Afizah speaks about an event honoring cultures, like for example MASA (Malaysian and Singapore Association) to help provide performances
- Unanimous show of support for a cultural event at the end of the year

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### Adjournment

Meeting is adjourned at 2052 Hrs