

**Associated Students of Orange Coast College**  
**SGOCC Student Senate and Executive Board**  
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

Friday, December 16, 2016; 8:00 a.m.

ASOCC Office

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**I. Organizational Items**

**I.01 Call to Order: 8:14 a.m.**

**I.02 Roll Call**

Student Senators: Basant ElGhayati, Christy Nguyen, Giang Nguyen (absent), Karen Caspa, Miguel Cruz (arrived meeting at 9:31 a.m.), Omar Haddad (left meeting at 11:45 a.m.), Stephannie DiGaetano (absent), & Julie Recalde  
Executive Board: Daria Antonova, Ashley Quinn (absent), Jessica Riestra, Juan Partida, Leanna Gutierrez, Parker Hawkins, & Joshua Recalde (absent)  
Advisor: Michael Morvice  
Staff: Eva Shaffer

**I.03 Opportunity for Pledge of Allegiance**

**I.04 Approval of Minutes - Postponed**

**II. Public Forum**

**III. Reports**

**III.01 Fiscal Affairs Council Report and Recommendation(s) for Possible Student Senate Action**

This is an opportunity for the Vice President of Fiscal Affairs to present financial recommendations and reports as well as an opportunity for the Senate to approve financial recommendations. Following deliberation and action by the Fiscal Affairs Council, the Vice President of Fiscal Affairs recommends the following Senate action(s) be taken:

1. Club Start-Up Funds: None.
2. One-time event or other fund requests:
  - STEM Club: \$8,874.00 to attend the Consumer Electronics Show (CES) in Las Vegas, Nevada from January 5-8, 2017.  
*Motion by Christy Nguyen to approve \$0.00 for the STEM Club to attend the Consumer Electronics Show (CES) in Las Vegas, Nevada from January 5-8, 2017; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Basant ElGhayati. Motion passes without objection.*
3. Request for transfer: None.

**IV. Unfinished Business**

**V. New Business**

**All items under new business are discussion and/or action items. Attachments are available in the ASOCC Office.**

**V.01 2016-2017 SGOCC Student Senate and Vice President of Diplomatic Affairs Interviews**

Interviews for the open 2016-2017 Student Senate seat and Vice President of Diplomatic seat.

**V.02 2016-2017 SGOCC Student Senate Appointment**

Discussion and possible action regarding the appointment for the 2016-2017 SGOCC Student Senator.

*The orders of the day were suspended to go to Item V.03 without objection.*

*Motion by Leanna Gutierrez to appoint Steve Huszar to the position of Student Senator; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Omar Haddad. Motion fails 3-6-1.*

*Recorded Vote:*

*Ashley Quinn - Absent  
Basant ElGhayati-No  
Christy Nguyen-No  
Daria Antonova-No  
Giang Nguyen-Absent  
Jessica Riestra-No  
Joshua Recalde-Absent*

*Juan Partida-No  
Leanna Gutierrez-Aye  
Miguel Cruz-Abstain  
Omar Haddad-Aye  
Parker Hawkins-No  
Stephannie DiGaetano-Absent  
Julie Recalde-Aye*

*Motion by Basant ElGhayati to postpone consideration of the main motion until 11:30 a.m.; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Omar Haddad. Motion passes without objection.*

*Motion by Basant ElGhayati to appoint Dave Yount to the position of Student Senator; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Omar Haddad. Motion fails 3-6-1.*

*Recorded Vote:*

*Ashley Quinn - Absent  
Basant ElGhayati-Aye  
Christy Nguyen-No  
Daria Antonova-No  
Giang Nguyen- Absent  
Jessica Riestra-No  
Joshua Recalde- Absent*

*Juan Partida-Aye  
Leanna Gutierrez-No  
Miguel Cruz-Abstain  
Omar Haddad-Aye  
Parker Hawkins-No  
Stephannie DiGaetano- Absent  
Julie Recalde-No*

*Motion by Leanna Gutierrez to appoint Jesse Lopez to the position of Student Senator; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Christy Nguyen. Motion passes 5-4.*

*Recorded Vote:*

*Ashley Quinn - Absent  
Basant ElGhayati-No  
Christy Nguyen-Aye  
Daria Antonova-Aye  
Giang Nguyen- Absent  
Jessica Riestra-Aye  
Joshua Recalde- Absent*

*Juan Partida-No  
Leanna Gutierrez-Aye  
Miguel Cruz-No  
Omar Haddad-Absent for vote  
Parker Hawkins-Aye  
Stephannie DiGaetano- Absent  
Julie Recalde-No*

**V.03     2016-2017 SGOCC Vice President of Diplomatic Affairs Appointment**

Discussion and possible action regarding the appointment for the 2016-2017 SGOCC Vice President of Diplomatic Affairs.

*Motion by Christy Nguyen to appoint Junell Brown to the position of Vice President of Diplomatic Affairs; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Julie Recalde. Motion passes 7-2-1.*

*Recorded Vote:*

*Ashley Quinn - Absent  
Basant ElGhayati-Aye  
Christy Nguyen-Aye  
Daria Antonova-Abstain  
Giang Nguyen- Absent  
Jessica Riestra-Aye  
Joshua Recalde- Absent*

*Juan Partida-Aye  
Leanna Gutierrez-No  
Miguel Cruz-No  
Omar Haddad-Aye  
Parker Hawkins-Aye  
Stephannie DiGaetano- Absent  
Julie Recalde-Aye*

**VI.     Public Forum**

This time is reserved for members of the public to address the Senate on issues on or not already appearing on the agenda. A limit of five (5) minutes per speaker and fifteen (15) minutes per topic will be enforced. This is not a period of discussion for the Senate, however, the Senate President may respond to specific questions and concerns made by the public.

**VII.     Adjournment: 11:47 a.m.**