

Senator Reports January 2021

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Hello Highlanders:

Below you will find the information pertaining to the works of the various Senators within ASUCR for the month of **January 2021.**

This report was finalized on Monday, February 1th 2021 @ 5:00 PM.

All Senators were contacted to submit their reports with adequate time. Any report column that states "Failed to Report" means that the Senator failed to report by the appropriate deadline or did not submit a report.

If you have any questions, please contact <u>asucrcommittees@ucr.edu</u>.

Best Regards,

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College of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences (CHASS)

Name	Report
Orlando Cabalo President Pro Tempore asucrprotempore@ucr.edu	I. Legislation (All Passed) A. SR-W21-001 Protocol to Report Discrimination on Campus 1. (Co-Author) B. SB-W21-001 Process for the Suspension of ASUCR Committees 1. (Sponsor) C. SB-W21-003 Chapter V RSO Budget Exception 1. (Sponsor) D. SR-W21-006 Resolution Regarding Non-Traditional Student Housing Needs 1. (Co-Author) E. SB-W21-004 Amending Chapter XVII: The Parliamentarian 1. (Sponsor) II. Committee Assignments A. Legislative Review Committee 1. Brief Summary: a) The LRC has been hard at work over the past month, ultimately reviewing 11 pieces of legislation. The LRC tabled 3 pieces of legislation and passed all other items. B. Student-Parent Ad Hoc Committee 1. Brief Summary: a) In the Student Parent AdHoc committee, we met to discuss further the prospect of getting additional funding for basic needs, in order to send it to those communities. Additionally, we crafted and passed a resolution in order to advocate for securing additional non-traditional student housing. III. Administrative Work A. Meeting with CALPIRG 1. Brief Summary: a) Plan to meet with CALPIRG Representatives in order to discuss possible legislation. B. Meeting with Student Labor Groups 1. Brief Summary: a) Met with a group of student-workers in order to discuss and learn about issues workers are currently facing. C. EVP Office Meeting 1. Brief Summary: a) Met with the Office of the Executive Vice President, in order to hammer out legislation which would protect the Parliamentarian from politically motivated actions. D. ERFAS Constitutional Amendment Meetings 1. Brief Summary:
	 a) Worked with senators in order to find a compromise on a piece of legislation. Then met with the Judicial Council in order to finalize the legislation.
Alyssa Marchan amarc012@ucr.edu	I. Legislation A. SR-W21-006 Resolution Regarding Non-Traditional Student Housing Needs II. Committee Assignments A. Legislative Review Committee (VC) 1. Brief Summary: a) The Legislative Review Committee has been finding ourselves having more

debated conversations. It has allowed us all to truly speak our minds and set forth legislation for the Senate to vote on. We passed eight pieces of legislation and tabled two this month.

B. Diversity Council (VC)

1. Brief Summary:

a) The bulk of our meetings focused on the revocation of UCR as a Hispanic Serving Institution due to administrative clerical error. We have discussed during meetings and working hours weekly, drafting a letter and petition, in support of Internal Affairs. We spoke about the BLM Donation, hosting an event Wellness Drive, and giving consistent community updates.

C. Student-Parent Ad Hoc Committee

1. Brief Summary:

a) The committee created and passed SR-W21-006. I set up a meeting with Zuleika Bravo and attended with Yvonne Marquez, the student-parent assistant at the WRC and member for this committee. Zuleika is the UCLA Transfer Representative for their student government, and has done extensive advocacy work surrounding student-parent issues. We got to brainstorm different ideas and gain great resources to begin working on our own work for raising awareness and creating change within UCR.

D. Additional Committee Standings:

1. HUB Governing Board, CHASS Dean Search Advisory Committee, Lobby Corps, Commencement Committee, and STEM HS

III. Administrative Work

A. Ethnic/Gender Offices

1. Brief Summary:

a) We have yet to hear back from Chicano Student Programs after sending multiple emails. We understand that the time we find ourselves in is difficult for communication and hope all is well. As for Undocumented Student Programs, I contacted the Poder organization through social media and email. They replied on January 28th and we are in the works of setting up a meeting to create that connection between our offices.

B. Town Halls

1. Brief Summary:

a) I have attended several town halls throughout the quarter, and was able to speak at the townhall for Oban Family housing. I presented the resolution brought forth by student-parents, and shared it with the residential housing directors. This is a step in trying to build a coalition and circulate information that administration tends to overlook, and we hope to continue moving forward with these conversations. They have followed up with me via email.

C. Highlights

1. Brief Summary:

a) I am currently working on a speech for Latino Union as I was invited to be a guest speaker for their upcoming meeting on February 5th. I was also invited to be interviewed by Laura Anaya-Morga from the Highlander Newspaper regarding SR-W21-006. I am continuing to reach out and have meetings with

UC parenting student associations as well. Lastly, I'm happy with the features through the election committee's marketing materials!

