**GSO Senate First Regular Business Meeting Agenda**

**September 12, 2018** | **Crouse-Hinds 010** | **5:30pm**

1. Nick Mason called the meeting to order at 5:40pm.
2. Electronic sign-in was used for roll call. 28 Senators were in attendance.
3. Voice vote to allow in a representative from the Daily Orange for the remainder of this year’s senate meetings.
4. President's report (Jack Wilson)
   1. Welcome Shuttle-Rajesh (of people who used the service)
   2. Orange success-Apparently provost is going w/ using registrar's name. Jack doesn't know.
      1. Does this correlate with handshake?
   3. Jack's announcement on NAGPS 2 conferences
      1. LAD (4slots) and national conferences (3 slots)
   4. Committee on health insurance
   5. Divestment issue on for profit prison
   6. Senator asks, is there a commitment for divestment on fossil fuel? Jack doesn’t know
5. Internal VP Report (6:00pm)
   1. Q -committees chair appointment
6. External VP (Sweta Roy)
   1. (no report)
7. Comptroller (6:04pm)
   1. Budget review that was approved last yr.
   2. Q: what happens to roll over $?
   3. Q: 15,000 that was given to graduate school-a status update
   4. Q: Endowment distribution?' why?
   5. Q: student Legal service- how the $ is handled after the move (transition)
8. No Old business
9. New business –
   1. Resolution 19.01-to amend the constitution
      1. Internal VP reads it out aloud (being presented)
      2. Motion made by the executive board \* does not need a second
      3. Correction: president should present the resolution • motion made by the President 'does not need a second
   2. Elections (6:21pm)
      1. Financial Secretary
         1. Q: Requirements (previous)
         2. Nominations: Yousr Dhaoyadi (for position (27-Yes 0-No 1-Abstain)
      2. Recording secretary
         1. Nominations: Taylor Sanders
         2. Discussion-nope call to question vote : Yes-(28) No(0) Abstain (0)
   3. University Senator (5)
      1. Q -Time commitment,
      2. Q- Difference btw this and At-Large senator.
      3. Q- what goes on University Senate Mtg (how many senators)
   4. University Senator Elections
      1. Nominees
         1. Yusuf Abdul-Qadir
         2. Jiavi Zhang
         3. Lori Pickering
         4. Rui T. Gomes
         5. Obi Afrivie
         6. Jessica Posega
         7. Daniel J. Kimmel
         8. Sagnik Basumallik
         9. Mirjavad Hashemi
      2. Nominee Statements
      3. Questions to Candidates
      4. Discussion begins
      5. Discussion ends
      6. Voting
         1. Round 1
            1. Yusuf Abdul-Qadir 8
            2. Jiavi Zhang 1
            3. Lori Pickering 0
            4. Rui T. Gomes 0
            5. Obi Afrivie 4
            6. Jessica Posega 3
            7. Daniel J. Kimmel 2
            8. Sagnik Basumallik 8
            9. Mirjavad Hashemi 1
         2. Round 2
            1. Yusuf Abdul-Qadir 7
            2. Jiavi Zhang 1
            3. Obi Afrivie 6
            4. Jessica Posega 3
            5. Daniel J. Kimmel 2
            6. Sagnik Basumallik 7
            7. Mirjavad Hashemi 1
      7. Elected: Yusuf Abdul-Qadir, Obi Afrivie, Jessica Posega, Daniel J. Kimmel, Sagnik Basumallik
   5. At-Large Senator Elections
      1. Nominees
         1. Rui T. Gomes
         2. Lori Pickering
         3. Mirjavad Hashemi
         4. Anthony Walker
      2. Nominee Statements
      3. Questions to Candidates
      4. Vote to proceed to debate
         1. Yes: 21 No: 6 Abstain: 1
      5. Discussion Begins
      6. Discussion Ends
      7. Voting
         1. Rui T. Gomes: 4
         2. Lori Pickering: 7
         3. Mirjavad Hashemi: 9
         4. Anthony Walker: 8
      8. Elected: Lori Pickering, Mirjavad Hashemi, Anthony Walker
10. Remarks
    1. Sweta did a great job at the picnic
    2. Sustainability at the picnic, specifically related to plastic cups and wasted food
11. Announcements
    1. We have 2 NAGPS events coming up. Contact Jack (President) for information
    2. Vote in the primaries
    3. Undergrad SA is working with Dolan Evanovich, Peta Sala to create an overview of changes from the summer.