**Information from SGA (to be included in minutes)**

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I am uncertain of whether these should be in a specific format or not. Please advise for future reports.

The following are highlights from the 61, 62, and 63rd SGA senate meetings that have taken place on the following dates and in the following spaces, respectively: **August 28th** - (Kennesaw) Social Sciences 1021

**September 11th** - (Kennesaw) Social Sciences 1021

**September 25th** - (Kennesaw) University Rooms B, C, D & E

In the 61st SGA meeting, the first of the semester, senators expressed concerns to President Whitten about lack of housing for international students and inordinately long waitlist. President Whitten said the plan is to eventually provide more housing and they are working through how to do so without too much increase in housing cost for students. The CDO, Dr. Carey-Butler, also addressed SGA and announced her plans to host lunches with students to get a sense of their experiences at KSU. The SGA Director of Academic Affairs, JJ Lopez, discussed plans to meet with all of the academic deans of all of the colleges across campuses. Those meetings, she reported, would also be attended by the SGA senators within those colleges. She also reported that she and her team are working on initiatives that will help to onboard students in light of recent changes to KSU 1101. During Open Forum, one senator reported that several students have been having issue with DUO, and that he was talking to UITS about addressing those issues.

In the 62nd SGA meeting, Director of Academic Affairs, JJ Lopez, is tasked with creating a team of senators who will serve as liaisons between faculty and students. The SGA President discussed the upcoming townhall, organized by SGA, to address student concerns about consolidating student organizations rooms on the second floor of the student center. He mentioned that CDO, Dr. Carey-Butler would be in attendance.  Many of these organizations serve specific student populations. In open forum, other senators urged participation and attendance for this forum.

In the 63rd SGA meeting, Director JJ Lopez, reported that she a few other senators expressed concern regarding faculty grade posting. The mentioned several students are frustrated that some faculty rarely post grades, and students are uncertain of their standing in classes. Director Lopez, suggested the need for faculty to post grades, expressly in D2L, so that students could easily check and track their grades. SGA President reported that many students are worried about the study abroad fee and its impact on study abroad efforts on campus. He mentioned that a resolution might be drafted at Faculty Senate concerning this issue.

These are the issues that seem to be most directly relevant to faculty.

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