



CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH

COMMITTEE ON LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, INTERSEX, QUEER + CAMPUS CLIMATE (CLGBTIQ+CC)

Committee Minutes

Friday, May 8, 2020

Via *Zoom* video conference, 12:00-1:00 pm

- I. Call to Order
 - A. Attendance: Joshua Palkki, Nancy de Haro, Shae Miller, Claire Langeveldt, Anna Nazarian-Peters, George Martinez, Sara Gershwin-Razo, Stacy Macias, Patricia Loughrey, Christian Lozano Cuellar, Keith Freeseemann, Pitiporn Asvathanagul, Hayley Miller, Pedro Castro
 - B. Absent: Parker Chalmers
- II. Approval of Agenda: Approved
- III. Approval of Minutes: CLGBTIQ+CC Minutes from 4/10/20
Posted online at: <https://edit.csulb.edu/academic-senate/clgbtiqcc-agenda-and-minutes>
Minor updates and changes.
Approved.
- IV. Old Business
 - A. Status of inquiry about inclusive language in campus policies
 - Was scheduled for second reading yesterday, 5/7, but was pushed for another meeting within the next two weeks. (May 14, possibly).
 - No dissent or pushback anticipated. The resolution was added to the bottom of the annual report.
 - Can still add stakeholders if departments would like to sign off on it. The supporters are listed on the resolution. **ASI** would be a good stakeholder to add. It has to be added by a Student Senator; **Miles Nevin** (miles.nevin@csulb.edu, executive director) would be a good person to reach out to. **Equity and Diversity** also wants to be added.
 - Safe Zone: Where are they housed? CHHS; Sara can reach out to CHHS, as a part of the college. There is a draft letter that was sent to CLA. The letter will be sent to everyone in the committee.
 - **Division of Student Affairs** should also be added. Some departments under Student affairs are already added, so adding the entire department will be good so that all departments under the division can be follow. OMA is listed, and they oversee cultural enters.
 - B. Campus Pride Index
 - Claire: We have access to the account. The Campus Pride Index is now charging, so Joshua worked with Academic Senate and this was covered

by the Provost Office. The membership is an annual cost (~\$175). The page can now be updated. Claire is collecting data from different offices, but is still gathering the data and inputting this. Not everyone has responded so Claire continues to work on this. This will be sent out to the committee once updated. This will also be added to BeachBoard.

C. Campus housing inquiry during this period of “alternate instruction”

- Students allowed to remain in student housing. It looks like housing may not be open in the fall. Follow up with Corry Colonna. This is likely not public information yet.
- It is likely that dorms will not be available, but perhaps on an emergency basis.
- Open Forum Monday: The question was asked if students currently in dorms would be allowed to stay during the summer. No clear answer was given.
- There is a “re-population committee” that is university wide and this committee is looking into the different options. This could be something that is brought up to that committee. One issue is funds, can the CARES money possibly cover this?
- SHS response on coverage was that limited coverage was available for students on campus.
- Basic needs: inundated with requests for housing, food, etc. Basic needs is working with the nonprofit *Jovenes Inc (Jovenesinc.org)*, they help students get into affordable housing situation and cover for a few months until students can be on their own. This service is available by Basic needs and the links are below. Student would list housing as a need in order to access this. The basic needs information was sent out to all students for them to fill out as needed.

Basic Needs Application:

https://cm.maxient.com/reportingform.php?CSULongBeach&layout_id=2

Calfresh Program:

<http://web.csulb.edu/divisions/students/calfresh/>

Free Internet Services:

http://web.csulb.edu/divisions/students/documents/2020_COVID19_Spectrum_ADA.pdf

Chromebooks:

http://web.csulb.edu/divisions/students/documents/2020_COVID19_Chromebook_ADA.pdf

D. Brainstorm: Any LGBTQ-related equity issues regarding “alternate instruction”?

- Eyesight locking is an issue for students with disabilities. This is unfair for students who have issues like turrets or live in households that are loud, cannot have quiet space and only focus on the screen.
- Continued need to highlight how important mental health is.
- May 18: Guidance from the Chancellors office will be announced for Fall 2020 University Operations.

- Long Beach PFLAG: will be conducting support meeting via ZOOM. “All are welcome and we hope many will use this opportunity to connect during these unchartered times. Please take note, in continuing to honor our chapter guidelines regarding respecting privacy and confidentiality, attendees must RSVP by 6pm Tuesday, May 12. You will be sent the private Zoom meeting invitation, so please send an email to pflaglb@yahoo.com and share that you are in my class. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to uswww.lbpflag.org”

V. New Business

A. Seeking input on the draft of yearly report

Add the increase use of Pride Housing

B. Ending terms and unfilled spots for AY 2020-21

- Josh and Shae reviewed the candidates and gave recommendations to the committee based on the application and the nominating committee makes the decision with the feedback from Joshua and Shae.
- In need of an alternate in **the Lecturer Category**.
- How do student positions get filled: Chief academic officer is in charge of filling out those. Commission is within the committee.
- Not returning: Hayley (one year), Patricia (one year term), Greg applied for another position (may or may not return, not sure if the position will return), Sara (one year position). Claire may or may not, the office is always on the committee. Thank you to everyone!

VI. Announcements and Updates

A. Updates from Shae from the Campus Climate Committee

Climate Survey Results. Angela Locks has been working on organizing these, if anyone on the committee wants to look at these. Are there questions anyone on the committee would like answered? Send these to Shae to be shared with Angela. The climate committee is trying to get as many questions (whether or not there is an answer).

B. Arnold T. Schwab Endowment at the CSULB Library

- Reminder: Please send your “wish list” to Alexis.Pavenick@csulb.edu
Update: E-Books are being prioritized given the alternate instruction situation that may extend to the fall.

VII. Adjournment 12:58 PM
