



Meeting Agenda and Reports
Monday, October 3rd, 2016

Upcoming Events / Meetings

1. 10/21 or 10/24 CUIT Advisory Committee Meeting
 - a. Contact Vinay if you want to go!
 - b. 2:30pm to 3:30pm
2. 10/3 - 10/28 Kill the Cup EcoReps Initiative
 - a. EcoReps will be promoting the dining discount for 99 cent coffee if you use the reusable mug in Butler Blue Java, Cafe 212, Carleton Lounge, or Uris Cafe.
 - b. They will be tabling in Lerner and outside Butler in the upcoming weeks

Position Updates

1. President
 - a. Welcome!
 - b. Meeting Etiquette
 - i. Be early
 - ii. Don't be on your phone / laptop
 - iii. Have something to write on/with
 - c. Public Safety Meeting
 - i. Bacchanal Layout / Cost
 1. Make sure that we have the layout as soon as possible so that we can budget properly.
 - ii. Publicity Safety Fund
 1. \$100,000 growing for the last 5-10 years.
 2. Why does it keep increasing past the normal 2-3% change
 - d. Scott Wright / Honey Fishman Meeting
 - i. Pad and tampons
 - ii. They will get a list of people in charge of the different academic buildings
 - iii. Focus on Lerner
 - iv. McBain
 1. Housing is bringing in a third study to find a solution
 2. Same thing for Ruggles
 - e. Move to a mail system where the mailboxes are not on the ramps
 - i. Trying to get rid of the mailbox keys
 - f. Off campus Flex
 - i. Sweetgreen has the application to allow CU students to use Flex
 - g. Uber
 - i. Wants to partner with flex / CU
 - ii. Does the student body want this?
 1. Voted yes
 - h. White House Sustainability Initiative
 - i. To have engineering schools incorporate resistant design to their buildings
 - ii. Reached out to Dean Boyce
 1. She said yes that she would want to
 2. Reached out to the White House
 3. She shared that Prof. Alyssa Park will present all the courses, labs, and areas that contribute towards sustainability

2. VP Comms
 - a. Website data lost
 - i. Will be sending out an email for people to submit their information
 - b. ESC Blog
 - i. Received first post from CSI
 - ii. Will be posted after website is back up
3. VP Student Life
 - a. Welcome to our Head of Design!
 - b. Homecoming updates
 - i. Food and Prizes
4. VP Finance
 - a. Project Grants
 - i. Applications closed this past Saturday
 - ii. 18 applications!
 - iii. Presentations and deliberations next Sunday
 - b. JCCC
 - i. Funded CSEG \$300 for conference registration
 - ii. Funded CSC \$1000 for rain tent costs at Night Market
 1. Emergency fund
 - c. CSC Night Market
 - i. Need volunteers to spearhead this initiative
5. VP Policy
 - a. Lawns Survey
 - i. Slated to send out tonight (FB and Email Listserv)
 - b. Smoking Outreach Survey Results
 - i. 545 Respondents in CC & SEAS (51.6% : 42.9%)
 - ii. Majority of people (~58%) in favor of campus ban
 - iii. Overwhelming majority (71.9%) believe there should be a stronger policy or better enforcement of existing policy
 - iv. Resolution has been drafted
 - c. Academics
 - i. CCS & Internships
 - ii. Revisions to Academic Calendar
 - iii. Midterms Communication
 - iv. Minor Expansion
 - d. Used Textbook Initiative
 - i. Vinay has worked on great first pass of a resolution
 - ii. More research/discussion needed before action plan
 - e. LGBTQ Student Center
 - i. Richa has been working on this
6. Professional Development Rep
 - a. Meeting with CCE
 - i. Get more engineering firms in future career fairs and on campus recruiting
 - ii. CCE does not have contacts but would like a list of companies that ESC may want to host on campus
 - iii. October 14th Career Fair
7. Technology Rep
 - a. Website down
 - i. Issue with HostUS
 - ii. Vinay will talk to CUIT about hosting on Columbia's servers
 - b. Textbook initiative updates
 - i. Council action needed

- ii. <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1DeVDBpj5pyH7WwnIpOmvUhmguL/FjY9BiKN8lhjJxRLk/edit>
- 8. 2018 President
 - a. Meet and Greet for 3-2 **10/20**
 - b. CCE Meeting
 - i. Working on developing a new database w/ alumni
 - ii. ADI Labs + Alumni Relations
 - c. CCSC + ESC #togetherstronger
- 9. Academic Affairs Rep
 - a. Meeting with CCE (Courtney Como & Alicia Schiller)
 - i. Alumni database
 - ii. Allowing students to recommend companies at career fair
 - iii. No longer consortium career fair
 - 1. No SUNY students can come
 - 2. 500 fewer students so that it's just Columbia
 - iv. Would like us to help publicize their events
 - b. Meeting with Dean Brovman
 - i. Having professors publish midterm exam dates very early in semester
 - ii. Publishing process for minoring in pure science and math in bulletin
 - 1. You still have to jump through hoops, but it's one step forward
 - iii. Publishing final exam dates / times earlier

Discussion Topics

1. Shoutout of firms that ESC would like to see on campus (Professional Development Rep)
 - a. List will be shared with CCE
 - b. Gary Kim will have a list and share it with the Columbia student body
2. Regular newsletter with highlights of changes / improvements on campus
 - a. Will be discussed next week
3. Formal Co-sponsorship Contract Creation
4. Smoking Resolution
 - a. Will be discussed next week
5. New Website Hosting
 - a. Will be discussed next week