



Meeting Called to order at 6:39PM EST

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!"# Quorum set at 18

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!"# Chair Jackson moves to open the gallery

- i. Motion seconded
- ii. Motion passed

\$"# Chanda Washington Visits Senate!

- i. I have been here for about 2 months now and want to share who I am and how I got here! I am originally from Mississippi and I always had a vision to work at the Washington Post. Along the way, people urged me to consider other plans and I had an amazing teacher who inspired me. I majored in journalism at Arkansas State and I did end up at the Washington Post. I spent 16 years there and worked through multiple departments and I left due to the internet changing the journalism I knew. I did get to have an opportunity to work with the community while doing journalism as well. I reinvented myself and worked in the DC government. I was career through one administration and then demoted when the new administration came in. I used the demotion to close a gap, the gap that I filled was the Washington Post. 8 years later, I was still the mayor's communication point. Hofstra then knocked on my door and ask me to do government affairs, and Dr. Poser offered me the position and here I am now. In this role, I feel like there has to be a connection between my office and the students, whether it is governmental affairs or community. We want our voices to matter

and to have our community feel safe. When I leave, I want an establishment that is left behind where administration and students have a strong bond.

1. Senator Guenfound: What are more ways for Hofstra to get involved with our local community? Are there any new ideas?

a. I personally am learning the area around Hofstra right now, so I am going to meet the Long Island association and more people to gauge where we can aid and how far we can reach. I know you all have classes and are students but I want to make sure that we can get out there and marry it with students to make an impact.

2. Chair Pandit: Could you describe how you want your next few years in this position to look like in a few words?

a. I would use the words, “learn”, “engaging”, “chill”, “successful”, “excited”. I want to be able to learn and grow here and have you grow along with me. I
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4. Thomas: I think my advice would be similar to Bernie's. I think you need to have purpose behind your position. SGA is a resume builder but what resume are you curating, what could the positions you hold do for your resume. I also think knowing what the position does and how you would put your own passion into it. I would also say think about how much you can take on.

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1. Please message me if you have anything you would like me to discuss with him.
- viii. Meeting with It's On Us tomorrow
 1. Please let me know if you would like to join or have anything you would like me to discuss with Brittany.
- ix. Sexual Assault Awareness Month is this month
 1. April 26th- Denim Day
 2. April 27th-Take Back the Night
- x. Working on transition docs & EOSR!
- xi. Ask me about my position!

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! "# Senator Greenlaw moves to pass the committee minutes from the week of 4/10

- i. Motion seconded
- ii. Motion passed
 1. Comptroller Fountain moves to close the gallery
 - a. Motion seconded
 - b. Motion passed

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! "# Elections Commission

- i. Final Info Session
 1. 4/14 @ 2pm PPAW/Zoom
- ii. Elections Packet Due
 1. 4/17 @12pm
 2. OSLE SC 244
 - a. Give packets to Mary or Tara! w
- iii. Prez/VP Debate
 1. 4/17
 2. Common Hour
 3. Breslin Rm 100
- iv. Campaign begins on Tuesday (04-18)

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Meeting Called to order at 6:35 PM EST

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! "# Chair Anniballi moves to open the gallery

i. Motion seconded

Motion passed

\$ "# Brittany Rhoden visits Senate!

i. I am Brit, I am the Title IX supervisor and I wanted to come here specifically this month as April is sexual assault month. I am open to meeting with all students and can be reached in my office, on email or over the phone. I also have a calendly link that is always live.

1. Senator Tauro: In terms of what students can do, what resources are there for students to help others that may have an issue with sexual assault?
 - a. If you are ever aware of something that has happened, you can come directly to me, you can email the title ix email, or you can use the link on the HOfstra website. After this is filed, I will do some outreach to the person affected and we go over accommodations and what can be done to support the student. Friends are also allowed to come either to support their friends, or to talk one on one with me to discuss how to talk about the situation and how you can help or even if the situation is affecting you even if it is not directly harmful to you.
2. Chair Atlas: How can SGA grow to foster our relationship with your office and
 - a. Having students voices on our committee is amazing and posting our flyers if you are not on the committee. If there are concerns being raised that are general, please bring those forward to me so we can begin to have this conversation and grow in how we support each other and the student body.
3. Comptroller Fountain: This is more specific to my role as an RA. If there is no contact between students and they feel like there needs to be something else put into place, what should they do?
 - a. I think the best option would be to come to me and we can discuss the logistics and options. We can always discuss next steps and what can and cannot be done
4. Chair Pandit: What initiatives have you done on Campus and out of those what is the most meaningful?
 - a. We had Love, Sex, adn Friendship weeks. We have the safe center tabling in the atrium, we have denim day, take back the night, and more tabling events. We are trying to push awareness and I am hoping to start an Active Minds chapter on Hofstra. All of these are very meaningful but I really do love having the feedback from the students.

5. Chair Stadeker: There is an individual on campus with multiple title IX infractions, and we were wondering what happens when they do have multiple infractions and what is done?
 - a. It really does depend. What folks think can be very different from the truth and it is really dependent on what the reporting individual wants to have happen. The university does have an obligation to conduct an investigation when needed but it is again very dependent on the situation.
6. Chair Stadeker: Does the Title IX office monitor social media or apps to see if infractions are occurring?
 - a. The office does not monitor social media but social media, and screenshots can be sent in. Since a lot of these apps have anonymous features it can be challenging to find who it is or how to approach the situation.
7. Chair Stadeker: Where can students access crime statistics for Hofstra?
 - a. It is on the Public Safety website. The campus climate survey is also a way we collect data.
8. Vice President Singh: As we start to reach the end of our year, what can we look forward to and help support?
 - a. I am working on having particular training to be offered as well as basic Title IX training. I am building a consent workshop and bystander intervention. We also want to transform our website to be less text heavy.
9. Associate Bell: In regards to associates, how can we spread the message?
 - a. If there is anything you can do with elements of

- a. Wellness and Campus living center, I am in the last door on the right from the front entrance.

