

SGA Meeting Minutes 10-11-17

Attending: Grant Amoateng, Jeremy Brenneman, Joshua Curtis, Mario Hernandez, Emmanuel Kampanga, Paul Kayembe, Donaldo Lleshi, Austin Tomlin, Nathaniel Nissley, Abigail Shelly, Ben Zook, Vice-President Nicole Litwiller, VP of Marketing Rachel Holderman, Co-President Caleb Schrock-Hurst, Co-President Adam Harnish, Secretary Luke Mullet, Faculty Rep. Vi Dutcher, Staff Rep. Jim Smucker

Absent: Treasurer Erik Peachy (soccer), Leah Wenger (soccer), Amy Springer

1. Call to Order at 8:02pm
2. Roll Call
3. Review of Previous Minutes
 - a. No objections. Minutes from 10/4/17 are approved.
4. Announcements
5. Old Business
 - a. Remember to send responses to Lauren Jefferson via email.
 - b. EMU snapchat signups (check emails)
6. New Business
 - a. Noah Haglund, Co-President of Peace Fellowship, requests **\$932.20** for the MCC UN Conference in New York (this year the conference topic will be migration in the Latin American context). There will be **10 people** going on the trip. He contends that the trip reflects the values of EMU because it encourages the participants to serve and lead in a global context. They will be giving a talk back in common grounds or another (hopefully large) venue when they return. Noah also mentioned that they may incorporate the cost of these UN Conferences into Peace Fellowship's budget in future years.

Motion (Nicole): Give Peace Fellowship \$932.20 with the condition that they bring what they learn back to campus and work hard to emphasize this event with as many students as possible and to consider including this event in their budget the following years.

Nathaniel seconds the motion.

Approve: 14

Against: 0

Abstaining: 0

Motion passes.

- a. Steel wheels drink table sign-ups
 - b. Office Hours update: Office hours start this week. Keep an eye out for an email from Rachel Holderman with your printable SGA sign.
 - c. Gear-Up Volunteers (refer to Mark Sawin's email) are needed
7. Open Floor

- a. Mario reported back about his experience at the centennial committee. The committee discussed how to get student involvement in homecoming events rather than it being too much of an alumni-dominated event.
- b. Nicole talked about the student art show which is being opened on Monday 10/16 at 8pm. The art show includes paintings, drawings, music, and poetry created by Joshua Curtis, Luke Mullet, and Nicole Litwiller.

8. Prayer

Meeting ended at 8:53 pm

Recorded by Luke Mullet