

Agenda of the University of Wisconsin System Student Representatives

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UW-Rock County, Hyatt Smith Hall Commons
2909 Kellogg Avenue, Janesville, WI 53546

Call to Order 9:34a.m.

Roll Call

Baraboo/Sauk		Oshkosh	x
Barron	x	Parkside	x
Fond du Lac		Platteville	x
Fox Valley	x	Richland	x
Eau Claire	x	River Falls	x
Green Bay		Rock County	x
La Crosse	x	Sheboygan	x
Madison	x	Stevens Point	x
Manitowoc		Stout	x
Marathon		Superior	
Marinette		Washington	x
Marshfield/Wood	x	Waukesha	x
Milwaukee	x	Whitewater	x
UW Colleges	x	TOTAL: 19	

Introduction

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Welcome! My name is Kristin Fillhouer, and I am the campus administrator here at the campus, and we are so proud and honored to have you all here today. A couple of fun facts, we have 19

of the 26 campuses, and 8 of the two-years represented, which is a wonderful turnout. I want to thank you all for your service. I know you lead busy lives. A lot of you are working and there is school, and there are extra curricular activities and the fact that you all chose to be a part of student government is amazing. Your student voice is critical to the work that we all do institutionally within the community, state and country.

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Thank you for all of you. From my perspective it is really nice to have you all here on our campus. I think this is the first time we have had the Student Representatives meeting here at UW Rock County, and so we are very excited to be able to host this event for all of you today. I am the student life advisor, so I work with student governance on our campus. I also help with the clubs, and I also coordinate the placement testing for incoming freshmen on our campus. I have been here for just a little over 4 years. This campus is near and dear to my heart. I graduated from this campus with a two year associates degree, and then transferred to UW-Whitewater. 5 out of 6 of my siblings attended this campus, here at UW Rock County, and today this academic year, we are celebrating our 50th anniversary here in Rock County, which is very exciting for us. So I was looking into research because we are doing a lot of research this year to celebrate our 50th anniversary, and I was checking over some of our fun facts back from 1966 and 1967 that academic year. We had just over 360 students, and I took this out of the newspaper, so it is interesting how they described the enrollment on campus. So we had just over 300 students that attended the first academic year. 2/3 of those students were from the Rock County area and graduated from our total high schools. They listed some demographics. We had 134 single men. 90 single women. We had 46 married women, and 24 married men. This is how they described in the paper, and we had 24 instructors here on campus. We also had most of the students that attended that first year took 1 or 2 courses. Some of them were degree seeking, but some of them were not degree seeking students and they were taking what they called general improvement and enrichment courses. Many of them were employed just like today, and the largest class that many freshmen took was compulsory English was how they described it, but other students took things like design and engineering, transistor guidance and technology, leadership, and accounting, and then they had a lot of lectures for students that were attending to be accountants and lawyers. It was kind of interesting to see how they described the class that year. Our largest enrollment in the past 50 years was in in 2012, I believe it was, and we had about 1303 students here on campus. Today, we have 1100, and that has been where we pretty much the enrolment we have had consistently over the last 5 to 6 years. We are really happy you are here today, and all year long we are going to be celebrating the 50th anniversary things, and we are going to be having a business after 5 with our local businesses community in December. We will have a community open house in the spring. We are going to be doing interviews with alumni, staff, and students who will be on the radio, and we are also filming a video commercial for channel 15 news out of Madison in the spring. Just a couple of more fun facts before I let you get back to the business at hand. Over the years, it has been kind of fun, and we had bands and concerts from Pete Seeger, The Trick, John Denver, Mama Cass, and we had Maya Angelou one year and we also had George McGovern who was running for president. We have had a lot of variety of activities on our campus, and we are so proud you are here. Thank you for coming. Enjoy the day, and enjoy our campus.

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Hello everyone. Sorry that this is my first meeting I have made it to this semester. It has been pretty busy with my fraternity involvement, regent involvement, city council involvement, and election involvement, and I wanted to say speaking of the elections, we have had quite the cycle. There has been a lot going around. This rhetoric, and divisiveness with really every party and I wanted to start with a quote from President Barack Obama. "Everybody is sad when their side loses an election, but the day after we have to remember that we're actually all on one team... We're not Democrats first. We're not Republicans first. We are Americans first. We're patriots first." Perhaps he said it more eloquently than I, but I think the same message holds true. I love America. My favorite colors are a three way tie between red, white, and blue. So with that said, we really need to come together, and it starts with the people in this room. You are all leaders by choice, by nature. However, the student body chooses you as their leader, so as you know we go through things the next few months, I think things will probably get quiet down over the weekend. Well people are going to look to you for guidance and for support. Just know that you are that person, and you are all capable, and you are bringing all the 26 UW campuses together. I appreciate your service. It is tough, and I know they are not the most appreciated positions, but it is really important. Thanks for being the ground troops for us as a system. We are going to talk about more regent business.

