

STUDENT ASSOCIATION MEETING  
State University of New York, College at Geneseo



Student Association meetings are Wednesdays at 6:15 pm in the College Union Hunt Room. All are welcome to attend.

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*Executive Committee*

President:	Katie Becker
Vice-President:	Paul Michael
<b>Directors:</b>	
Academic Affairs:	Effie Barbagiannis
Business Affairs:	Rob Terreri
Inter-Residence Affairs:	Olivia Kelly
Public Relations:	Riley Burchell
Student Affairs:	Bruno Villazhinay-M
Student Programming:	Jenny Keller
Advisor:	Patty Hamilton-Rodgers

*PROFESSIONAL STAFF*

Dir. of SA Programs,	
Personnel & Finances:	Kate Rebban
Administrative Assistant:	Nancy Chirico
Graphics Coordinator:	Kristen Fuest
Service Manager:	Dianne Krenzer

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92 ***Adjournment***

**Call to Order:** 6:15 PM

**Approval of the Agenda:** Olivia motions to add “75-1314 BE IT RESOLVED THE SA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE appoint Daniel Martin as the USAEC Chair for the remainder of the 2013-2014 academic year. *First and Only Reading*” to the agenda. Bruno seconds. Passes 7-0-0. Rob asks to motion to add “Account 1002” after conferences in reading 70-1314. Olivia seconds. Passes 7-0-0. Vote to pass the agenda passes 7-0-0.

**Approval of the Minutes:** Passes 7-0-0

### Updates

**President, Katie Becker updates** Katie hopes everyone had a good snow day and spring break. She’s mostly been catching up on business. She went to a College Council Community breakfast put on by administration. Everyone got a shout out for being the 19<sup>th</sup> smartest students at a public college. USAEC candidates will be speaking today and elections will be 9AM on Monday to midnight on Wednesday. She notes that this is going to be a very long meeting.

**Vice-President, Paul Michael updates:** Paul says that the last anti-hazing workshop was today and anyone who did not attend should contact him as quickly as possible.

**Director of Business Affairs, Rob Terreri updates:** Rob says that all budgets were placed at the side of the room by the sign in sheet, and there will be copies in organization mailboxes. There is also a memo showing the schedule for appeals. A form needs to be filled out saying why the budget needs to be appealed Any questions should be directed to Rob or Kate. Budget appeal reviews will take place April 8-10.

**Director of Inter-Residence Affairs, Olivia Kelly updates** Olivia says she will not be in the office on Friday because of a NEACURH conference, so she changed her office hours to Thursday from 1-3:30. IRC is hosting Mics and Mochas with GLK on Thursday. On Friday there will be a roller skating party with ice cream for siblings weekend. She also encourages people to continue looking for IRC programs coming up.

**Director of Public Relations, Riley Burchell updates:** Riley has no updates.

**Director of Academic Affairs, Effie Barbagiannis updates:** Effie says that there will be a committee forming to select the professors who will receive the Honoring Teachers Award. This committee is a one day commitment, they’ll meet in the afternoon and select who wins. She says that anyone who is interested should email her at [saaac@geneseo.edu](mailto:saaac@geneseo.edu). On April 5, Quizbowl will be happening at 2:30 in the Knightspot. She says that there will be prizes and food.

**Director of Student Affairs, Bruno Villazhinay updates:** Bruno says that LSA is bringing in a speaker. Pride is having Gay Fine By Me in April.

**Director of Student Programming, Jenny Keller updates:** Tonight, Zach Wahls is being brought in by Contemporary Forum to give a talk called “What Makes A Family?” at 8pm in Newton 201. Sibling Weekend is coming up, and AC is working with IRC and GLK to have a Despicable Me themed weekend. Rhythmic Circus is Friday at 7pm in Wadsworth. Tickets are \$6 for students.

**Kate Rebban, Director of SA Programs, Personnel, & Finances updates:** Kate announces that SA merit award paperwork and publicity will be out on Friday, and people can apply on MyCourses.

