



Student Services Building, Room 254
College of Marin-Kentfield Campus
835 College Ave, Kentfield, CA 94904
ASCOM Meeting
MINUTES
March 8, 2024
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 a.m.

- a. Order of Business Call to Order: 12:03 p.m.
- b. Roll Call:

| OFFICERS | PRESENT | ABSENT |
|--|-------------------|--------|
| PRESIDENT RYAN BARBOSA | PROXY: GAVI | |
| VICE PRESIDENT GAVI BAR-OR | X | |
| STUDENT TRUSTEE SAIDY REYES | X | |
| SECRETARY SARAH REYNOSO | X | |
| TREASURER JORGE CHAN | X | |
| SENATOR – TECHNOLOGY RYLI BOWEN APPOINTED 1/4/24 | PROXY: SABRINA | |
| SENATOR – STUDENT ACTIVITIES & SERVICES TSHIAMO TSHABALALA APPOINTED 6/7/23 | X | |
| SENATOR – STUDENT ACTIVITIES & SERVICES FLORENTINO VICENSIO APPOINTED 6/7/23 | X | |
| SENATOR – PUBLIC RELATIONS & MARKETING MORGAN PHIPPS APPOINTED 2/23/24 | X | |
| SENATOR – PUBLIC RELATIONS & MARKETING GIOVANNI CARBONARO APPOINTED 1/4/24 | X | |
| STATE STUDENT SENATE REP. SABRINA KHALIFA APPOINTED 9/1/23 | X | |
| ESCOM REPRESENTATIVE VACANT (NON-VOTING MEMBER) | N/A | |

ASCOM ADVISOR: SADIKA SULAIMAN HARA AND TEA PERALES

AUXILIARY MEMBERS: Maria Samartin

MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC:

- c. Adoption of the Agenda:

Sarah, Saidy

d. Approval of the Minutes:

Sarah, Saidy

e. Public Comment

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I. New Business (Actions May Be Taken)

- a. Discussion/action to appoint Maria Samartin as an official ASCOM auxiliary member. Presentation by Ryan, President.

Sarah, Morgan

Gavi- It is officially past your third meeting. well done.

Saidy- Thank you for always helping.

- b. Discussion/action to approve NTE \$550.00 from acct.#7200 (Intrafund Club) and transfer to 9575-22 to support the Drama Club on performing two short plays on April 6 & 7. PRs to follow. Presentation by Sarah Ritter, Drama Club President. (Drama Club has \$3,253.31 in current account).

Sarah, Sabrina

Sarah R- We are going to have shows that we will perform 4 times. We are doing is a production that is student driven. We have student directors, playwrights, and actors. It is a big range of majors. Student set design, costume design. We want to do this so students can experience the more professional roles of theater without a big commitment. This will be more smaller and intimate while keeping it professional. It was a request from the students from the last year's acting class. We do this usually in fall, but we have three a semester. The acting one class requested this last year. It will be in April. We are requesting some funding because this is a big field and it's expensive. We also want to give some snacks and food for free. I don't think we will have a lot of left over.

Motion to extend time: Sabrina, Saidy

Sarah R- I think this is an unusual amount, but we have 11 actors.

Gavi- Are you aware you have this money?

Saidy- yes.

Gavi- Is this accounted for?

Sarah R- Yes, we want to save this money for show tickets. We know you are limited in your funding this semester. Right now we need funding. We need money to buy tickets and come to you all the time.

Sarah- How many members do you have?

Sarah R- about 75.

Sarah - so about 75 will come to shows?

Sarah R- no, not all. About 30 maybe. But tickets are expensive.

Tshiamo- In your breakdown, for the fifty dollars, is it for tickets?

Sarah- the budget is reserved for shows.

Saidy- Why don't you come back later? You have a lot of money in your account?

Tshiamo- I hear you, but this is a hefty amount.

Sarah- I want to secure this amount because tickets are expensive.

Saidy- I say to come back.

Sabrina- you don't have a set budget breakdown.

Tshiamo- We've had bigger amounts and we have had to say no to.

Sarah- We will easily spend 2,000 dollars on tickets alone. From the prom, we will have 1,200. I will leave the drama club this semester.

Sadika- she is correct that 1100 will be deducted from their budget from the prom.

Sarah- There are more reimbursements.

Sadika- do you know how much the students spent out of pocket?

Sarah- I think around 150 dollars?

Sadika- Then you will have 1500 left.