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As James said, I am from Janesville native, so I can say, welcome to Janesville. It is a pleasure to have all of you here. I started my term on Board of Regents about 6 months ago. It is a 7 year term. I don't probably look the part of the rest of the regents who you have probably met, but my favorite part of James is that he is the only guy on Board of Regents that makes me look old, so it is kind of terrific. I appreciate everyone coming here. My favorite part about my being here on the Board of Regents and UW System is you go around and you talk to people. Everyone has one story they want to share with you. They have a story about their freshmen college roommate. They have a story about a class that they took. They have a story about a football game that they went to, and it is really kind of the idea, and it really seeps to people who really didn't go to school directly. You go around and talk to one story, and they have one story they want to share with you. It is kind of that Wi idea, and sometimes I got my law degree from the UW Madison. We needed to create a joint venture with China, and we were negotiating. There is a moment in a negotiation where you want to kill the person across the table. We finally signed the document. He is going through his phone, and he shows, and he plays a video of him dancing to jump around. He knows everything about me, and he knew me. How is it like the campus climate on your campus? We sometimes miss out on the normal. The Board just passed the Moving Forward and the educational pipeline. What do I want to try to work on in the next 7 years? Cost of education. What happens if I raise tuition 100 dollars, so 400 for 4 years or how much does it cost for an extra semester? Segregated fees. Each school does their segregated fees differently. It looks different everywhere. The whole WI segregated fees is used for the entire system. Professor evaluations and how do you reward the best of the best. How many papers have been published in a journal? How are they impacting the system? Students are the customers.

IGR Chair: Broadly speaking, do you know how the board is feeling in the request? Do you think it may not have as much of success?

It is an appropriate level. There are some people that would like to do with more than what we would do with less. We can put forward a request, and it is really driven by the governor and the joint finance committee.

Stout: One thing we are trying to see how professors are doing in campus climate.

Are they made available to the public?

Stevens Point: Would you be willing to do a joint effort to lobby?

The board of regents, does not have a system to lobby. Individual members lobby in anyway, no, but we do still lobby.

Fox: So when you want to keep the best of the best.

There is an aspect for research and there is an aspect of teaching. I want to improve the process we have. You don't want to have pure research or pure teaching. How do we have the way to address best of the best

IGR Vice Chair: What would your advice be, and our arguments and investigations about how to address this situation?

I am not a professional lobbyist. You could advocate for roads, higher education or giving it back to the tax payer. If you were to divide up the pie, what would be the thing you value.

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Thank you for all being here. I live about 17 miles from here. This is in my district. I am in the minority. A lot of our lobbying should be directed at the majority. There have been major major cuts to the UW System. You are not getting the resources that you need. He has said that savings will be put towards the UW System. Education is competing with many other areas. Each campus in the system is competing with each other. Funding from the state 52% from 1975 to 10% now. Positions are being lost. Programs are being cut. With fewer classes, most of you are staying on for an additional year. People are not buying houses, cars or contributing to the economy because of student debt. I know I talked to Dean Clark, and he said that you would all be interested in talking about the election.

Part of your concerns. We do listen. When the deans or chancellors invite us to your school. We have been very interested in hearing from you. We love to hear about the jobs and revenues it brings in. I know that comes over

Election results. We were all in shock on Wednesday. The polling was not the prediction of the democratic side of the democratic side of the senate and assembly. It means we have even less bargaining power than we would before. Now there is no guarantee than before. We don't really

have a choice in it now. We pick up the pieces, and we keep moving forward. WE will go back to the drawing board, and there are a lot of angry people in the population, and it has not been replaced since 2007-2008. The husband has to work two jobs. The deductibles are too high, and his wife has cancer. They want stability. They see things in a gridlock. It is important to everyone. Everyone of you has someone who knows someone, and I would like to open it up to you.

Stevens Point: Has the reelection changed up the JFC?

I am not sure about that. Senator Fitzgerald said the same senators would be on it.

For effective lobbying, we were told to use stories. With the change, should it be more stories or facts or both?

I would do both. When it is a real story, then it has a real impact. It makes them think "this could happen to me".