IV. Other

A. Senate Intern - Helen Chu

1. Brief Summary:

a) We have had two meetings this quarter. I created a powerpoint presentation to better understand the roles and responsibilities within ASUCR, as well as the Senate Intern program. Senate Intern Presentation 2021 b) Helen created a piece of legislation that I was able to look over and clarify details with Director Sinclair before its passing, and I'm proud of her for getting that done! B. My Reports (2020-2021) 1. CHASS Senator Marchan Reports I. Legislation Christopher Kent A. Financial Aid Office Accountability Act ckent004@ucr.edu B. Equal Representation for all Students II. Committee Assignments A. Legislative Review 1. Brief Summary: a) Weekly meetings dedicated to reviewing legislation for the Senate, discussing objectives, and voting on whether to move to the floor. B. Civic Engagement 1. Brief Summary: a) Only was able to attend the Week 2 meeting because the senate the meeting went overtime week 3. Starting to implement other civic engagement measures besides voter registration. III. Administrative Work A. CHASS Town Hall 1. Brief Summary: a) Organizing Quarterly Town Hall with other senators. Meeting with CHASS Dean this friday. B. Meeting with Transfer / Non-Traditional Director Hall 1. Brief Summary: a) Met with Director Hall with my senate intern last monday. Was able to gain the support of the TNT committee on our bill. IV. Events A. CHASS Town Hall 1. Brief Summary: a) Scheduled for February 1, 5:00pm-6:30pm, special guest Dean McMullin, Moderated Q&A session. Students that fill out end of an event survey will be entered to win gift cards! V. Other A. Senator Reports I. Legislation David An A. SR-W21-006 Resolution Regarding Non-Traditional Student Housing Needs jan039@ucr.edu B. Working with President Pro-Tempore Cabalo and Senator Kent to pass the Equal Representation for all Students Amendment where a waiver will be created for student leader who fall below the GPA requirement, II. Committee Assignments A. Labor Commision Town Hall 1. On Friday the 29th labor commission will be holding a town hall regarding COVID-19 support in the labor sector. Presentations and discussion about what resources are set in place for workers and employees will be presented. B. Meeting with Native American Student Association

1. The CHASS senators finally got to set up a meeting with the Native American Student Association on February 4th to discuss what we as senators can support the program. This will be our first time having contact with NASP

III. Administrative Work

- A. 1 on 1 with EVP Hernandez.
 - 1. Met with EVP Hernandez for the second 1 on 1 of the year. We discussed upcoming events, goals and ideas for legislation.

IV. Events

- A. CHASS Town Hall
 - 1. Brief Summary: The CHASS senators have met multiples times and finally set up the town hall for February 1st through zoom. We plan to give out 25 gift cards to increase student participation. I created a survey for the students who stayed the entire session for the gift card allocation.

V. Other

- A. Senate Intern
 - 1. Held 2 zoom meetings with my Senate Intern Jaylin to discuss further legislation and committee assignments. Will be drafting a piece of legislation in the following weeks primarily led by the intern's ideas.
- B. Weekly Reports
 - -Report 1/6/2021
 - -Report 1/13/2021
 - -Report 1/20/2021
 - -Report 1/27/2021

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LATE SUBMISSION

I. Legislation

- A. Gender Recognition, Lived Name, and Pronouns Training
- B. Inclusive Language Training at UCR

- A. CHASS Executive Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) CHASS Executive Committee has continued to meet once a month to discuss not only CHASS budget cuts but also the incorporation of new minors and majors to the college. Also while attending these committee meetings have allowed for the drafting of legislation. At the moment large topics are to remain confidential based on a signed agreement with the committee but will have
 - some reflection in my upcoming legislation with various other senators.
- B. Transfer/Non-Traditional Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) The Transfer/Non-Traditional (TNT) committee has fully been established with multiple roles of leadership under the supervision of Director Kaityln Hall. Currently, the committee has been focused on a social/mixer that will be hosted in the first week of February. Conversations have been led also by the involvement of the committee in helping advocate for student parents on their strive for equitable housing opportunities. As we move forward as a committee we will continue to focus on the resources we want to transfer and

non-traditional students to be aware of, while also expanding our outreach to as many TNT students.

C. Legislative Review Committee

1. Brief Summary:

a) The legislative review committee has continued to analyze various pieces of legislation in depth. The committee now meets on Mondays at 12:00 PM and discusses the content of a bill or resolution. As we move forward, we encourage senators and students to submit pieces of legislation prior to the last week the

LRC will meet. It just helps ensure all articles of legislation are looked at and passed or tabled on time.