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- i. Chair Stadeker and Chair Pandit: We are tired of thoughts and prayers statements and as a student government association, we need to discuss the gravity of this. We want to reach out to the community so they know there are people out there that want to support them and that we have resources on campus. We worked hard to discuss all resources that could be added to this document and it is too often that we see these events happen. We are open to edit this and to ask questions regarding this.
 1. Chair DeCrescenzo moves to propose language that “From January 1st to March 29th, 2023”
 - a. Motion seconded
 - b. Motion passed
 2. Chair Atlas moves to replace “propel” with “compel” in the 1st paragraph under let it be resolved
 - a. Motion seconded
 - b. Motion passed
 3. Chair Anniballi moves to hold an unmoderated caucus for 10 minutes
 - a. Motion seconded
 - b. Motion passed
 - i. Chair DeCrescenzo: The first whereas and the second whereas gave gaps between them. Is there a space meant to be there?
 - ii. Chair DeCrescenzo: Should we cite where the Amanda quote comes from?
 - iii. Chair Atlas: Should there be an extra space between the two sections?
 1. Chair DeCrescenzo: I think it just happened to have a space between them
 2. Chair Pandit: If you want to see ut as the same spacing that can be friendly
 - iv. Chair Anniballi: I think it may be beneficial to take the quote out of the resolution but place it into the email that is sent out

- iii. My meeting with the Provost is finally set! April 25th, 10:30am
- iv. Please talk to me about my position!!
- ("# Equity & Inclusion - D. Jackson
 - i. Brainstormed in committee
 - ii. AAPI @ Hofstra
 - 1. May 1st
-)"# Facilities & Operations - S. Atlas
 - i. Sent clock placements
 - ii. Met with SAS and Public Safety regarding the accessible map
 - 1. Minutes
 - 2. Associate Sara Bowles will be working on the digital map
 - 3. Planning walkthroughs to find accessible locations and routes
 - iii. Praise the Pride
 - 1. Will be emailing Colin Sullivan to reserve a spot for staff appreciation on the JumboTron
 - 2. Will be emailing Sev to discuss a physical board for the Student Center
 - 3. Might table to receive notes from students and vet them
 - iv. Food Spotlights
 - 1. Planning individual food spotlights with Compass Dining
 - 2. Hoping on 4/26 and mid May
 - v. Follow Up Emails Sent
 - 1. To the Swim Center regarding hours of operation
 - 2. To Jesse Webster regarding printers in residence halls
 - vi. Housekeeping
 - 1. Ask about my position
 - 2. Advocacy spotlight 4/20
- *"# Wellness & Campus Safety - K. Staderker
 - i. Thank you for all of the great questions that you asked Brittany!
 - 1. National week of action is this week!
 - ii. Sex Fest is happening on April 18th at 7pm in MPR West!
 - 1. With QTPOCC and BSU
 - iii. Meeting about the financial literacy event next Thursday (4/13)
 - iv. Met with Sam, Shirley, Julie, and Jovanni on Wednesday to discuss accessible mapping on campus
 - 1. [Minutes](#)
 - v. Ask me about my position!

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1. We've got Thomas (Zoom), Afsah, and Bernice for our Alumni Panel! , 9 9
2. The debate graphic has been made.
3. I'm 99% sure we'll have our career center



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April 13, 2023

Present:

1. Chair Cristianna Giovanangelo Nicotera
2. Chair Danny Decrescenzo
3. Senator Sydney Greenlaw
4. Senator Makayla Egolf
5. Associate Nadiye Pinarli
6. Associate Molly Botros

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1. Associate Xavier Bell
2. Associate Elvina Tso

Absent:

- 1.

- Guesses on how many SAW responses we will get?? (Winner will get a prize)
 - Cristianna: 510
 - Mak: 473
 - Elvina: 463
 - Molly: 400
 - Sydney: 453
 - Nadiye: 500
 - Danny: 445
- What issues should I bring up to the [Provost](#)?
 - Transfer credits

- Community College Credits
- AP Credits
- Finals Week schedule messed up
- Major/Minor classes not offered
 - International Relations
 - Religion and Contemporary Issues
 - RTVF 42, 43, 61, 91, 120
 - Education classes
 - PSC143
 - Biochem-
 - Advanced chem electives but offer it every two years
- Timing of classes can make it difficult
 - Ex. Abby with 4 classes on one day
- Provost Meeting April 25th 10:30am
- Upcoming Events
 - SAW Week- April 10th-14th
 - AAPI @ Hofstra- April 17th During Common Hour
 - Chat GPT Panel- April 26th During Common Hour
 - 2 SENATES LEFT
- Office Hours!
 - Senators need to do one hour each week, and Chairs need to do two.
- If you are going to be absent from a Committee meeting or Senate...
 - Email Ethics
 - CC Secretary and Committee Chair
- TELL ALL YOUR FRIENDS TO BE ASSOCIATES AND RUN FOR SENATE
- [SGA Calendar](#)
- SGA Chat rules!
- You can always reach out to me if you need ANYTHING :)

: 6:31 pm

Respectfully Submitted,
Kayla Staderker
Wellness and Campus Safety Chair