



ASCWU
**STUDENT
GOVERNMENT**

**ASCWU Public Meeting
January 25, 2021 Minutes**

1. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 2:02pm by Mickael Candelaria on 01/25/2021.

2. INTRODUCTIONS

President: Mickael Candelaria

Executive Vice President: Brandon Wear-Grimm

Senate Speaker: Madeline Koval

Director for Equity & Multicultural Affairs: Jacob Robles

Director for Student Life and Facilities: Ashley-Sue Vizguerra

Director for Governmental Affairs: Edgar U. Espino

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Jan. 11, 2021

MOVE by ASCWU Senate Speaker

SECOND by ASCWU Student Life and Facilities

Approved 5-0-0

4. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

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5. OFFICER REPORTS

5.1 Executive VP: Brandon Wear-Grimm

5.1.1 S&A Update

5.1.1.1 Student Survey

5.1.1.1.1 This will be going to all current students; it will be asking students if they are aware of the S&A fee that is included in tuition and fees every quarter, info



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about and if students find it beneficial and essential to students.

- 5.1.1.1.2 This information will then be presented to the S&A committee, which will be impactful to funding decisions for the next 4 years. If students opt to take it, there are opportunities for either a swag bag or gift card.

5.1.1.2 Base requests from ECLC, Publicity, KCWU, WSN, Manastash Lions rock visiting writer's series

- 5.1.1.2.1 To hear the interviews and questions asked, you can find it at cwu.edu/ascwu on the S&A committees page

5.1.1.3 Open meetings every Wednesday at 5:30pm Zoom link here: <https://www.cwu.edu/services-activities/>

5.1.2 ICA Update- Successful club fair, huge shoutout to Olivia from the College of Business for organizing, next meeting is Feb 10th at 6pm zoom link here: <https://www.cwu.edu/clubs/>

5.1.2.1 Significant rollover due to pandemic, clubs are asking how they can spend their funding that is beneficial to its student members.

5.1.3 How should we invest and enhance club experience? Survey here <https://cwu.presence.io/form/ica-funding-initiative-survey>

5.1.4 Question from President-designate Wohlpart: How do we want him to purposefully engage students? Email us your answers!

5.2 Senate Speaker: Madeline Koval

5.2.1 Student Senate Meetings every Monday at 4pm email ASCWU.Senate@cwu.edu for Zoom link

5.2.2 Senate Tabling was a success.

5.2.2.1 There was great engagement and we received a lot of great feedback and interactions from students

5.2.2.2 There will be game nights hosted by the Senate Vice Chair on Fridays, so if you would like to join send Student Senate an email.

5.2.3 Please help us welcome Carolynn Thurston as Student Senate's newest advisor!



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5.2.3.1 Conflict resolution training will be held Feb. 7th at 3pm.
All students are welcome but will mainly be for senators.

5.2.4 TimelyMD presentation about Wildcat Care 365 at 5pm.

5.2.5 Follow Senate's adventures on Instagram @ascwu_studentsenate

5.3 Director for Equity & Multicultural Affairs: Jacob Robles

5.3.1 CCI Architect Meetings updates

5.3.2 ESC Graduation Celebrations update

5.3.2.1 Meeting with students tomorrow to start processes and planning for ESC Graduation/Celebrations

5.3.3 Hiring committee for CWU Brooks Library update

5.3.4 Graduation Packet Distribution for ESC Orgs

5.3.5 CLCE Leadership Institute ft Joe Johnston January 23 9-1pm. Register on presence. First become a member of CLCE presence group then you will be able to register for the event. <https://cwu.presence.io>

5.3.6 CWU Sarah Spurgeon Gallery solo exhibit by Cuban-born artist Tatiana Garmendia. The gallery is located in Randall Hall and is open M-5 from 10am-3pm and on Saturdays from 1-5pm.

5.3.7 Lions Rock Visiting Writer Series with Dujie That (he/they) and Jouran Imani Keith (she/her) on Tuesday, January 26th, 2021
Register here:

<https://cwu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUtcuqsrzsuE9dRQx-pXtEAODkkqWVi60Cl>

5.3.8 Central Theatre Ensemble is looking for LatinX/ChicanX actor to play the mother/storyteller in an upcoming staged reading of En Las Sombras. Contact Citlali.Mendez@cwu.edu to set up an online audition

