Members Present: President Mehak Kapoor, Vice President Zeeshan Ali, Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens, Secretary Nana Akuba Chinebuah, Graduate Representative Pasang Tsering, Graduate Representative John Clarke, Senior Representative Michelle Tsang, Senior Representative Ammarah Karim, Senior Representative Devaki Naik, Junior Representative Emiliya Ambramova, Junir Representative Maria D’Cruze, Sophomore Representative Carolina Vasquez, Sophomore Representative Salahdine Baroudi, Sophomore Representative Hashemul Khan, Sophomore Representative Shereef Hassan Freshman Representative Nicholas Calabro, Faculty Advisor William Allen

Members Absent: Graduate Representative Amanda Stapleton, Senior Representative David Guadeloupe, Junior Representative Peter Kowalewska, Junior Representative Andre Jackson, Council-At-Large Representative Antonio Welch

Presiding Chair: Mehak Kapoor

Recording Secretary: Nana Akuba Chinebuah

The Meeting is called to order at 1:44pm

Motion #1: Move to adopt the Agenda for February 20th, 2013 made by Vice President Zeeshan Ali
Second: Graduate Representative John Clarke
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL ]   Opposed [ ]   Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #2: Motion to approve meeting minutes of January 30th, 2013 made Sophomore Representative Salahdine Baroudi
Second: Junior Representative Maria D’Cruz
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL ]   Opposed [ ]   Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #3: Motion to approve all Committees on a slate made by Vice President Zeeshan Ali  
Second: Graduate Representative John Clarke  
Discussion: Wadhat Chaudhary approved to the Campus Activity Board; Zeeshan Ali approved to the Subcommittee of Buget and Planning; Wadhat Chaudhary approved to Alternate Council At Large; Anthony Ortiz approved to the Scholarship Committee; Amanda Stapleton approved to the Children’s Center Board; Falak Waheed proposed by Vice President Ali and approved to the Children’s center Board.  
Vote: Favor [ALL ]  
Opposed [ ]  
Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried.

Motion #4: Motion to approve Jamaica Yahso in the amount of $945.10 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens  
Second: Vice President Zeeshan Ali  
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that organization provides faculty and treasurer signature on budget by Friday February 22nd at 2pm.  
Vote: Favor [ALL ]  
Opposed [ ]  
Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried.

Motion #5: Motion to approve Democrat Club in the amount of $842.13 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens  
Second: Senior Representative Ammarah Karim  
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that organization provides faculty and president signature by Friday February 22nd at 2pm  
Vote: Favor [ ALL]  
Opposed [ ]  
Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried.

Motion #6: Motion to approve Middle Eastern Club in the amount of $948.08 made by Sophomore Representative Salahdine Baroudi  
Second: Junior Representative Maria D’Cruze  
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that organization provide treasurer signater and move items from supplies category to refreshments category by Friday February 22nd at 2pm  
Vote: Favor [ALL ]  
Opposed [ ]  
Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried.

Motion #7: Motion to approve Artists United in the amount of $526.16 made by Vice President Zeeshan Ali  
Second: Graduate Representative John Clarke
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that organization provide treasurer and faculty signature; move water @ $5.99 from supplies to refreshments by Friday February 22nd at 2pm.

Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed []  Abstain []
Motion Carried

Motion #8: Motion to approve Dominican Students Association in the amount of $949.58 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens
Second: Vice President Zeeshan Ali
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that organization provide faculty signature by Friday February 22nd at 2pm.

Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed []  Abstain []
Motion Carried.

Motion #9: Motion to approve DESI Society in the amount of $950.00 made by Graduate Representative John Clarke
Second: Junior Representative Maria D’Cruz
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that organization revises budget moving originally budgeted for $104.44 to be used in collaboration for Battle of the Classes, in not being used, to another category for the funding of a future event/collaboration.

Motion Carried.

Motion #10: Motion to approve Boxing Club in the amount of $950.60 made by Graduate Representative John Clarke
Second: Senior Representative Ammarah Karim
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that organization provides faculty signature and update oral bid form, including two other bids, by Friday February 22nd at 2pm.

Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed []  Abstain []
Motion Carried.

Motion #11: Motion to approve ICJ in the amount of $875.66 made by Junior Representative Maria D’Cruz
Second: Senior Representative Ammarah Karim
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that organization provides faculty signature by Friday February 22nd at 2pm. Amendment made by Treasurer Aikens for budget total to be changed from $875.66 to $830.66. Amendment seconded by Sophomore Representative Baroudi.

Motion Carried.

**Motion #12:** Motion to approve Intelligencia in the amount of **$537.70** made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens  
**Second:** Junior Representative Maria D'Cruze  
**Discussion:** Revision—Move category 1 (Advertising and Promotion) to category 7 (Printing). Revisions due Friday February 22nd at 2pm  
**Vote:** Favor [15]  
Opposed [ ]  
Abstain [1]  
Motion Carried

*For the record—prior to viewing Pre-Law Society Budget: President Mehak Kapoor did not ask Pre-Law to submit to council their old budget along with their new budget to be viewed. Aware that the maximum amount any club organization could request was $950.00. President Kapoor did however request the Kaplan Contract outlining Fall 2012 agreement, which promised classes at no cost in the future for the Fall 2012 semester, a verbal agreement made between Kaplan and Pre-Law, and the new Spring 2013 agreement, which requests compensation for services to be rendered. According to Pre-Law representative, status of contract is unclear still awaiting Kaplan’s IRS form. Irrespective of this issue, the main argument of the Pre-Law representative is the issue of having received a two hour notice prior to the COC meeting requesting their presence. This made it impossible for any representative to be present and resulted in a notice ordering them to cap their budget to a maximum of $950.00. Budget ready to be viewed.*

**Motion #13:** Motion to approve Pre Law Society in the amount of **$1,000.00** made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens  
**Second:** Junior Representative Emiliya Ambramova  
**Discussion:** Refer to above.  
**Vote:** Favor [ALL]  
Opposed [ ]  
Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried

**Motion #14:** Motion to approve Itaiano in the amount of **$287.92** made by Graduate Representative John Clarke  
**Second:** Senior Representative Ammarah Karim  
**Discussion:** Budget passed with the stipulation that organization provides treasurer signature by Friday February 22nd at 2pm  
**Vote:** Favor [ALL]  
Opposed [ ]  
Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried.
Motion #15: Motion to approve Graphic Novel in the amount of $744.77 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens
Second: Sophomore Representative Hashemul Khan
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed [ ]  Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #16: Motion to approve Martial Arts in the amount of $931.42 made by Graduate Representative John Clarke
Second: Senior Representative Ammarah Karim
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that organization provide W-9 form for performer.
Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed [ ]  Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #17: Motion to approve INK in the amount of $949.95 made by Sophomore Representative Salahdine Baroudi
Second: Senior Representative Devaki Naik
Discussion: Donations raised by club at any event cannot to used for clubs own expenses. Must be donated to a non-profit organization or an organization of the sort.
Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed [ ]  Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #18: Motion to approve John Jay Cheerleaders in the amount of $595.76 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens
Second: Graduate Representative John Clarke
Discussion: Budget passed with stipulation that organization provide faculty signature by Friday February 22nd at 2pm
Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed [ ]  Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #19: Motion to approve Veterans Association in the amount of $847.20 made by Junior Representative Maria D’Cruze
Second: Senior Representative Ammarah Karim
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed [ ]  Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.
Motion #20: Motion to approve ALPFA in the amount of $892.60 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens
Second: Graduate Representative John Clarke
Discussion: Move water from supplies category to refreshments category. Revision due Friday February 22nd at 2pm
Vote: Favor [ALL]     Opposed [ ]     Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #21: Motion to approve Hillel in the amount of $729.67 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens
Second: Senior Representative Devaki Naik
Discussion: Provide descriptions of Spring 2013 events.
Vote: Favor [ALL]     Opposed [ ]     Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried

Motion #22: Motion to approve Students for Justice in Palestine Club in the amount of $949.12 made by Senior Representative Ammarah Karim
Second: Sophomore Representative Hashemul Khan
Discussion: Provide resume and W-9 for performer as well as performer confirmation by Friday February 22nd at 2pm
Vote: Favor [ALL]     Opposed [ ]     Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #23: Motion to approve ABADA Capoeira in the amount of $950.00 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens
Second: Graduate Representative John Clarke
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL]     Opposed [ ]     Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #24: Motion to approve Intervarsity Christian Fellowship in the amount of $936.00 made by Senior Representative Ammarah Karim
Second: Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens
Discussion: Budget passed with stipulation that organization provided faculty and treasurer signature by Friday February 22nd at 2pm
Vote: Favor [ALL]     Opposed [ ]     Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.

Motion #25: Motion to approve Republicans in the amount of $667.93 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens
Second: Vice President Zeeshan Ali
Discussion: Amendment made by Treasurer Aikens for budget total to be changed from 667.93 to $506.00 with the stipulation Category 7 ($144.00) and the $17.93 tax from the hotel is eliminated. Revisions due by Friday February 22nd at 2pm
Vote: Favor [ALL]    Opposed [ ]   Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried

Motion #26: Motion to approve Global Brigades in the amount of $939.99 made by Graduate Representative John Clarke
Second: Sophomore Representative Salahdine Baroudi
Discussion: No representative present. Initial motion made by Graduate Representative Clarke was rescinded.
Vote: Favor [ ]    Opposed [ ]   Abstain [ ]

Motion #27: Motion to table Global Brigades budget made by Graduate Representative Clark
Second: Sophomore Representative Saladine Baroudi
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL]    Opposed [ ]   Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried

Motion #28: Motion to approve Universal Image in the amount of $838.37 made by Senior Representative Ammarah Karim
Second: Sophomore Representative Hashemul Khan
Discussion: Need names of honoraria and dance class selection list.
Vote: Favor [ALL]    Opposed [ ]   Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried

Motion #29: Motion to approve Mock Trial in the amount of $944.87 made by Graduate Representative John Clarke
Second: Senior Representative Ammarah Karim
Discussion: No representative present. Initial motion made by Graduate Representative Clarke rescinded.
Vote: Favor [ ]    Opposed [ ]   Abstain [ ]

Motion #30: Motion to table Mock trial budget made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens
Second: Graduate Representative John Clarke
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL]    Opposed [ ]   Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried.
Motion #31: Motion to approve Economics in the amount of $935.42 made by Graduate Representative John Clarke  
Second: Junior Representative Emiliya Ambramova  
Discussion: Provide student selection process for conference-First Come, First Served. 
Motion Carried  

Motion #32: Motion to table Habitat for Humanity budget made by Graduate Representative John Clarke  
Second: Senior Representative Ammarah Karim  
Discussion: No representative present for organization. 
Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed [ ]  Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried.  

Motion #33: Motion to table West Indies Link Up budget made by Graduate Representative Clarke  
Second: Senior Representative Naik  
Discussion: No representative present for organization  
Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed [ ]  Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried.  

Motion #34: Motion to approve MPA Student Association in the amount of $939.42 made by Graduate Representative Clarke  
Second: Senior Representative Naik  
Discussion: Updated oral bid form for buses and faculty signature need by Friday February 22nd at 2pm. 
Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed [ ]  Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried.  

*Graduate Representative Clarke rescinded motion to table Habitat for Humanity budget. Seconded by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens.*  

Motion #35: Motion to approve Habitat for Humanity in the amount of $943.31 made by Treasurer Jeffrey Aikens  
Second: Graduate John Clarke  
Discussion: Budget passed with the stipulation that club provides faculty signature by Friday February 22nd at 2pm. 
Vote: Favor [ALL]  Opposed [ ]  Abstain [ ]  
Motion Carried
Motion #36: Motion to adjourn made by Graduate Representative Clarke
Second: Senior Representative Karim
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL] Opposed [ ] Abstain [ ]
Motion Carried

Meeting adjourned at 2:57

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