Stevens Point: Thank you for coming. My first question, is we have been in this tuition freeze, and we have been asked to not increase our segregated fees. We have been asked to limit our student services, but these services help things like safety. We were cutting advising and career services, and we just got our differential tuition which has helped with this. As you say, we are the customers. Many of our colleges are struggling because we do not have Title IIV coordinators, and we do not have much for students and we are doing what we can to help the situations. If you are going to continue to cut, then how do we make sure our students are safe?

If you can capture what you said to lobby on it. Write a letter. I don't know if it is being reported more. Reaching out to your local legislatures. Academics are important, but if you do not have the services we do not address the issues. Something in your own words would be great first steps. Put your serious concerns on paper.

We are one of the few systems to make change. For example, we use the word sexual assault when it used to be disorderly conduct, but even this was a 2-year project. If you have any idea of how to lobby the regents or suggestions on how we can make it a little bit faster?

We complain about that too. The leadership in each caucus, and they have the opportunity to respond. It is a slow process, but it is up to the leadership. They can fast track. It might be helpful to go to Fitzgerald or Voss.

IGR Chair: Do you know what kind of place Conceal and Carry or Second amendment are at? I had also hear conceal and carry with students. Do you know how that will be approached.

Not sure who many members of the house who would I do not think it is necessary. Most outer doors are locked down during the day. Everywhere I have to push a buzzer before I go into school I am not afraid of guns. I just think it will create more harm

IGR Chair: there was legislation that died in committee last year. Will that specific legislation will come back?

They may go into their caucus. It may come back in a slightly different form. They will approach it with an idea of what will make it acceptable. It is really hard to say. It is likely to come back.

Stevens Point: My delegation came up with a question. Governor Walker considered lifting the freeze if we come up with creative solutions to address the problem. Are there any rumblings about creative solutions?

We have not convened since March, since most people have been campaigning. I am sure it is coming up, but I am not sure what form it will take.

Washington: We are in the minority, and we were more so in favor of wanting Conceal and carry. We have a lot of veterans and nontraditional students. We do not have a form of security. We are just a two year. Historically conservative.

Rock County: We do not have the funding. We do not have the security. The layouts are different. No one else has that luxury.

La Crosse: In light of the recent election,

The parties need to step back, and they need to let the citizens need to have the chance to pick their candidate.

River Falls: We are currently working on a priority document is looking at how student regents are appointed to the board. What is your opinion on

That is a good point. The students should have a say who is representing them.

IGR Vice Chair: Thank you so much. In a state in which we feel that higher education is under attack. I just want to say thank you and acknowledge that to this body.

We look out to our students. You should have the opportunity to learn a trade if you choose to.

Approval of the Agenda

River Falls
Richland

Approval of the Minutes

a. October 8, 2016

Executive Committee Reports

Chair: We have a record number of campuses and attendees here. Please give yourself a hand. I think this really speaks to the work that we have. Please fill out the document. We will look for responses on that. As an executive board, we released two statements. For those of you who are familiar, Green Bay. Due to freedom of information request, they had a very specific partisan action of the student ability to responds. I would love the opportunity to do this more. We can get attention at whatever levels appropriate. If you run into something, and it does not have to be a bad thing. If you find something positive that you would like to present and get recognition for as well, you can do that. I just wanted to put that out there. I attended the BOR meeting. Chris will talk about his section of the BOR talk. I also attended the joint reps meeting. I had a number of updates about system administration. The biggest part of that has

been making a case for that and making a case for the UW system budget. They feel like tis is a reasonable request, this recent election could affect their prospects, there have been some talks about the 2020 plan, and using this as a tool to show the progress of the system and showing the workforce. Cross presented performance based funding. He was frank and said it does not work, mostly because we are not manufacturers. He said we may need to do it anyway.

Stout: Can you elaborate on the metrics on how....

He did not really elaborate on that. He talked about placement rates. The Governor mentioned that. They talked about having multiple slates, so campuses can choose what they need. It could be something that we see.

Stevens Point: Would they being using a form of weighted scale, and show what each campus is doing on their own. They grade or trying to figure out what things are more important.

This is something we can be talking about. We can talk about what metrics or measures we can be doing.

IGR Chair: Most of my stuff is split up between other things on the agenda. Once we get the state priorities established, we want to set up a system to get people letters. We would write letters and forward to governmental offices. We are kind of looking into that. Also, we are trying to get information on the specific legislatures with personal bios and voting histories that would be helpful to know.