5.3.9 Congratulation to Muslim Student Association (MSA) for officially be voted to be an ESC organization!

5.3.10 ESC Meetings are every Thursday at 11am reach out to me to receive Zoom link.

5.4 Director for Student Life & Facilities: Ashley-Sue Vizguerra

5.4.1 Keep a lookout for more information on the Westside Student Life Women's virtual retreat

5.4.2 Recreation Advisory Board meeting update

5.4.2.1 Rec center now requires that you sign up for a time slot on their website before coming in.

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- 5.4.3 Student Union Advisory Board meeting this week
 - 5.4.3.1 Voting items: Black History Month Banner being hung in the SURC
- 5.4.4 Follow @Wellington_Wildcat on Instagram!
- 5.5 Director for Governmental Affairs: Edgar U. Espino- Proxy: Nicholas Couto
 - 5.5.1 Today! Lobby Day Training Session from 5-6pm register here: <https://www.cwu.edu/ascwu/>
 - 5.5.2 This Wednesday 1/27/21 is virtual lobby day! Cats at the Capitol register here: <https://www.cwu.edu/ascwu/>
 - 5.5.3 Student Legislative Action Committee meets this Thursday at 4pm via Zoom. Reach out to me at Nicholas.Couto@cwu.edu to receive the link.
 - 5.5.4 On February 3, 2021 join us for a virtual event called How a Bill Becomes a Law at 2pm.
 - 5.5.5 Follow us on social media @ascwugovaffairs
- 5.6 President: Mickael Candelaria
 - 5.6.1 Cabinet has decided to move Commencement to a virtual format
 - 5.6.2 Meet with President Gaudino tomorrow
 - 5.6.3 Don't forget to complete daily health checks before heading onto campus!
 - 5.6.4 YAY! SAT/ACT requirement for Undergraduate Admissions is now not required
 - 5.6.5 ASCWU will be presenting at the CWU Foundation board meeting Feb 5, 2021
 - 5.6.6 Tuesday at 6pm is a virtual Open Forum for students interested in running for the 2021-2022 ASCWU Board of Directors. Register here: <https://www.cwu.edu/ascwu/>
 - 5.6.7 Follow us on social media at @ascwu_sg and @ascwu_pres
- 6. **ADVISOR REPORT**
 - 6.1 ASCWU Advisor: Dr. Jenna Hyatt
 - 6.1.1 6 weeks left of this quarter. Study hard, study often, take care of yourselves.
 - 6.1.2 We are encouraging students to stick around Ellensburg for spring break. Be looking for more information of ways to be engaged to re-charge for Spring quarter.



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- 6.1.3 Scholarship Application
<http://www.cwu.edu/scholarships/scholarship-central> Deadline March 1, 2021
- 6.1.4 FAFSA reminder <http://www.cwu.edu/financial-aid/> The priority due date for completing FAFSA for the upcoming school year is February 1st.
- 6.1.5 SOURCE 2021 - <http://cwu.edu/source>
- 6.1.6 Money: The Office of Undergraduate Research Winter Grant Cycle deadline is on February 3rd, 2021. Students can apply for research and presentation grants, receiving up to \$300 for individuals and up to \$600 for groups.
<http://www.cwu.edu/undergrad-research/grants/about>
- 6.1.7 ASCWU Elections: Open forum tomorrow at 6pm via Zoom register here: <https://www.cwu.edu/ascwu/> and candidate registration opens February 1st!

7. NEW BUSINESS

- 7.1 (Non-Voting) Student Health Services and Student Counseling Services Fee Adjustment Request
 - 7.1.1 We had two requests to adjust existing fees that affects all Ellensburg students. This fee adjustment would shift from exclusively Ellensburg students to all CWU students (including centers) in light of TimelyMD Wildcat Care 365.
- 7.2 (Non-Voting) Wellness Fee Adjustment Request
 - 7.2.1 This fee adjustment would shift from said fee to include students from centers and not just CWU Ellensburg students.
- 7.3 Before this vote is made public, Student Senate will review the Executive Board's decision, which is stated in the bylaws about said governing processes. Be on the lookout for updates.

8. ISSUES/CONCERNS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

9. PUBLIC COMMENT

- 9.1 Guy O'Connor: Sustainable Transportation Meeting



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9.1.1 Played a recording from the recent elect President Joe Biden talking about vehicle transportation and cleaner methods of vehicle use.

9.1.2 Sustainability Café 3-4:30PM Wednesdays; breakout session on Transportation

9.2 Abby Chien, DEC Director

9.2.1 Abby Chien will be leaving CWU and the DEC Feb. 5th. You can still reach out to DEC for any concerns you may have or resources.

9.3 Jenna Hyatt

9.3.1 If you are thinking about Fall 2021, you can apply for housing today via their housing website.

10. NEXT MEETING

The next ASCWU Student Government Public Meeting to be held on
February 1, 2021

11. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 2:36pm.

MOVE by N/A

SECOND by N/A

Approved 0-0-0