III. Administrative Work

A. One-on-One with EVP Hernandez

1. Brief Summary:

a) During our one-on-one, EVP Hernandez and I discussed my goals for the Winter quarter. Some of which revolved around incorporating more initiatives to Juanlovesucr and helping grow the platform. Based on this, I am fueled to write legislation and also contribute as much as I can to continue to connect with the student body!

B. CALPIRG x ASUCR

1. Brief Summary:

a) In collaboration with CALPIRG, I attended their kickoff this past month that had a large number of UC Riverside students present. In the hope to work with CALPIRG, Senator Lui and I have met Ori Liwanag to discuss legislation ideas. A new piece of legislation will be drafted in the coming weeks to support and aid CALPIRG with all its initiatives this quarter.

C. School of Business x ASUCR

1. Brief Summary:

a) After hearing about an issue that arose in the CHASS Executive committee, I approached the dean of the School of Business and had a fruitful discussion on how to be more acquainted as two large entities. We will be drafting legislation to support them in a new initiative they will be taking, seeking the vote of the academic senate on Feb 23. I am thankful to Senator Aguiar and Senator Assaf for contributing to legislation and growing our relationship with the school.

IV. Other

A. Senate Intern

1. Brief Summary:

a) I have met with my senate intern this month to discuss our goals for the quarter. Likewise, Lina Chavez is a very dedicated individual and is ready to learn what it takes to be a senator. Lina and I will continue to grow juanlovesucr and create new initiatives to keep that close connection with the student body.

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I. Legislation

A. Financial Aid Office Accountability Act

- A. Academic Affairs Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - The academic affairs committee has been hosting weekly events lead by each committee member. My event will be a presentation about the LSAT, MCAT, GRE, GMAT and will be hosted during week 8.
- B. Personnel Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - The personnel committee has had two meetings this quarter that have gone successfully.

III. Administrative Work

- A. Senator One-on-One with EVP Hernandez
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - Met with EVP Hernandez to discuss goals for the winter quarter. My second one-on-one is scheduled for February 9th at 9:00 AM.

IV. Events

- A. CHASS Town Hall
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - Scheduled for Monday of Week 5. Dean McMullin will be there. We will be having another town hall during the spring quarter, which I will be more involved with than this one.

V. Other

- A. Senate Intern
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - I had my first meeting of the winter quarter with my senator intern, Hana Roble. I will be meeting with her again next week to discuss legislation ideas and ASUCR meeting attendance.
- B. Weekly Reports
 - 1. Week 1
 - 2. Week 2
 - 3. Week 3
 - 4. Week 4

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I. Legislation

- A. SR-W21-001 Protocol to Report Discrimination on Campus (Primary)
- B. <u>SR-W21-004 Proposition to Include Internships as a Part of Achieving a Position on the Dean's Honor List (Primary)</u>
- C. <u>SR-W21-003 Proposition to Give Students a Choice in Deciding Between S/NC</u> & Letter Grade Grading Basis for Internships (Primary)
- D. <u>SR-W21-006 Resolution Regarding Non-Traditional Student Housing Needs</u> (Secondary)

- A. Committee on Educational Policy
 - 1. Discussed the implementation of a few online resources to facilitate remote education.
- B. Academic Affairs

- 1. We discussed plans for the winter quarter and organized a list of events that each committee member will be hosting. I will be hosting an event that explains the main components of a few graduate school applications. We also discussed legislation ideas in regards to remote education and inclusive language training for professors.
- 2. I have been working with the Academic Affairs Committee to host an event regarding graduate school preparation. I will be co-hosting the event with members from the ARC, HPAC, and other campus entities.

C Personnel

1. Sent out reminders in regards to submitting their monthly reports to my assigned contacts

III. Administrative Work

- A. Implementation of Legislation
 - 1. During the week before winter break, I contacted the individuals I listed in the CC section for each of the legislation that I helped make to ensure that the pieces of legislation were being viewed and taken into consideration for support and implementation. After the last senate meeting of the fall quarter, I also contacted my senate intern and gave him a list of tasks to complete during the winter break.
 - 2. I contacted the Academic Senate and college deans to present the Anti-discrimination legislation that I created last quarter. Once they respond, I will contact the Ethnic and Gender programs to continue with the process.
 - 3. I am currently planning to work on legislation with a couple of senators and the School of Business to bridge the gap between ASUCR and SOB.

IV. Ethnic and Gender Programs

A MESC

- 1. During winter break, I met with the MESC senators and MESC student staff to draft a resolution that explains the protocol for reporting various forms of discrimination on campus. After the legislation passed, we discussed the next steps towards implementing the legislation that describes the protocol for reporting discrimination on campus
- 2. The MESC Senators and I are currently working with the MESC to host a workshop on creating legislation.