**Patty Hamilton-Rodgers, SA Executive Committee Advisor updates:** Patty reminds first year students and seniors to complete the NSSE survey, which is to gauge student engagement.

### Open Updates

Crew announces that on Friday from 10am-4pm, the team will be doing a joint fundraiser with Habitat for Humanity, where they will keep 4 ergs going for 6 hours to help build a house in Livingston County and fund a new boat for the crew team.

GAGG will be having their second mini-con of the semester in two weeks, from 1pm to midnight.

Colleges Against Cancer announces that Relay for Life just hit \$72,000. People can still sign up at [relayforlife.org/sunygeneseo](http://relayforlife.org/sunygeneseo)

LSA announces that there will be a pasta dinner in the IFC at 6PM and all proceeds go to Relay.

Guitar Club announces an Open Mic night at 8:30PM in the Fireside Lounge. Anyone is welcome to come and perform.

#### Old Business

68-1314 BE IT RESOLVED THE SA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE allocate \$100.00 from Budget Increases, Account 1099 to Community Health Alliance, Account 1924 for Line 20 – Programming: Global Village Week.

*Second of Two Readings*

Tasmia and Janet announce they're hosting Global Village Week to increase global activism. The \$100 would pay for booking the IFC and pay for food. They also have a CAS grant coming in. Poverty Resolutions said there are no royalties associated with screening their documentary.

68-1314 *Second of Two Readings* Passes 7-0-0

#### New Business

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*First of Two Readings*

Rob asks the Exec board to fail this reading because new receipts show that they will have enough money to fund the rest of the semester.

69-1314 *First of Two Readings* Fails 0-6-1 with Rob abstaining.

70-1314 BE IT RESOLVED THE SA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE allocate up to \$1104.60 from SA Programs – Conferences Account 1002 to Japanese Culture Club, Account 1901 to provide funding for attendance at the Cherry Blossom Festival from 4/11-4/13.

*First of Two Readings*

The Japanese Culture Club goes to this every year. They leave Friday, volunteer on Saturday, and perform while they are there. They are planning for 28 people to go, and all members of the club are welcome. Japanese Culture Club requests money to pay for half of transportation and lodging.

Katie opens the floor to questions. Effie asks how the timing for payment will be with the two week reading. She responds that there is not too much time, but they will probably be okay. Rob asks if there are any immediate payments to be made. She says there are not.

Katie opens the floor to discussion. Bruno says he will not be voting because JCC is a part of ACE.

70-1314 *First of Two Readings* Passes 6-0-1 with Bruno abstaining.

71-1314 BE IT RESOLVED THE SA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE allocate \$2800.00 from Budget Increases, Account 1099 for Alliance for Community Enrichment (ACE), Account 1002 to allow for the funding of future readings.

*First and Only Reading*

Bruno says that ACE funds all 10 culture clubs on campus. The money will help fund future readings being submitted within the next few weeks. LSA and Pride need \$1500 for a speaker, Pride asked for more money for their Gay Fine By Me event, and they want to have an ACE picnic. Bruno asks for \$2800 more in the budget. He also asks to waive the first reading because of the snow.

Katie opens the floor to discussion. Olivia motions to waive the first meeting. Effie seconds. The motion passes 6-0-1.

71-1314 *First and Only Reading* Passes 6-0-1 with Bruno abstaining.

72-1314 BE IT RESOLVED THE SA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE allocate up to \$1000.00 from Budget Increases, Account 1099 to SA Programs – Relay for Life to help sponsor DJ Services, a Survivor Lounge, and a Photo Booth.

*First of Two Readings*

Austin, co-chair for Relay for Life, is proposing a \$1000.00 budget increase to pay for food for the Survivor Lounge, a Sound Specialist and a Photobooth. The DJ they have used for several years moved to San Francisco and will still do the event for free with donated equipment if they pay for his flight. The Survivor Lounge will provide food for survivors and the Photobooth will be a fun addition to the event.

