



Campus Life



STUDENT FORUM MINUTES

April 25, 2005

Student Forum Minutes
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In attendance: McCabe, Selchick, Farrill, Alk, Lindenberg, Beach, Griffith, Paulino, Rivers, Feinstein, Goodman, LoPresti, Gulack, Salvatoriello, Thatcher, Muhammad, Aspis, Jones, Johndrow

Late: Bayot, Moyer
Absent: Palumbo, Sultaire, Williams

Officer Reports:
President McCabe:

- The swipe machine issue has been discussed with dining services.
 - The machines will be looked at this week and inspected to try and solve all problems.
 - The card swipe and laundry system are owned by two different companies, so individual problems are not as easy to fix.
 - Quarters are now available at Dutch.
- Barbara Taylor from the presidential search committee will be meeting with campus groups on Wednesday and Thursday.
- The presidential security committee will be meeting on Thursday.
 - This is a state mandated meeting in which all security issues will be reviewed such as lighting and the crime statistics on campus.

Student Trustee Selchick:

- Discussion over the Stillman Prize given to professors for excellent teaching.
- Discussion of the purchase of cups to promote upcoming elections.
 - The petitions for executive offices on Student Forum will be available Friday April 29th.
- The "U Are Union" campaign will kick off this Wednesday for the Capital District and in Washington D.C. on Sunday.
 - A video showing faculty, staff, alumni, and students will be shown as part of the campaign.

Administration Farrill:

- The Student Conduct Committee vacancies have been filled.
- Applications for the various Committees are available in the Student Activities Office.
- The Committee on Committees will be meeting on Thursday at 12:30

Finance Lindenberg:

- Budget Proposals are available for all clubs to fill out for funding for next year.
 - The proposals are located in the Student Activities Office and in each club's mailbox.

Academics Alk:

- Discussion over having all first year students sign a notice on plagiarism.
- Continued discussion over the general education requirements but no changes have been voted on yet.

Campus Life Beach:

- Fashion Show fundraisers to support C.O.C.O.A. house are in effect such as selling bracelets, model sponsorships, and raffles.
- Campus wide e-mails go out every Tuesday, so any event that needs to be advertised to the campus community must be sent to Noelle by Monday night at beachn@union.edu

Multicultural Affairs Bayot:

- Discussion over the Multi Cultural Committee.
 - The committee will serve to take a closer look and evaluate the multicultural clubs on campus.
 - The job description of this committee is still in the works.

IFC Moyer:

- Greek Week is being held April 25-29 and the events are listed in the Concordy and around campus.
- The John Frederick band will be playing on Friday evening.

Panhel Griffith:

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THC Paulino:

- Discussion of the budget for spring term and possibility of getting more money from SEG or IEG.

SAC Gulack:

- Nothing to Report.

Class of 2005: Palumbo:

- Nothing to Report.

Class of 2006: Sultaire:

- Planning on an event to use their class funds.

Class of 2007: Gulack:

- Nothing to Report.

Class of 2008: Muhammad:

- Planning on an event to use their class funds.
- Discussion over using card swipes at local restaurants.

Matt Milless & Sasha LoPresti:

- Discussion over Spring Fest and the need to make the event safer.
 - Problems with students and alcohol and the possibility of having a "no container" policy.
 - Campus Security will be increased for the weekend, and possibility of having Schenectady Police Department present.
 - Discussion of pros and cons to having a snow fence in place to monitor students at the event
 - Once all the regulations are decided upon, they will be posted for students to see.

Motion to adjourn forum meeting made by Muhammad.
Motion was seconded by Aspis.

Minutes recorded by Derek Johndrow

INCIDENT REPORT

4/17/05 thru 4/23/05

Date/Time	Nature of Incident	Location
4/10/05		
12:39a	Vandalism-college property	Facilities Lot
1:35a	Trespass-Three adults-non students arrested	Jackson Gardens
2:24a	Assault-conduct charge-one student	Davidson House
2:35a	Alcohol Policy Violation	Chi Psi
9:41a	Vandalism-college property	West College
10:00a	Vandalism-college property	Fox House
10:00a	Vandalism-college property	Fero House
	Conduct charge-one student	Fero House
4/18/05		
3:30p	Burglary	Richmond House
4:22p	Theft-personal property	Reamer Center
6:44p	Vandalism-college property	Whipple Bridge
4/19/05		
1:19a	Fire Alarm-cooking-Fire Dept. responded	Seward Place
7:15a	Vandalism-college property	North College
8:00a	Vandalism-college property	Fero House
3:45p	Fire Alarm-cooking-Fire Dept. responded	Seward Place
	Conduct charge-one student	Seward Place
5:16p	Fire Alarm-curling iron-Fire Dept. responded	West College
4/20/05		
12:02a	Noxious Odor	Richmond House
9:06a	Vandalism-college property	College Park Hall
9:48p	Substance Abuse-alcohol	Davidson
	Conduct charge-one student	Davidson
4/21/05		
1:15a	Substance Abuse-alcohol	Fox House
	Conduct charge-one student	Fox House
2:00a	Theft college property	Davidson
10:26a	Vandalism-college property	Davidson
4/22/05		
7:00a	Vandalism-college property	Davidson
4:18p	Fire Alarm-smoking-Fire Dept. responded	Fero House
5:46p	Fire Alarm-smoking-Fire Dept. responded	Davidson
	Conduct charge-one student	Davidson
4/23/05		
12:53a	Vandalism-college property	Wold House
	Conduct charge-two students	Wold House
12:49a	Alcohol Policy Violation	Sigma Chi
	Conduct charge-one student	Sigma Chi
12:54a	Substance Abuse-alcohol	Nott Street
	Conduct charge-one student	Nott Street
1:52a	Substance Abuse-alcohol	Theta Delta Chi
	Conduct charge-one student	Theta Delta Chi
10:50a	Vandalism-college property	West College
1:45p	Vandalism-college property	Reamer Center
5:48p	Fire Alarm-cooking-Fire Dept. responded	South College
	Conduct charge-one student	South College
8:30p	Fire Alarm-cooking-Fire Dept. responded	Beuth House
	Conduct charge-one student	Beuth House
11:17p	Fire Alarm-fire extinguisher set off	Davidson House
	Fire Dept. responded	Davidson House

Interested in investigating some of these security incidents? We are ALWAYS looking for writers ...