B ASP

- 1. had a meeting with ASP's director Dr. Myrick, in which we discussed updates with legislation, potential collaborations with ASUCR, and his student staff's concerns in regards to the BLM funds
- 2. ASP senators are working on sponsoring an event for ASP

V. Other

- A. Had a meeting with Senators Morales and Aguire to discuss plans for the SOB and ASUCR. We are hoping to host a town hall for the SOB along with their dean and ambassadors.
- B. The CHASS Senators and I are preparing to have our first town hall next week (2/1/2021)
- C. My senate intern and I will be designing a survey for business students to create transparency between the SOB and CHASS.

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I. Legislation

- A. SB-F20-009 Adding Budget to Chapter XLVII Student Voice Committee
- B. SB-F20-006 Stipends and Regulations Bylaw Change
- C. SR-F20-003 Make Voting Day a School Holiday

- A. Finance Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) The Finance Committee has been such a great experience so far! One recent

change that affected our committee was that a handful of Senators recently advocated for an up to 25% allocation for organizations to use this limit towards giveaway incentives. Given the harsh times organizations are facing right now, this will greatly help out organizations when they come for help while we assist

them in their budgets as many ask for compensation towards funding giveaways.

B. Diversity Council

1. Brief Summary:

a) Diversity Council meets every other week with the rest of the members. During our meetings, it consists mainly of discussing ongoing issues that our members or their peers have heard is going on or are going through. One of the biggest discussion concerns we had this quarter was the BLM funding that seemed to be quite controversial with ASUCR and the BSU organization. We plan on hosting a TownHall in the upcoming weeks which should be very engaging as this committee can greatly relate to so many students here at the university.

III. Administrative Work

A. Covid-19 Potential Legislation

1. Brief Summary:

a) Given the harsh life conditions the covid pandemic has brought to communities all around the world, I am working on a legislation that will academically support students who test positive for Covid-19. As the symptoms for people can range from being very minimal to the almost extreme, I want students who do undergo this virus to be assured that the school is willing to support their well-being. I have been conducting research on the web and see

what other schools have been doing for their students. I am confident that this legislation will reassure students that ASUCR is here for them and for their academic success.

B. SOBA x ASUCR

1. Brief Summary:

a) The past winter quarter, I have been working very closely with Senator Morales and Senator Assaf to build a connection between the School of Business Administration and ASUCR. Given that there is currently no representation from this department in ASUCR, we aim to build a connection with the Dean and open up the possibility of promoting a Senator for this school department. We have met with the Dean previously and have been conducting

on-going research with Business students and also through the web regarding how other business schools handle their prerequisites.

IV. Events

A. ASUCR Town Hall

1. Brief Summary:

a) One of my main administrative works this quarter is collaborating with a handful of the other CHASS Senators to host our very first Town Hall. I am currently in charge of getting the gift cards approved through the Senate and the Finance committee while also creating the presentation survey with Senator An. We aim to use gift card incentives to encourage students to come out next

Monday and give us informational feedback on what they want the ASUCR to improve for their school department.

V. Other

A. Intern

1. Brief Summary:

a) My intern Sam Habibi has been doing an exceptional job working alongside me. I have assigned him small tasks like attending the SOBA Dean presentation in my place due to me being unable to attend. He took a handful of notes for me and made sure to ask questions I was curious about from the Dean. I plan on having him assist me with my upcoming legislation work as I feel he would be

a great contribution to the projects.

- B. Weekly Reports
 - 1. Week 1
 - 2. Week 2
 - 3. Week 3
 - 4. Week 4

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I. <u>Legislation</u>

A. SR-W21 "Protocol to Report Discrimination on Campus"

II. Committee Assignments

- A. Basic Needs Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) Currently, I am sitting in on weekly committee meetings, particularly discussing the development of a project regarding a mental health podcast.
 - b) Have been lending my assistance to the committee's efforts regarding the aforementioned project as well as other activities relating to the subject of mental health at UCR.
 - c) Posters and flyers geared toward promoting the mental health podcast (*R' Stories*) have been created. The committee simultaneously has begun putting together the podcast by reaching out to potential speakers.
- B. Lobby Corps Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) The committee and its leadership continue to focus on educating members on details regarding the function of California's government and how to advocate for student issues within state/local government.
 - b) Members have also been informed about the governmental calendar for 2021 which includes key dates that will help guide the committee's overarching purpose of advocating for student issues.
 - c) The committee and its leadership are consistent with making members aware of opportunities in which they can get involved.

