



Washington University in St. Louis

SCHOOL OF LAW

Student Bar Association
Thursday, October 31, 2019

- Roll Call
- Consideration of an Agenda
- President's Report
- Officers' Reports
- Unfinished Business from Previous Meetings
- New Business and Consideration of Resolutions
 - Budget Amendment
 - Honor Code
- Announcements and Open Forum
- Adjournment

- Absences
 - Nancy
 - Sara
 - Ernest
 - Ryan Lundquist
 - Kim Springstead
 - Sara
- President
 - Trial – unanimously found guilty
 - We'll discuss substantive changes to the process – not the trial
- Priya
 - Sober contacts for public interest auction – strongly encouraged everyone sober contact once
- Franco
 - Arch Cup is next Friday - \$5 at school
 - Happy hour at ITAP with SLU following the game at 8 PM
 - Ask Professors if they want to play in the game → we need women
 - Start thinking of ideas to hang with the medical students
 - Potentially joint bar review – they've been invited to arch cup & PILA
- Eric
 - Community service event went well
 - Go Bob
 - We got the Ozark House for the entire week of Spring Break
 - People need to sign up for as many slots as they can – everyone should sign up for at least an hour
 - Buy your ticket
 - Awards for Professor Kim, Professor DelValle, and Carrie Burns

- Hopefully a lot of alumni will be there – alumni week
- Adam
 - Getting feedback from Halloween party
 - Food was an issue
 - If you hear things that aren't food, drink ticket, or venue related let Adam know
- Nico
 - Way more microwaves now
 - Email Nico with concerns
- Kenzie
 - Devin & Kenzie are going to work to put the funding guidelines in the bylaws
 - Kenzie and Eric will put community service guidelines in bylaws
 - Contingent upon meeting of Kat & Esam
- Amanda
 - Officially moving the closet over & combining with the existing closet on campus
 - Working on advertising the move
- Aerielle
 - Diversity week was a success
- John
 - Looking for law student involvement – specifically 1Ls in the Civil Rights Committee for ABA
- James
 - Adam and James are going to meet to write a letter
- Kat
 - Nothing
- Devin
 - Kyle & Erin meet to find a time to meet
 - Kat & Esam will be meeting to fix the funding guidelines

- Need more sign in sheets
- Wash U Legal Scholar Association
 - All JSD students
 - Main purpose – provide help to all Academy students
 - Get people interested in legal research – publication, writing, assistant professor
 - Join Harvard research fellowship
 - Help with networking
 - Motion to approve the JSD
 - They don't get much support from the school – work with them to see more structural change in the program
 - School recommended they apply under SBA
 - Need more resources to be scholars
 - Pay more attention to JDs
- Question about the “far east” and “middle east” committee member position for
 - Move to vote
 - All in favor
 - No one opposed
 - 1 abstention
- international law society budget addendum
 - professor talk with environmental law society
 - asking for \$100 (international)
 - motion to vote
 - seconded
 - no discussion
 - move to vote
 - no objections
 - 4 abstaining
- OUTLaw
 - Community service funding event to bring game night to Epworth Drop-in

- Donations were okay as long as they were in conjunction with an active service model
- Playing games with people and leaving the games there as a donation
- Motion to approve—seconded
 - No discussion
- Motion to vote
 - All in favor
 - 7 abstentions
 - motion passes
- ACS
 - Two events added
 - Cosponsor event with criminal law and CLF → different event?
 - Allocated the money already, just going to a different event
 - Motion to approve—seconded
 - 4 abstentions
 - motion passes
- ACS asking for voter registration training to bring food for community service event
 - Motion to deny seconded because don't allow for food
 - Discussion:
 - Training is for anyone, but voter registration thing is their community service event
 - Anyone can attend to train to register voters
 - Unclear how long training is (1-2 hours potentially)
 - Vote to deny:
 - For it –
 - Opposed to denying: 1
 - Abstaining – 2
 - Motion passes we have denied their request for food

- Honor Code questions for Dean Keuhn
 - Members are elected, so hard to figure out how to incorporate diversity on the investigative committee
 - Can provide guidance on the position
 - Can require something like a professor recommendation to be nominated for investigative committee
 - Problem now is too few people are running for the positions, get situations where someone writes their own name in and gets the position
 - Focus on increasing numbers to apply and when there are a lot of people running for the position, the electorate will do its job
 - Caution on involving faculty in the process of nominating students on investigative committee
 - Nobody wanted to take initiative on working to amend honor code appointments
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 - right to remain silent bit in the questions was explained
 - expanding the remit of the hearing panel to consider violations in Honor Code process/procedure was explained
 - khy will make the list more concise and reach out to Dean Keuhn to see his availability to come into the SBA meeting to discuss this matter
 - public vs. private hearings – what is the default?
 - Rumors that administration wants to never make the hearing public again
 - Proposed changes: request for a public or private trial
 - Overwhelming majority believes that it should be up to the accused to decide if it should be public or private

- Announcements:
 - ARCH CUP IS NEXT WEEK