IGR Vice Chair: Like I said, sustainability committee, we are are getting ready for December meeting. I am proud of the work we are doing

Outreach Director: Stevens Point was selected as spotlight. If you would like to submit a report it is due next Sunday. We are also trying to do a report on a spotlight student.

River Falls: We all have really great things happening on our campuses. I think it would be really great to have a month.

PR Director: We did put out a joint statement from the campuses. We would love to partner with you, and we would love to help you all with it. We want to be highlighting what you are doing. By showing what you can do on your campus. I did put the pictures out on the website. We should be having control of the website by the end of next week. We wanted to talk to you about is I have a connection with the Huffington Post. If you are interested in publishing a piece about something you care about at the state or national level. I would like to see more students get their voices out there. My e-mail is osapres@uwosh.edu and I am on Facebook.

Washington: In regards to the Facebook page, and I am really recommending people sharing. That will naturally allow it to pop up on people's feeds.

River Falls: I wanted to thank you for all of the work you are doing. I just want to ask how we are deciding on how to issue statements. I think we need to send the statements to news sources.. How can we help you to get that information?

Chair: We do decide to send them to the stories. It is effective to get them to reporters through twitter. I also include it to the twitter. We are figuring out as many strategies in a more timely matter. That adds layers to the process.

River Falls: I know that website was created by a former chair.

Outreach Director: I am not even sure how we decide who it goes to. I don't think Executive Board has decided.

Chair: Mostly we have done state level.

Secretary: Hello Everyone. I am sorry, I am letting you down. I still have not completed the meeting minutes from the last meeting, which means I have fallen behind my original plans of having minutes to you earlier. It is my belief that we as an executive board are not fulfilling the roles we need to be doing for you. I have asked Chair Pearce to help hold me accountable. Within two weeks, if you do not receive meeting minutes, he is to bother me until I get them to you. If you do not receive the minutes within two weeks from today, I will be resigning from Secretary at our December meeting. If you would like to help hold me accountable, please also send me messages. One of my ideas is to change the formatting slightly from paragraph form to bulleted statements. Also, I am very happy to see you all, but I am really swamped right now.

Stevens Point: Taking minutes for the minutes for this meeting

River Falls: It is a critical job. I am curious if

IGR Vice Chair: I think that what could be useful to what could be useful, and what Chris says where you all can have continued conversations about what you all could be doing for today.

Campus Reports

UW Rock County: We are hosting Student Representatives for the first time. We had to paint the rock again. We had to talk about that again. There is a lot of fear. We have a lot of women, students of color, and LGBTQIA+, and regardless of whether you agree with our President-elect then you

Barron: We got to do something cool. We had a 40% turnout for a Halloween event. We had a lot of community support and we are getting a presentation and panel for sexual assault.

- board repositioning including resignation of VP
- twitter, fb, and we had a to work with IT to get passwords
- campus safety walk
- HS preview night
- curious how people are feeling about climate

Eau Claire:

- Trump rally on campus
- divided campus
- working on post-election strategies to ease tension

Fox Valley:

- two gag bills to see if Student Senate was paying attention
- Hosted SGC training
- slight funk in one of our bubblers

La Crosse:

- hate crime near our campus
- Chancellor knew about it before I did
- Jacob and Pat and put out a statement through e-mail and publically
- Went off Stevens Point e-mail
- Inclusivity training
- Being vocal about it is important
- How do you end racism?
- Don't neglect the power of words
- Be proactive
- Looking at having Hmong minor on campus
- Working with Provost for the Grade Scale from 7. To 10.
- All Universities except Madison have more variations to their grades
- renaming new building
- Veterans withdrawal policy

Madison: No Report**Marshfield:**

- STEM Building is coming along fine
- got a food pantry established on campus
- Get insight from faculty and staff of the cheapest options are resorting to online options
- Students are upset with classes online
- clubs have doubled

Milwaukee:

- Working with union administration to have strategic plan to discuss capital plan
- We are currently in our sufac process where we are establishing our green fund
- partnership with bike
- search for executive director
- Taking a proactive response to the election
- What are certain ways to feel safe and respected on campus?
- Election fair and celebrating diversity
- Empower students to make a real difference

Oshkosh:

- SGA hosted Chelsea Clinton
- Released a statement saying they do not reach out to political campaigns but if they reach out, they will host.
- Students did not wait more than 10 minutes to vote
- Campus Climate survey
- Resources to use if students to use if they were not ready to go back to campus
- Campus Safety Walk
- Veteran Safety event