III. Administrative Work

- A. Senator 1-1 with EVP Hernandez
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) Summarized completed work with the EVP. Discussed briefly my intention to continue work regarding <u>ASUCR in Support of a Midterm Teacher Evaluation Survey</u>, particularly, focusing on bringing the stipulations of the resolution to fruition.
 - b) Also spoke to the EVP about focusing on assisting my Senate mentee and fellow Senators with their projects.

B. MI	SCC
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1.	a) Program members, in tandem with fellow senators and I, made it
	possible to pass SR-W21 "Protocol to Report Discrimination on
	Campus"
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	b) The program seeks to further the implementation of <u>SR-W21</u> .
	Fellow senators and I will continue lending our support regarding
CNA	this objective in any way possible.
C. NA	
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	a) Currently, not much collaboration has taken place with NASP this
	time due to internal reorganization. Looking forward to working
	with NASP more frequently in the future.
IV. Other	
	nate Intern
1.	Brief Summary:
	a) Currently meeting with Senate Intern Togrul Savalan weekly.
	b) Set up a meeting with VP of External Affairs Vincent Rasso and
	Senate Intern Togrul Savalan to establish dialogue and collaboration
	relating to the university's effort to bring students and faculty back
	to campus.
	c) I will be assisting Togrul in writing a resolution dealing with UCR's
	return to campus this fall.
B. W	eekly Reports
1.	Week 1
2.	Week 2
3.	Week 3
4.	Week 4

College of Natural Agricultural and Sciences (CNAS)

Name	Report
Barry Liu zliu@ucr.edu	I. Legislation A. Working on legislation right now, but not published yet. II. Committee Assignments A. International Student Committee 1. Brief Summary: a) Our main focus this quarter is planning our speaker event which will happen at the end of this quarter or next quarter. This event is focused on assisting international students to navigate online learning, especially in a different country/time zone. Also, we have been working on drafting an email template that international students can send to their professors to request them to record lectures and make live participation non-mandatory since many of them live in different time zones, and contacting their professors can be a daunting task to them. B. GCAP 1. Brief Summary:

a) This quarter we have been approving and voting on green grants to grant to students. Our main focus of this quarter has been the large scale initiative grants. We granted \$30,000 to fund an industrial size, chipper/mulcher that will allow UCR to repurpose and recycle all of our green waste and mitigate the need to buy fertilizer ever again. Our second large-scale initiative is still in the process of

approval and it is to replace all of UCR's single-use to-go containers with reusable, washable containers. It is a large project that will change the landscape of how UCR does to-go dining in the future, reducing lots of unnecessary waste. This project will need \$30,000 from GCAP, but it is still in the works.

III. Administrative Work

- A. CNAS Town Hall Working Group
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) The CNAS Senators and I have been in contact with the CNAS Dean and we have planned a time to hold our Town Hall Meeting which will be on Thursday, February 11. We have been reaching out to students, planning giveaways, and creating flyers to maximize attendance so students can voice their opinions, concerns, and questions.
- B. Senator 1-1 with EVP Hernandez
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) EVP Hernandez and I met before the start of the Winter quarter to discuss our work of the fall quarter, our goals for this next quarter, and any help and any of us would need.
- C. Meeting with CALPIRG
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) CHASS Senator Morales and I met with two representatives from CALPIRG to discuss a future collaboration that would benefit our school environmentally. We are looking to help CALPIRG with their two environmental initiatives which are: 1) 100% renewable energy at UCR and 2) Zero carbon emission by 2030. We are looking to write legislation to get this movement set on paper, and we are looking to amplify their voices and let the student body, deans, and chancellors know about their initiatives so we have everyone on board.

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I. Legislation

A. N/A

- A. International Student Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) We are planning to hold a new Tik Tok event to talk about mental health and racial prejudice that international students are planning to overcome to achieve their goals
- B. Student Health Committee (SHAC)
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) The Highlander Pride Committee has been put on hold as there are not enough members to continue its work. Therefore, I am now sitting in a new committee (SHAC). We would be having our first meeting on February 05, 2021

III. Administrative Work

- A. Women Resource Center
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) We are having a meeting weekly to talk about women issues and their struggles. We are trying to get the fraternities to go through the sexual consent training and help spread awareness, understanding and prevention of sexual assault
- B. Native American Student Program:
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) We are planning to have a meeting this quarter sometime next month

IV. Events

- A. Town Hall (CNAS Senators)
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) CNAS senators are planning to hold a town hall meeting on Thursday, February 11 to communicate with students in the college and answer any questions about their concerns

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I. Legislation

- A. Resolution Regarding Non-Traditional Student Housing Needs (secondary author)
- B. Amendments to the Recall Process (secondary author)
- C. <u>Amending the Amendment Process</u> (secondary author)

II. Committee Assignments

- A. Marketing Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) The Marketing committee is currently working on a few projects to highlight UCR students in spotlight posts on the ASUCR instagram and will be working with the botanical gardens at UCR to showcase their hard work
- B. Women's Rights and Equity Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) Recently met with them to discuss future projects for this year. We will be meeting with the WRC to discuss possible collaborations and introduce ourselves to them. We have many projects we would like to work on and one being the maintaining of campus safety for the students who live on campus currently.