Katie opens the floor to questions. Rob asks if the Survivor Lounge is open to all students. Austin said that it is only open to people who are registered as survivors. Billy Fagan asks if there is another DJ in the area. Austin says that there are none who would do it for free. Riley asks if they will still be able to use their Photobooth discount if the reading passes in two weeks. Austin says yes. Jenny asks if they've looked at alternate photobooth prices, and Austin said that he could not find any. Olivia says that if the survivor lounge is exclusive, SA cannot fund it. Austin says that it benefits everyone by providing a positive environment for survivors. Marianne asks if the Survivor Lounge can be made not exclusive by making it open to everyone but assume only survivors will go in. Austin says he has to ask the American Cancer Society. Jenny asks what the search process for a local DJ was and if they would consider booking someone local. Austin responds that Anthony is a Live Sound Specialist who comes and does different display and slideshow things,

and they could not find someone who did the same thing for less. Jenny asks if they are using SA Tech. Austin responds that they are using both SA Tech and donations from outside for the equipment SA does not have. Kate asks if they can remove the Survivor Lounge from the reading and fund SA Tech instead. Austin says that SA Tech is not enough and he is being funded by local people. Kate asks if they can fund other things besides the Survivor Lounge. Austin says that the Survivor Lounge is not negotiable. Chess asks if Relay must be open to everyone if SA funds it. Rob responds that anything SA funds must be completely open to the student body. So funding the photobooth is okay, but the exclusive Survivor Lounge is not. Harry asks if SA can fund SA Tech so the money for SA Tech can go to the Survivor Lounge. Austin says it can. Carolyn asks if the Survivor Lounge could be a place for survivors to talk to students. Austin says he's open to ideas but the lounge must stay. Effie asks if they've considered a CAS grant. Austin says they have utilized their CAS grants for other things. Paul asks if the Survivor Lounge will be open to students. Austin says they have to talk about it with their Relay for Life coordinator. Jen asks if they could ask CAS to donate a grant. Austin says they would consider it.

Katie opens the floor to discussion. Rob says that he is okay with passing the first week as long as next week there will be answers to questions. Bruno says that he wants more concrete information about why they are not fully utilizing SA Tech. Austin says he will get more information from Anthony. Effie says that when CAC has all of the answers to their questions they should come to the office. Marianne says she appreciates and believes in the Survivor Lounge and thanks Austin for pushing so hard for it. Billy asks when the DJ is coming in. Austin responds that the DJ is coming in that Friday. Jen says that next week, CAC should have a clarification about why Anthony is different. Bruno asks if not passing the reading will affect them since they already booked his flight. Austin says that if that is the case, they will contact the American Cancer Society.

72-1314 *First of Two Readings* Passes 6-0-1.

73-1314 BE IT RESOLVED THE SA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE approve the Academic Affairs Committee Constitutional Changes.

*First of Two Readings.*

74-1314 BE IT RESOLVED THE SA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE approve the Academic Affairs Committee By-law changes.

*First of Two Readings*

Katie introduces 73-1314 and 74-1314 together to be voted on separately. Effie says that department clubs ask for money through AAC. The only thing added to page 1 is the Peer Advisement Coordinator. In section 2, the peer advisement coordinator is added again. In section 3, preparing the meeting agenda got moved to the chair's job and the relationship between AAC and GREAT Day was solidified. Also, creating, maintaining, and distributing the Campus Resource manual was moved to the Communication Director. On page 4, the Peer Advisor Coordinator is explained. Once per semester, every AAC club must present an advisement program. The duties of the coordinator is to get notifications from clubs, verify their occurrence, place people under suspended financial standing, notifying clubs, hosting Rock Your Semester, and meeting with the Dean of Advisement if necessary. On page 7, the peer advisement program is laid out. There must be one per semester, it must be open, it could be advisement or having a panel. Clubs must submit a short description. If the event does not occur, the club's finances are suspended. In the by-laws, AAC is now allowed to draw from SA and not have to pay too much out of pocket. To make sure that money is not used for fundraising, there is a stipulation that AAC money cannot be used to fundraise. AAC money also cannot be used for Rush events for academic Greek organizations. SA cannot fund overnight trips. Conference funding has been changed to a flat 50%. AAC clubs can now ask for over \$1000 for the first 7 meetings of the fall semester, but not afterwards. Suspended financial standing is not bad financial standing. This will be put in place if peer advisement does not happen. They cannot request any money. To get out, they can either submit a letter about why they did not host a program to be voted in a one week meeting. This allows AAC clubs to be accountable to each other. They can also put on an advisement program and submit a report.

