

SGLC Committee Reports November 1st, 2015

### **Executive Committee:**

### **USpeak & Worker Justice**

- The Free Speech Sit-In went great last Thursday. The USpeak team conducted interviews of involved students and collected around 250 signatures.
- · Worker Justice was invited to speak at the next University President's Cabinet meeting (Mid-November). The team is currently coming up with a two-page proposal to present on.
- · Lastly, USpeak and Worker Justice are coming up with concrete ways to merge their two campaigns. They held an initial meeting on Sunday to talk about what it would like to be one campaign with two goals. More updates to come!

### **Advocate & Admissions Documents**

- I (Michael) met with Liz Bajjalieh, President of Advocate, to discuss how SGLC could get involved with an initiative to reform admissions documents. Liz has created to meetings to meet with Trans-gender students about their thoughts on reforming the admissions documents.
- · I am currently working out if SGLC members can attend those meetings and how many will be allowed to attend. Look out for more updates in the near future!

### Plan 2020 Student Review

• I (Michael) met with Kelsey McClear, a Student Rep. on the Plan 2020 Implementation Committee and we hashed out a quick plan of action moving forward. Look out for updates on that plan at Senate!

#### **Academic Affairs Committee:**

At this past Academic Affairs Committee Meeting, we further discussed our plans for the website. We have been looking into different platforms and responding to the companies who we have been in contact with. Our next steps involve receiving some guidance from the IT department with regards to technology based questions.

## **Allocations Committee:**

- Did not submit report.

# **Facilities & Transportation Committee:**

F&T will be meeting about next steps for Solar Thermal Monday, November 2nd at 4pm. All are encouraged and welcome to join to learn about the proposal and solar technology! After conversations with President Fasullo and Executive Sustainability Officer Hashwani, the Facilities and Transportation committee will take on STP. ESO Hashwani will still be involved with the proposal, but considering that this is a long-term project and proposal, the F&T team will work with the ESO, SEA, and IES on this and other solar technology projects. If you have any questions regarding the projects, please reach out to ESO Hashwani or Senator Pazik.

In other F&T news, Senator Pazik and Senator Flowers will be meeting with Wayne Magdziarz this Friday to continue conversations on Facilities, first floor retail space, and more. Senator Courage is working with SEA on how to develop a waste reduction education campaign. Senator Wild has developed some comprehensive research for his fish tank project. Senator Anderson is in communication with 8-ride and the LUC shuttle service to help develop a user/student friendly app. Whomever is interested in this project can reach out to Senator Anderson or Pazik. Senator Diaz will work with ESO Hashwani on strategic next steps for STP.

F&T will have our second tabling event in November. Dates and more information coming soon!

Last but not least (brummmmm) Kill the Cup a waste reduction campaign to change purchasing behaviors of the single use cup has been extended to mid-November!!

Woohoo! And Loyola is in second place - because we're awesome at sustainability.

Continue to spread the word, get coffee discounts, download the app, and kill the cup!

### **Justice Committee:**

The Privilege Campaign was successful. We learned a lot through the different events we held, and we greatly appreciate everyone from SGLC who came out to support us! The Justice Committee is going to take what it's learned and propel forward in future campaigns.

#### **RCDC Committee:**

# Committee Meetings - Thursday's 7:30pm

## **Committee Happenings**

- Tabling 11/12/15 (Tabling with Aramark)
- Tour of Damen Kitchens: November 3rd, 6pm / RSVP to attend o Max amount of attendees: 10 (Open to all of SGLC)
- o Aramark will give SGLC members and interested students a tour of the facilities and how food is prepped and served.
  - o Will discuss allergy and nutrition information
  - o Feedback to Aramark is greatly appreciated

#### Aramark

- Looking into Nutrition for Lu's Deli (WTC)
- Working with the Justice Committee and Melinda on the Jesuit Just Employment Policy
- Phoenix article about vegan and vegetarian selection
- Healthy food options at De Nobili late night

### Residence Life

- Meeting with RHA President & Vice President
- Printers not fundable until end of fiscal year (June 2016)
- Phoenix article about lack of Residence Life Director

## **Safety & Wellness Committee:**

This past week, the Safety and Wellness committee is looking into speaking with the chairs of the all the committees about the on campus smoking policy, as this will be an SGLC-wide initiative. We are looking to create a strategic plan to implement a new policy.

Happy November & the beginning of the holiday season, all!