II. Administrative Work

- A. CNAS Senator Town Hall Working Group
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) The CNAS Senators and I have met to discuss how we will plan and conduct the CNAS town hall meeting and have invited the Dean to the town hall so she might be able to answer any questions the students may have. We have set a time and date for Feb. 11, 2021 at 11:00 AM.
- B. CNAS Executive Board
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) CNAS Senator Sancheti and I have had about two meetings with the CNAS Executive Board to discuss student issues directly and how to

combat these problems. We were able to hear a little about their work and any updates they had for us.

V. Events

- A. Defense Against Assault Event with WRC
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) Unfortunately due to the lack of response from the defense instructor we are postponing this event to hopefully spring quarter. THe WRC has been helping me find alternatives for another instructor and anything we can do to get this event on a roll.

V. Other

- A. Weekly Reports
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) Jan. 5, 2021
 - b) Jan. 12, 2021
 - c) Jan. 19, 2021
 - d) Jan. 26, 2021

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I. Legislation

A. N/A

II. Committee Assignments

- A. Legislative Review Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) Throughout January, we have been meeting weekly on Monday afternoons to discuss legislation, constitutional amendments, and resolutions that people in and out of ASUCR submit to the committee.
- B. Women's Rights and Gender Equity Committee
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) This committee is beginning to get started with finalized ratifications of both the Chair and Vice-Chair and is currently planning to meet weekly on Tuesday evenings. They're all currently trying to collaborate with the WRC and advertising the committee via Instagram.

III. Administrative Work

- A. African Student Program
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) The senators representing ASP have been meeting with Dr. Jamal Myrick and his student team biweekly to discuss legislation initiatives, the BLM allocation, events that ASP hosts, as well as answering and clarifying any questions his staff has. We're currently working on a resolution regarding the exposure of a

Black studies department on campus.

- B. Native American Student Program
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) The senators representing NASP and I have tried to reach out to the directors and staff of NASP in Costo Hall a few times via email during the fall quarter and the beginning of winter. As a result, one person has finally reached out in which we created a when2meet to move forward with meeting the director and students in the program.
- C. Meet the Senators

1. Brief Summary:

a) EVP Hernandez and her office are hosting a Meet the Senators event in which students are able to ask questions, get to know their government, and voice their opinions. All senators will also give a short report of what they have been working on and what their plans are moving forward

IV. Events

A. ARC x ASUCR Webinar

1. Brief Summary:

a) I have been currently in contact with the ARC to collaborate on a future webinar with their office taking place on Friday, February 12 from 2 to 3 pm. I have invited staff members of the ARC to come to speak about employment opportunities, different resources the ARC provides such as tutoring and supplemental instruction, as well as additional information for transfer students. I am also planning to raffle off six (6) \$25 Amazon gift cards to participants of the webinar.

B. CNAS Townhall

1. Brief Summary:

a) The CNAS Senators and I are so excited to announce that we will be hosting our first town hall on Thursday, February 11th at 11 am. We're inviting CNAS Dean Kathryn Ulrich as well as the executive cabinet of ASUCR to answer questions and discuss concerns and uprising issues that CNAS students face. On top of this, we will be raffling off 10 gift cards!

V. Other

A. Senate Intern

1. Brief Summary:

a) I've been in frequent contact with my Senate intern, Kali Krishnan. She has mostly been working alongside VP Sustainability Gomez-Alvarado and her office to gain more exposure to environmental and "regulatory" issues. They have been currently working on grants and initiatives to go green. Kali has also been invited to all of the committee and Costo Hall program meetings that I attend. We're also in the process of writing legislation to fulfill the tasks written in the bylaws.

B. Weekly Senate Reports

1. Brief Summary:

a) Each week, I submit a senate report to EVP Hernandez for the Senate meetings about everything I've been working on and my plans for the upcoming weeks.