Katie opens the floor to questions. Olivia asks how a club can put on an event without having access to money. Effie responds that the programs do not need to cost money so money is not necessary.

Katie opens the floor to discussion. Riley commends Effie for her hard work and for putting peer advisement in place.

Tushara says that she spoke to every club and expects the program to go well. She also says that it is a good way for people who are in multiple majors to learn about different classes.

73-1314 *First of Two Readings* Passes 6-0-1 with Effie abstaining.

74-1314 *First of Two Readings* Passes 6-0-1 with Effie abstaining.

75-1314 BE IT RESOLVED THE SA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE appoint Daniel Martin as the USAEC Chair for the remainder of the 2013-2014 academic year.

*First and Only Reading*

Katie says that she received a formal letter of resignation from Kevin and Dan agreed to fill the position through the year.

Paul opens the floor to questions. It is asked if he was the only person considered. Katie says that she contacted three members of the USAEC committee that exists. She also contacted veteran USAEC member, and Dan answered first. Jenny asks why Kevin resigned.

Katie says that obligations left him unable to do his job to the best of his ability.

Paul opens the floor to questions. Olivia says that she has worked with Dan before and she is excited to see what he does. Austin says that Dan is on the CAC eboard and does a great job.

75-1314 *First and Only Reading* Passes 5-0-1

### **Open Discussion**

Katie talks about SA constitutional changes. She says that the GPA requirement has been changed from 2.0 to 2.4. Exec Board members must have a 2.0 average throughout their term and if their GPA is between 2 and 2.4 they must meet with Patty. If they get less than a 2.0 they will be dismissed and their position will be filled. No member can be on the eboard of another club or in any influential role, like captain. IRC chair must live on campus while in their position and must have lived on campus at least one semester before running. If the president is removed, the Vice President fills the position. Members will be dismissed with less than a 2.0 semester GPA and their position will be filled by the executive committee unless it is the president. The changes will probably be in effect starting April 4<sup>th</sup>.

Katie begins election speeches. Each speaker has 1 minute, 1 question from the current position, and 2-3 from others. There will be no follow up questions.

Andrew Hayes, running for President. He is a sophomore IR and Economics major who wants to have openness in the Exec board. He says he has extensive knowledge about the position. He served on Student Senate and is Class of 2016 president. He organized adopt-a-street, and will fight hard for the best interests of the students and medical amnesty. He also regularly attends SA meetings. Rob asks on Katie's behalf, what Andrew's schedule is going to look like. Andrew responds that he is not going to be a member of the Student Senate or Class of 2016 officer. He says that he will designate his office hours as the time he will dedicate to the job. Paul asks if there's anything he did not get to. Andrew says that he wants to improve relations between clubs and SA, advise clubs through their budgets, and create a list serve for treasurers. Mock Trial asks what gives him a leg up. Andrew says that as class president, he has gained a lot of experience. Riley asks if he has any specific skill set. Andrew responds that his regular attendance of SA meetings and the fact that he talked to a few clubs before running makes him qualified, as well as Student Senate.

Harrison Dole is running for President. He is an English and French major. He wants to have a position of advocacy and support. He put links to his Facebook page around. He spoke with Patty, Katie, and Kate and they have instilled the importance of advocacy. He is willing and able to do a lot of behind the scenes work, and he feels qualified for this because he has worked with many different areas and departments. He believes he has experience with administrators that will make him a good communicator for the future. Rob asks what his schedule looks like for next year. Harry says he is opening up his time to commit. He will not be an RA and is only taking 13 credits. He is in Bhangra and Southside Boys, but will make SA his priority. Jen asks for an example that gives him an edge. Harry says that he works for the office of New Student programs that allowed for a lot of communication with administration. Mock Trial asks what his goal is. Harry responds that he wants to maintain power in the people, open communication between everyone, and maintain positive relationships. Marianne asks what the first thing he'd do to prepare would be. He says that he'd follow up with Katie, Patty, and Kate.