Motion to vote: Morgan, Tshiamo

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DOES NOT PASS

- c. Discussion/action to amend the minutes from 2/9/24 items "b" and "c" and say: "award \$100 in seed money from 7200-99 Intraclub transfer. Presentation by Sarah, Secretary.

Tshiamo, Morgan

Sarah- When we approve a club, they just want us to include what account it is coming out from. This is that account.

Motion to vote: Jorge, Morgan

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PASSES

- d. Discussion/Action to approve NTE \$600.00 from acct.#4500.04 (Event Supplies) for the Club Fundraiser Event. PRs to follow to reimburse board members and/or MCCD, Sadika's P-Card. Presentation by Club Fundraiser co-leads.

Sarah, Tshiamo

Gavi- We are planning a club fundraiser. It will be an event involving all of the clubs.

Sarah- We would really use it for decorations if we need it. But we are hoping to not use this money as clubs would come here and request money.

Tino- I think the 600 is fine in case you need it?

Motion to vote: Sabrina, Gio

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PASSES

- e. Debrief on Black History Month event. Presentation by BHM co-leads.

Sarah, Tino

They present. It was a great event. They all contributed and had a very productive initial meeting. They also needed to be consistent with their meeting times. Being more specific with their tasks. The work was “carried” by Tshiamo. The strengths were submitting the paperwork on time, except the activities form. It was budget friendly. What could have been improved is relying only on text—talk in person! Don’t let the work fall on one person. They should have promoted more on Instagram. The turnout was good, there was 100 people. The vibes were very good. There was also a mix up with the food. Make sure communication is well all around.

Sarah- The presentation was very nice.

Morgan- It was very fun.

- f. Debrief on Womxn’s History Month event. Presentation by WHM co-leads.

Tshiamo, Jorge

They worked hard to support each other. They communicated with each other when they had to discuss matters. They started on week three. Two of the three people were planning an event for the first time. Ryli made a poster for the event which was great. The decorations, goody bags were great. If they had started sooner, it could have been improved. Some highlights are that the library experienced an all time high for checking out books.

Tshiamo- On my part, the whole situation beforehand has set you back, but you did as much as you could with the time you had.

Tino- yes, that was a part on Malaika’s end. Make sure to submit all the forms on time. Also, Ryli, I, and Gio.

Sarah- I liked the poster as it served as an educational piece. Also, make sure to make a plan if the co-leads aren’t there so that the people who are helping know what to do. If you say you are coming at 12:30, please come earlier.

- g. Discussion on Equity Video. Presentation by Tea Perales, ASCOM co-Advisor.

Morgan, Sabrina

Tea presents a video about white feminism.

Tshiamo- I have heard it, I have experienced it. I think I was having a discussion with my black friends too. It is everywhere and I experience it a lot. The video sums it up.

Saidy- I often see white women use white feminism to hide their racism. They think that because they're a woman, they're oppressed by society and they forget women of color face even more oppression.

Tino- I feel that one that isn't talked about is carcel feminism. That should also be addressed. That is one I've heard.

Tea- I hope you're sharing these information and resources. Like Saidy said, there is a distinct when you're experiencing racism. People can have multiple identities.

Gio- I don't know If it relates, but the history of planned parenthood. There was a big, it was started by someone who was racist.

Tea- Yes, even in a lot of spaces that may be intended for women's rights, there can be that history of racism or transphobia. This can also be impacting healthcare—people of color have a higher rate of death.

Maria- I think another example is that feminists can ridicule Islamic practices. A lot of times it is a cultural or religious thing. It can be oppressive—don't speak if you don't know about it. People are not asking for advice.

Tshiamo- Yes, a person of color would know. Gaslighting from white woman is prevalent. They wouldn't let anyone speak before them because they feel as if they have the power. It makes a space where people of color can't be themselves. At the WHM event, was there a time where you were trying to make it more inclusive.

Gio- I know the poster Ryli made, she made it spread out.

Tea- Right, and she consulted people! Getting people engaged in it too. Thank you for engaging in this.

- h. Discussion/update on upcoming events. Presentation by ASCOM members.

Sarah, Sabrina

Club Fundraiser

Sarah- We attended the ICC meeting. a lot of people suggested a movie afternoon, but I think we should go with a movie night. I made a poll on Instagram and two-thirds said

they would go to an evening event. Also, our senators of activities and services and ICC members said our promotion has to be very good to be successful.

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Tshiamo- we just have a group chat right now. We hope to request funds next week. We are having the clothing drive at the event. We hope to collaborate. If you know anyone who wants to participate.

Saidy- You can collaborate with a lot of people.