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I. Legislation

- A. SB-F20-010: Gender Recognition, Lived Name, and Pronouns Training
- B. SR-W21-006: Resolution Regarding Non-Traditional Student Housing Needs
- C. Declaration of Support for Mandatory Inclusive Language Trainings

II. Committee Assignments

A. Women's Resource Center

- 1. Fellow Senators and I had the opportunity to meet with the directors of the WRC, Denise Davis, Katie Estrella, and Monuque Franklin, on a biweekly basis during which we discussed the events the center hosts as well as how we can support them as senators.
- B. LGBT Resource Center

1. Fellow Senators and I met with the directors of the center in order to discuss the events they provided by the center, as well as the legislative piece which focuses on the mandating members of ASUCR to go through a virtual training module regarding pronouns.
III. Administrative Work
A. CNAS Executive Meeting
1. In the month of January, I attended two meetings with CNAS
administration along with Senator Nguyen
B. Senator 1-1 with EVP Hernandez
1. During the meeting with EVP Hernandez, we went over updates regarding my committees, and I had the opportunity to ask any questions regarding new legislation and projects.
IV. Events
A. GCAP Zero Waste Webinar 1. This educational event hosted by GCAP allowed me to learn more about the history behind the zero waste campaign, what the current progress of the University is, and how a student can sustainably live this lifestyle.
V. Other
A. Senate Intern
 The quarter I continued to meet with my Senate Intern, Ridwan, so that we could have a productive working relationship. In order to keep in touch with one another and our projects we met biweekly with one another. During our meeting we discussed the legislative process, planning for the CNAS Town Hall, and his ideas for legislation. B. Weekly Reports Week 1 Week 2 Week 3 Week 4
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Bourns College of Engineering (BCOE)

Name	Report
Leonardo Ballesteros lball009@ucr.edu	I. Legislation A. N/A II. Committee Assignments A. Legislative Review Committee 1. Brief Summary: a) Met weekly to pass submissions legislation to the senate B. Green Campus Action Plan 1. Brief Summary: a) Passed grants for school projects and joined in discussions for the future of sustainability at UCR III. Administrative Work A. Coordinating BCOE Town Hall a) Discussed and organized with Senator Neufeld, Senate Intern Pillai, and Senate Intern Kiroloss on the topic of the BCOE Town Hall we intend to host in February B. Senator 1-1 with EVP Hernandez a) Discussed obligations and opportunities for collaboration, as well as shared ideas for Townhall logistics IV. Events

A. N/A

V. Other

- A. Senate Intern
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) Met and coordinated with Senate Intern Pillai to discuss her many ideas for legislation and future goals
- B. Senator Reports
 - 1. 1/12
 - 2 1/19
 - 3. 1/26
 - 4. Monthly Report

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LATE SUBMISSION

Senator Report 1/5/2021

This quarter I will be getting back to work after my unplanned absence. This week I will

be following up with Senator Ballesteros about our meeting with the dean. In addition I will be in contact with my groups and committees to figure out a schedule for this upcoming quarter. I also plan on beginning work on my legislation piece with VP of Internal Affairs Angelica Garcia.

Senator Report 1/12/2021

This past week I have been coming up to speed with what I had missed the last few weeks of Fall Quarter. My intern, David Kiroloss, mentioned his want to create a poll asking students their opinions on group chats for classes, potentially leading to a legislation piece regarding them, so as to allow them for the use of studying. This coming week I plan on getting in contact with fellow BCOE Senator Ballesteros to coordinate ideas for our town hall, potentially including the BCOE Dean at the actual town hall if he would be willing to do so. The Women's Resource Center group will be meeting with the WRC on Thursday (1/14).

Senator Report 1/19/2021

On Thursday 1/21/21 I will be meeting with BCOE Senator Leonardo Ballesteros, Senate

Intern Pillai, and Senate Intern Kiroloss to discuss goals for the quarter. This includes topics such as the townhall and its focus, our meeting with the dean, and any other relevant planning for the upcoming quarter. I will soon be contacting Academic Affairs Commissioner Arshneel Kaur of the Internal Affairs Office to discuss legislation. I also will be working with my intern with any help he needs for his legislation he is currently gathering research for so that he may begin working on, answering questions and providing assistance when possible.

Senator Report 1/19/2021

On Thursday 1/28/2021 I will be meeting again for a follow up meeting with Senator Ballesteros and our interns to discuss more about our upcoming town hall. We have decided to invite the dean to it, and we are working on various areas of planning. I will also be meeting that same day with Arshneel Kaur to discuss legislation. I met with my Senate Intern on Monday both as a general getting to know each other as well as to discuss ASUCR. Arshneel and I talked about many legislative ideas, all of which I look forward to working on. They included obtaining a grant to provide test preparatory programs for tests such as the MCAT, NCLEX, and LSAT. Another legislation involves requiring professors to record their lectures, which will be difficult to pass but would vastly improve many student's abilities to adapt to online learning as many home situations do not allow for strict and specific times for lecture attendance. We also discussed introducing an additional one, multiple, or even a continuous way to

evaluate professors throughout the quarter, not just at the end such as the case with the current system. Being able to evaluate only at the end of a term can cause students to forget grievances with or compliments of a professor, and lead to overall low engagement when it comes time to evaluate.

