# **April 4<sup>th</sup>-Minutes**

Attendance: Alyssa, Riz, Jacob Beck, Jake, Jackie, Anjali, Chris, Anthony S, Hawke, Wu,

Nick Nobile, Carol (via skype)

Junior Members: Andrew Farrell, Jenn, Janella, Jaime, William, Josh Student Groups: BU Real Life, Malaysian Students Association

Prospective Members: Aaron Nair

#### **Notes:**

BU Real Life

Fall Retreat- First Weekend of October

- -Of all events this is the most important- early in the semester (gives group a chance to connect), each year especially Freshman come back having created new and long lasting friendships, adamant about requesting funding because more people are likely to come if they can pay less
- -in the past years they have had a scholarship for Freshman so they can go for free
- -this really brings the group together, helps people find their niche
- taking 80 people
- -What does it bring back? Way to take a weekend away from campus and connect spiritually giving them a better idea what the group Is about. Enriching spiritual life
- -What happens: Friday Afternoon (get together with BU students and other college students) Meal times, Game night, speaker, discussion, fun lake activities.

## Malaysian Students Association

- -April 8-10 Event: Conference (first time BU is hosting the event)
- -Open to all
- -Students come and discuss current Malaysian affairs
- -Distinguished academic speakers invited
- -main concern: catering- Malaysian food for a Malaysian themed dinner: breakfast, travel budgeting for speakers, housing for students from out of town if they cannot obtain housing on their own.
- -snacks, dinner, travel/ students lodging etc
- -Kenmore Classroom building
- 110 people attending
- -registration but International organization uses this for operation costs ie speaker costs
- -Donations:

Note: Fall Programming will be discussed next week

#### **New Business:**

Malaysian Students Association Event

-Motion: allocate (food eligible)-second-Passes!

#### **Humanists:**

- -April 25<sup>th</sup> in SED
- -presentation:

- -honoraria
- -Motion -allocate-second- Passes!

## Students for Sensible Drug Possible

- -Film Screening
- -\$ for flights
- -Motion: allocate (not food eligible) -second- Passes!

# Capoeira Club

- -Classes
- -lesson fees
- -Motion -allocate-second -Passes!

# Student Volunteers for Special Needs

- -Riverdale School
- -Motion-allocate-second-Passes!

### Vietnamese Students

- -Cultural show -Spring Rolls
- -Motion: to deny-second- Passes

### In A Chord

- -Spring Concert
- -motion-allocate-second-Passes!

### Diversity in Law

-Motion to deny- we cannot fund honoraria Dean Elmore or Ads-second-Passes

### Sigma Delta Tau-Eat your way through BU

-FMP, SPS, Food

Motion to deny not fully programmed -second-Passes

# Habitat for Humanity

- -Shed construction-
- -open to all
- -requesting half of total costs
- -Motion: allocate-second- Passes

## **ISGC**

- -Spring Concert
- -expecting 300 and charging
- -Motion: allocate- -second-Passes!

# Spring Travel

-Students for Exploration and Development of Space Motion to Deny Travel Fund is exhausted-second-Passes!

Membership:

Full Membership

Andrew Farrell- Motion to deny full membership -Passes

#### **Elections:**

Motion to open elections-second-Passes

Chair:

Candidates: Carol and Jake Outcome: Carol is the new Chair

Vice Chair:

Candidate: Alyssa

Outcome: Alyssa is the new Vice Chair

Treasurer:

Candidates: Anthony , Adam and Jake Outcome: Jake is the new Treasurer

Director of Operations Candidate: Anjali

Outcome: Anjali is the new Director of Operations

Secretary

Candidates: Wu

Wu would like to retract his nomination for Secretary

Motion to suspend the rules-second- Passes Motion to close elections until later- Passes!