II. Standing Business (Actions May NOT Be Taken)

Officer Reports:

i. PRESIDENT REPORT:

I had my office hours and had a 1-1 with Sadika. I am planning for Kudos Corner,

ii. VICE PRESIDENT REPORT:

I started planning for the club fundraiser. I want to the college council meeting. And we are planning kudos corner. I had my ICC meeting and discussed the event.

iii. STUDENT TRUSTEE REPORT:

I will have a bot meeting this Thursday. I helped set up for womxns history event. Worked on our club fundraiser event. I had the IDEA meeting before this meeting.

iv. SECRETARY REPORT:

I helped set up for womxns history event. I have been working on the club fundraiser event, attended half of the IDEA committee because I was attending the ICC meeting.

v. TREASURER REPORT:

I attended the womxns history event and helped clean up. I met with the club fund co leads to talk about the budget.

vi. SENATOR – TECHNOLOGY:

I co led for the WHM. I attended my office hours. I am continuing to push announcements on the Instagram. I will meet next week with the senators of activities and services to go over event planning.

vii. SENATORS (2) – STUDENT ACTIVITIES & SERVICES REPORT:

Tino- I had the WHM event. I wanted to have a meeting with the new members, but ended up meeting with Gio. I will meet with the rest next week.

Tshiamo- Like Tino said, met with Gio to go over how to plan an event. If anyone else needs a refresher, please set up a meeting. I had my office hours, I was attending the super intendent meeting. Some days I won't be present. We did not have community hour this week. I attended WHM.

viii. SENATORS (2) – PUBLIC RELATIONS & MARKETING REPORT:

Gio- I helped Jorge with the scholarship poster. I helped Ryli with a side event. I attended office hours, had a meeting with Tino and Tshiamo. I also attended WHM.

Morgan- I attended office hours. I am working on the movie poster. I am waiting for the final details.

ix. STATE STUDENT SENATE REPRESENTATIVE REPORT:

I had my office hours. I made it to the WHM event. I worked on the debrief for the BHM event.

x. ESCOM REPRESENTATIVE REPORT:

xi. ASCOM ADVISORS REPORT:

Tea- congratulations on WHM. Thank you for an honest discussion, I will be working remote on Tuesday. Let me know what you need. We have 51 students registered for the leadership.

Sadika- The ASCOM camera is zooming all over the place. Thank you for adjusting. Thank you for the WHM event. It was a great spot to have it and I enjoyed reading everything. I invited for us to have the posters in the glass case. I appreciated who was thinking about getting women owned businesses. Morgan, great job just jumping in. I am glad it is working out. We had four people attend the candidate orientation. The deadline is the 18th for those applications. We have someone who is running for President, SSCCC, and two for PR and Marketing. If you need anything, we're here.

Committee Reports:

i. COLLEGE COUNCIL REPORT – RYAN & GAVI:

We had our meeting yesterday. The topic was for naming the new building. President Eldridge proposed two names. This is going to the board of trustees and they will vote on it. We are accredited still. We are focusing on an alumni engagement panel.

- ii. GOVERNANCE REVIEW COUNCIL – NONE:
- iii. PLANNING AND RESOUC E ALLOCATION COMMITTEE – NONE:
- iv. EDUCATIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE – NONE:
- v. FACILITIES PLANNING COMMITTEE – NONE:
- vi. INSTRUCTIONAL EQUIPMENT COMMITTEE – TSHIAMO:

NTR.

- vii. PROFESSIONAL LEARNING COMMITTEE – JORGE:

NTR.

- viii. GUIDANCE, RESOURCES, INTEGRATION, TRANSFORMATION COMMITTEE – NONE:
- ix. TECHNOLOGY PLANNING COMITTE – NONE:
- x. INCLUSION, DIVERSITY, EQUITY, & ACTION COMMITTEE – SAIDY & SARAH:

President Eldridge came and we discussed land recognition and how everyone can be involved. And how IDEA can be more involved with the president.

- xi. COMMUNITY HOUR COMMITTEE – TSHIAMO AND TINO:

NTR.

III. Communications from the Floor

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Tshiamo- If you have any availability for this month for team bonding, let us know.

Sarah- I will have modified office hours next week.

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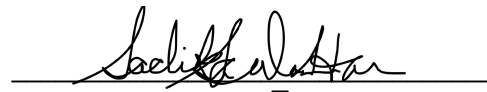
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V. Adjournment: 1:22 p.m.

Tshiamo, Jorge



ASCOM President



ASCOM Advisor