Graduate School of Education (GSOE)

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Name	Report
Stephanie Zeng szeng009@ucr.edu	I. Legislation A. Equal Representation for all Students (ERFAS) (Secondary Author) II. Committee Assignments
	A. LRC
	Description: 1. Brief Summary: a) LRC has been meeting every Monday from 12pm-1pm. So far, we have been getting legislation pieces each week which is great and reflects the hard work that senators and others are doing. We have also been having senate interns
	come in and shadow how our meetings run. B. WRC
	1. Brief Summary:
	a) WRC met for the first time this quarter on (1/14) and we went over some updates. This included being added to their newsletter and how we can support their upcoming events. I have also been a liaison for CNAS senator Nguyen and WRC for helping her plan out her self defense workshop event that she wants to
	do with WRC. We are hoping to have that executed at the end of the quarter or beginning of Spring.
	C. TnT
	1. Brief Summary:
	a) The met for the first time ever for the school year on (1/7). The committee has been put together and everyone in it has been assigned their positions! Our first meeting consisted of introductions and planning for the quarter. We are now
	hoping to plan an event out for the quarter. We are now going to be meeting every Friday from 5pm-6pm. There has also been a lot of planning centered around TnT presence on social media in order to reach various student groups. We released introductions of each committee member and are planning to spotlight a TnT student on Instagram as well. We are also shooting for a social
	event on week
	5 and townhall on week 7. III. Administrative Work
	A. GSOE Town hall
	1. Brief Summary:
	a) Met with my deans in the first week of Winter quarter. I discussed the town hall idea with them and they were immediately interested. We are having the deans, advisors, senior leadership team, and ambassadors there for the town hall on January 29 @ 1pm. We are even giving out EIGHT \$30 Amazon gift cards:-) We are centering the town hall on how to support student success during a
	remote environment. We will be having a scribe write questions/answers so that we can send this information out to students who are unable to attend the event.
	IV. Other
	A. Senate Intern
	1. Brief Summary:
	a) I met with my intern, Fiona Nguyen at the end of Fall quarter and again in the beginning of Winter quarter to refine the goals we had for her. So far, she has been assisting me with event planning for GSOE town hall which is the biggest

task so far especially being only one senator for GSOE. She has helped me with marketing and promotion ideas and then I ran through how to create event times lines in order to execute an event successfully. She is then eager to also help me plan the WRC self-defense workshop with CNAS Senator Nguyen. Our goal after executing the event is to help her write either one resolution or bill. I went over resolution/bills templates with her and showed her some pieces I wrote last quarter. The examples helped her gain a better understanding which was really relieving!

School of Public Policy (SPP)

Name	Report
Zara Ali	LATE SUBMISSION
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	A. N/A II. Committee Assignments
	A. Basic Needs Committee
	1. Brief Summary:
	a) I attended my first meeting with the basic needs committee on the 28th of
	January. The committee is currently spearheading a video series of the various resources on campus that are available to students even during the Pandemic, we are currently planning to video tape how students can access lock boxes on
	campus and receive a grocery store gift card from it. The committee is also planning a Sex week to have students become more knowledge aout sex and getting to know ones body.
	B. External Affairs Committee
	1. Brief Summary:
	a) I already used to attend the External Affairs committee as a part of the Lobby Corp executive board, but the external affairs committee continues to
	host beneficial events for students to become more socially and civically engaged. The external affairs committee is planning a social next week to get to
	know the committee better and have students come to get to know the
	committee better also!
	III. Administrative Work
	A. Senator 1-1 with Personnel Director Nguyen
	Brief Summary: a) I met with Personnel Director Nguyen last week to receive what committees
	I am assigned to and what my responsibilities are to the assigned committee. We also discussed what Senator responsibilities are to the Personnel director
	and I look forward to working with the Personnel Director this year. B. Senator 1-1 with EVP Hernandez
	1. Brief Summary:
	a) I met with EVP Hernandez at the beginning of the month when I accepted as
	Senator. She explained to me the responsibilities of a Senator and what my
	predecessor's responsibilities and I have to do by the end of the quarter. She let me know that I have a quarterly budget and have to ensure that I use all the
	funds.
	C.Events
	A. N/A
	1. Brief Summary:

a) N/A

IV. Other

- A. Senate Intern
 - 1. Brief Summary:
 - a) I Have reached out to my Senate intern and have received no response from her. If i do not hear back soon, I will contact the personnel director and look forward to working with her.
- B. Weekly Reports

 - 1. <u>Week 4</u> 2. <u>Week 3</u>