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Campus Announcements

INTERNAL EDUCATION FOUNDATION

The deadline for proposals for the Internal Education Foundation in two categories – student-initiated research projects and “educationally innovative projects” – is Thursday, May 5, 2005.

Proposals for student-initiated research projects must have the written approval of a faculty advisor who has agreed to supervise the project. The proposals should be submitted to the Dean for Undergraduate Education (Science & Engineering, S-100) on forms available there, or on the web at <http://www.union.edu/Academics/AcademicAffairs>.

Similarly, members of the College community who have “educationally innovative” proposals should submit them to the Dean of Arts & Sciences (Science & Engineering, S-100) on forms available there, or on the web at <http://www.union.edu/Academics/AcademicAffairs>.

Questions concerning student-initiated research projects should be directed to Dean Rosenthal’s office; questions concerning “educationally innovative projects” should be directed to Dean Borst’s office. Transportation costs should also reflect the best rates available. Students who are planning to do interviews must indicate that arrangements have already been made. If your research includes work with human subjects, then the proposal must have preliminary approval from the Human Subjects Research Committee before it can be funded by the Subcouncil on Undergraduate Research.

FACULTY RESEARCH FUND HUMANITIES DEVELOPMENT FUND

The Research and Grants Committee is now soliciting proposals for faculty research and scholarship activities. Applications and guidelines are available in Dean Borst’s office (Science & Engineering, S-100) or on the web at <http://www.union.edu/Academics/AcademicAffairs>. The deadline for submission of proposals is Thursday, May 5, 2005.

Questions concerning the Faculty Research Fund or the Humanities Development Fund should be directed to Dean Borst. Transportation should also reflect the best rates available.

If your research includes work with human subjects, then the proposals must have preliminary approval from the Human Subjects Research Committee before it can be funded by the Research and Grants Committee.

Greek Week’s Remaining Schedule

Thursday, April 28 in front of Reamer
Meet the brothers of Iota Phi Theta as they put on a unique production

Friday, April 29
Enjoy the sunshine as you wander from house to house between 6pm-8pm
Take a break for dinner between 5 and 7:30 outside by the Nott
Then listen to the John Frederick Band from 7:30 till 9

Saturday, April 30 @ 10PM @ the Ramada Ball Room
The Greek FORMAL is back. Join us for Beer and Wine, with music provided by DJ R

Don't forget to sign up for Relay for Life!

Save the date!

Nott Memorial @ Union College
Friday May 20, 2005



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| Apr. 28: | Resume/Cover Letter 01 | 12:00-12:30 pm, Becker CC |
| | What's the best way to begin? | |
| Apr. 28: | U Search-Internships | 1:00-1:30 pm, Becker CC |
| | How do I use the Career Center's resources to find internships? | |
| May 2: | U Network | 4:00-4:30 pm, Becker CC |
| | Who, what, when, where and how to network... | |
| May 2: | Resume/Cover Letter 01 | 5:00-5:30 pm, Becker CC |
| May 2: | Career Assistant Information Session | 5:00-5:30 pm, Becker CC |
| | Looking for a great on-campus job next year? Come learn more about how to become part of the Becker team! | |
| May 3: | West Outreach Table | 12:00-1:00 pm, West Dining Hall |
| | Stop by our table to pick up information or ask a question! | |
| May 3: | U Search-Jobs | 4:00-4:30 pm, Becker CC |
| | How do I use the Career Center's resources to find jobs? | |
| May 3: | Resume/Cover Letter 01 | 5:00-5:30 pm, Becker CC |
| May 3: | Career Assistant Information Session | 5:00-5:30 pm, Becker CC |
| May 4: | Resume/Cover Letter 01 | 12:30-1:00 pm, Becker CC |
| May 4: | Careers in Finance: Breaking & Entering | 12:30 pm, Becker CC |
| May 4: | U Search-Internships | 1:00-1:30 pm, Becker CC |
| | How do I use the Career Center's resources to find internships? | |
| May 5: | Resume/Cover Letter 01 | 12:00-12:30 pm, Becker CC |
| May 5: | U Interview | 1:00-2:00 pm, Becker CC |
| | How do I best prepare for an interview? | |
| May 5: | Career Assistant Information Session | 1:00-1:30 pm, Becker CC |
| May 5: | Applying to law school-an introduction | 4:00 pm, Becker CC |
| | A program for current juniors considering law school by Prof. Weiner... | |

Careers in Finance: Breaking and Entering

Come learn unique strategies for breaking in to finance careers. Most of the information comes directly from employers, recruiters, and alumni in the field, and will cover planning for a career in finance, exploring career options, and preparing for the internship and job search. *A MUST FOR JUNIORS PLANNING TO PURSUE A CAREER IN FINANCE UPON GRADUATION.

May 4 at 12:30 pm in Becker 212.

The Becker Career Center is accepting applications for 2005-2006 Career Assistants! This is an excellent work experience to add to your resume! Candidates must have good interpersonal and teamwork skills, a strong work ethic and should enjoy helping fellow students. Computer skills and a sense of humor are a plus!! Applications are available at the Becker Career Center.