Parkside:

- being one of the most diverse campus in UW System
- reach out to student groups
- sexual assault grant
- 100 organizations, raised segregated fees 2.5% last year

- We had 2 get out to vote events
- Trying to start a food pantry on campus

Platteville:

- Dealing with stuff by issues in past
- Sexual assault
- Cover up
- divestment conversations with foundation
- Green fee
- HLC on campus recently
- Halloween costumes

Richland:

- City broke record for most carved pumpkins in the world
- Safety week coming up this week
- self defense class
- Safety walk last week
- Preview day 45 students

River Falls:

- Held emergency meeting on Wednesday
- Genuinely scared students
- We have to talk about campus issues like Campus Climate, Sexual assault
- green initiatives
- rework how we do title II
- two middle aged men
- how to comply with Title IX
- students with disabilities and elevator issues
- Chancellor is aware of the situation
- addressed the BOR to talk about how student affairs plays into academics

Sheboygan:

- regional meeting with Waukesha and Washington county

Stout:

- lost a student about 2 weeks ago
- little progress about the situation
- implies that it was a hate crime
- memorial dinner
- long term focused on segregated fees allocated for diversity
- trainings for microaggressions and intervention
- resolution for Columbus day to indigenous peoples day
- seize the grid
- strategic plan
- faculty senate

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So good to see you. We had our veteran's day celebration yesterday. After that we participated in yoga club. I am the kind of chancellor who likes to get my hands dirty. I am the chancellor who oversees UW Colleges and UW Extension-includes offices in every state. This includes agriculture, family and consumer science, continuing education, 4-H. It is really big, and it spreads across the state of WI. Not everyone understands the WI idea. We are sitting at UW Rock, which is the largest two-year college. We see us as the access or the on ramp to help students within the UW system. That is kind of my take on the UW colleges. I came to WI about 2 years ago into a situation that I was not sure about. In about 2014, Scott walker cut the budget. We are not going to nip around the edges. We are going to reinvent our process top to bottom. Those of you involved in student government can say that we are still leaders. Some of the lessons I have learned are keep your eye on the big picture. People may not agree with you on some of the lower level of things and it is so important to remind people what the overall big goal is. Our big goal is to help people receive more degrees and credentials so they can participate in our communities. The other thing is to have deep knowledge of what is going on. It is also important to delegate. Help give people guidance along the way. The third thing I have learned is teamwork. I had gone back to school, got my PhD, became dean of students. We suffered massive declines in enrollment, and in early 2001. At that time, I realized I needed more information. I went to get my MBA at UCLA, and the one thing I learned there was teamwork. I was a little bit earlier, and most people were from for profit industries, and I was from higher education. The first thing you do is form learning groups, and I guess I was a little bit out of it, and some people came to our day sessions. IT was like survivor. I was one of the leftovers, and I found other people who were leftovers. I'll never forget the first assignment. We had been the leader because we all were used to that role. We learned a lot in my first assignment. There was a logic towards assigning everyone a lot of work. Sometimes we would switch, but in the end, we became a highly effective team. It is important to have people with different perspectives. The best teams have all of the players. They have the most diverse people, and everyone can feel safe speaking. Civil debates. The worst environment is where, everyone feels safe speaking. It is really the leaders job. Even though I had done a lot of previous work with governmental bodies. I am a registered lobbyist. I lobby and behalf of the UW System and UW extension. I just got back from Washington DC. I took a group of leadership students from UW Colleges. We had one faculty member. We worked together as a team. This is my opportunity to build the next leaders who are moving up. It NASH and AM We were there, and it was the day after the election. We did not get as much information about higher education from Donald Trump.

There has been talk about improving the cost structure by freezing tuition.

There has been talk about cutting administrative bloat.

1. need for regulatory climates
2. more demand for technology

There was talk about liberalizing income based student loans.

Loan refinance, and they borrow the money at a very low amount.

Universities have high endowment

At that time, we needed to defend our international students and scholars.

Stout: You mentioned the 14th campus as an online campus

We have always had online classes. They are using the online classes for flexibility. We do administer 30-40 students who graduate without attending class in person.

Chair: The committee I was on recommended this for a lot of reasons. This does not mean there would be a new physical space. One of the reasons I had suggested, is student rights. Online student do not have the choice to choose any representation. There would be the ability, but I don't think it is in place yet, but it could be soon.

Rock: One of the concerns is that sometimes our admin does not effectively cooperate with us. There are unfortunate events when we are hindered to be creative. How can you help us make sure that does not happen?