Paul Michael is running for Vice President. He is a sophomore Political Science major, he is the current SA VP and running unopposed. He filled 4 vacancies in the Student Caucus. He believes there was a lot of important discussion and put some things into action. He said that he has the appropriate experience. Rob asks how he will advocate for club sports. Paul says that he will work with PR for facility space. Tushara asks if there's anything he wants to keep working on. Paul says that he wants to keep pushing for medical amnesty and rally student support. He plans to work with Dr. Repinski to communicate with other SUNY schools about the policy. Rob asks if the policy for club sports on fundraising and various issues needs to be changed. Paul says that the club sports function best on their own. Bruno asks about how he would plan on working with Student Affairs and PR for the trip to Albany. Paul wants to stop the UUP from taking tuition from the students through collective bargaining.

Billy Fagan is a junior chemistry major running for Dir. of Business Affairs. He would like to increase one on one communication with clubs, answering questions, continue the work Rob has done, posting the agenda on Mondays, train treasurers, create instructional videos, streamling forms, prepare clubs for budget review better. He has analyzed all budgets and it will help him serve the community better. He has been attending SA since October. Rob asks what aspect of financial policy needs to be addressed. Billy responds that SA reps need to be more educated about policy to alleviate the DBA's role. Max asks if and how the budget review process would change. Billy says he would start it earlier so there would be less of a time crunch.

Andrew Kang is a junior business major running for Director of Business Affairs. He is a member of Alpha Kappa Psi and Alpha Chi Rho. He studied abroad in Holland. He wants to be DBA to become more involved. He wants to represent the entire student body and make the Student Association events more appealing. He wants to manage the budget well. He wants to enforce the financial policy and conduct and implement the SA budget. Rob asks what policy of financial policy he wants to change. Andrew says he is not familiar with the financial policy. Max asks what kind of outside experience he has. Andrew was an intern for an NYC based firm where he developed rosters and researched venture capital industries. Last summer he was a sales intern and did sales and product placement. Marianne asks how his major will give him a leg up. Andrew says that he knows a lot of management things and can use Excel very well. Tushara asks if he has any experience with an SA budget. He says he does not, but he wants to work on a larger scale and he was his pledge class treasurer.

Tushara is a junior majoring in International Relations. She's running for director of Academic Affairs. She is currently vice chair. She was able to bring back panels and more programming. She is also a part of the professor recognition ceremony. Due to her work, she is confident that she can do more good things for Academic Affairs with her experience. She has also done readings and POs and she believes that will help. Effie asks how she plans to maintain the different relationships AAC has with many organizations. Tushara says she is working closely with faculty to keep those relationships and putting together a committee for advisement. She also is passionate about advocating to administration. Riley asks if she could be a font what font she would be. Tushara says she would be Californian. Bruno asks if she would make more events between AAC and ACE. Tushara says that she would work to improve that relationship and get their voices out.

Caroline is a Junior Psych Major. She was an IRC rep and is now a secretary. She is a member of the NRHH and an RA in Genesee Hall. She was one of the voting members on the Budget Review committee. She wants to promote change, keep open discussion through town hall debates, and be the voice of change. Olivia asks about her NEACURH experience. Caroline says she is going to her first this weekend to present a program. She has also volunteered and seen what's behind the scenes. Marianne asks what she sees the value of being a member of IRC is. Caroline says that she has seen the rep side, the different kinds of buildings, and the executive sides of things. She thinks it is very good that she has been on several sides of it. Effie asks how she will delegate responsibilities to her executive board. Caroline wants to build a team and keep dialogue open. Bruno asks how IRC and ACE will continue to work together to promote diversity. Caroline says that she wants to have more educational events through cultural club and help ACE to grow.

Alexis O'Hara is running for Director of Student Programming. She is treasurer of Activities Commission. She is a junior accounting major. She is on the executive board and works with Jenny and several other executive members. She works with many other programmers as well. She has a good bond with the current and new members. She believes the chair role plays a support role and helps to make everything run smoothly. She believes that since she knows the way the budgets are she will be able to do a good job. Jenny asks about her programming experience. Alexis says that before she transferred here she was a general member of an AC. She wrote POs, did contracts, and other things. She has not done contract things here but has seen POs and check requests. Jenny asks for her involvement. Alexis has a 30 hour per week internship, three classes, Bhangra, and rugby. She believes time management is important. She only goes to Bhangra when she is completely needed. She knows her priority will be the position on AC so she will make sacrifices as necessary. Tushara asks what she would do to change the concert. Alexis says that she believes there is controversy because the students don't feel heard. She says she would work harder to get the message out and show poll results. She wants to lower backlash on campus and have the AC communicate things better.

Santiago is a junior Psychology major running for Director of Student Affairs. He says that Genesee gave him a family and he wants to give back by doing this job and help with the budget trip. He wants to do more ACE work. He's also the vice president of Alpha Chi Rho. He organizes meetings and programs community events. Bruno asks if he feels ready to organize things like the multicultural dinner and the film festival. He says that he is because he has organized things like the Deep Freeze. He knows to prepare by starting early. Max asks what qualities make him qualified. Santiago says that he is open, easy to talk to, and works well in groups. Olivia asks what his time commitments look like. He says that most of his coursework is done, there is not much left to do, and all he has is Alpha Chi Rho. Rob asks what his experience is with multicultural organizations. Santiago says that he wants to give back, he has worked with Fatima, and he will mix well and promote ideas.

Gina is a junior Psychology and Communication major. She believes she is a strong candidate because she is prepared for a significant time commitment. She is a GOLD mentor, goes to ACE meetings, is the SA rep of MiNT, and SA rep for CHA. Bruno asks what her involvements with ACE's work is and how she will prepare. She says that she organized international night through CHA, Shakti, and LSA. Her experience will help her organize events. She says she wants to continue promoting diversity. Jen asks what her other time commitments are. She says she is a GOLD mentor with small positions in APO and Delta Phi Epsilon. Rob asks about her experience with multicultural groups. She says that she organized a dinner, attends ACE meetings, and wants to spread ACE organizations so they are more diverse. Bruno asks if she feels ready to advocate for ACE with SA. She says that she would like to introduce ACE reps to SA and make them aware of how much help they can get from SA.

Carolyn is a sophomore chemistry major running for Director of Public Relations. She is looking for a way to promote all SA events and be a mouthpiece to students. She wants to talk more about the SUNY system and RCAP and other issues. She wants to help educate the population and be transparent. Riley asks for initiatives and ideas. Carolyn responds that she is focused on RCAP and mandatory student activity fees and making it well known as the key focus. Someone asks if she has any ideas for the referendum year. Carolyn responds that she wants to increase communication about the referendum and provide ways to explain it so everyone understands. She also wants people to understand where the activity fees go. Tushara asks about her design experience. Carolyn says that she took private art classes, and did computer design. She also wants to learn. She says she thinks it's important to have interactive displays. Jenny asks how she will demonstrate leadership in her committee. Carolyn responds that she is an IRC rep, a Girl Scout, on the board of APO, and a deacon, and is not unfamiliar with leading.

Nicolette is a sophomore business major. She has been an IRC rep for 2 years and has planned programs several times. She wants to promote doing what students want and help the executive board. She wants to avoid wasting time on pointless things. She has done design work, helped with The Lamron, and is familiar with doing design. Riley asks if she has any initiatives or ideas. Nicolette says that she would expand open forums, focus on sustainability by decreasing paper advertising. Marianne asks how she will communicate with students. Nicolette responds that she will have open forums, town hall meetings, and RA communication. She also feels connected to the students through her RA work. Jenny asks how she will educate people on the referendum. She says she will do promotion, tabling, education, and show people what it is and why it is so important.

Katie announces that David Ernst and Mary Toro could not attend.

**Adjournment** – 8:25 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Katherine Mannion  
Recording Secretary