Well, this is a big adjustment year. There are bigger jobs for many leaders. I would say there is usually someone one level up, if you can't figure it out. The bigger picture is getting students involved. Raise that picture up. I find that often times when you open it to those terms, then people are willing to listen. There is this book I am writing, and the author is Alex Putnam, and the title is Our Kids. He graduated from a small town in Ohio, and his comparing his community to what it is like today. This book makes the statement that the idea of equality has changed since then. No matter how hard you work, does not necessarily mean prosperity.

Stevens Point: A lot of us would not be here if we did not have experience at a 2 year institution.

Thank you, and this can be seen in the 2020 plan. How many of you had issues with transfer credits. That is one of the issues that I want to address. If we are a system, can we can a group of smart people together to figure it out? Other schools and systems have figured out the transfer credits.

Marshfield: When it comes to regionalization, when it comes to curriculum and when it comes to offering classes that professors want. It feels like a lot of classes are being pushed online, and it seems like a lot of the classes are being taken online, so what is the purpose of even going online. How would you address those concerns?

First we need to look at the root of the problem. UW Marshfield was one of the colleges to suffer the most The best anecdote we have is to increase our enrollment. We try to plan to and provide analysis to how to do this, but sometimes we get it wrong. By next year, hopefully we will be able to offer more in person classes. We have been humble and frugal.

Stevens Point: One of the questions I have is that we have lobbying effort. Would you be willing to come with us?

I am happy to. I don't know who is helping you schedule your appointments, but we usually have people to talk to and schedule. Start with the JFC.

Campus Reports

Stevens Point:

- Pedestrian and bike safety
- Gender neutral or all gender restrooms
- standing rock standing in solidarity
- vigil open to all multicultural students
- different student organizations
- open forum about inclusivity on our campus

- one of the big concerns the hacking of our student life and student affairs divisions
- differential tuition
- hosting next month

Washington:

- welcome in 16 new senators
- re-imagine our new student union on campus
- budget cuts
- associate degree review
 - high impact practices
- working on survey
 - determining online via social media, e-mail etc.

Waukesha:

- tap into it
- feedback from students about what issues they are experiencing
- blood drive
- night walk
- access to student buildings
- campus was on lockdown because of suicide report

Whitewater:

- VP now President
- streamlined process of getting people through
- building projects
- more sexual assault reports
- dean of students passed away last year, memorial for them
- sufac for hearing and deliberations
- whitewater has most likes on student governance association Facebook page

Student Governance Council Report

The chancellor mentioned the online. After this if you are a two year, please fill out the form. We went over parliamentary procedure. The colleges convened last week. There were several initial concerns brought up, and I will be sending a draft constitution later this weekend.

Open Forum

Fox: It seems like we have different SUFAC training policies are. There seems to be disparities amongst colleges.

Stout: We were really figure out how Student governance can convene over the summer?

What we have typically done, we have a cabinet, and we look at which people are going to be here over the summer.

River Falls: the executive board will stay over the summer, and they are compensated over that time.

Stout: That is just included in the job description

Marshfield: Our bylaws say that there are certain members stay, and any other individuals stay as necessary.

Unfinished Business

New Business

a. State Legislative Priorities

Stevens Point: Yes. So. I would first state this by saying that the work that you all remember is done this amazing job for the majority of them I see nothing wrong. However, you missed a massive one last year under the last and last biennium under the disguise of you system from JFC put forth a proposal 36.09.05. Luckily for us we have state activists working for the governor and he's convinced the governor to veto it. So luckily for the people who enjoy having student voices and having that your autonomy having your say. Luckily it was protected for two more years. No such guarantees exist as you are currently providing. So assuming that I get the internet working I did write up a new selection, a new thing, and I think that should be our first priority and guarantee the rights guaranteed by the Wisconsin states that 36.09.05. If for some reason the state does this that creates a slippery slope where chances and destruction can no one can no longer say there is no longer a place. Why do I have to listen to you. Why do I have to let you SUFAC of student body allocate the money that students collect and students assess. Why can't I have other ideas and other other ideas on campus that could use that money. I want to use it to supplement other non-essential to supplement vital campus needs that may not be the needs that the students actually want. So. Having a little bit of difficulties connecting to the internet. But I did it right up and I'll be sending it to Ashley.

River Falls: We should state in our priorities. There needs to be a significant statement that we need more funding, but we also need to align with what System is asking for.

IGR Chair: After talking with our chancellor, he seemed to think it was going to be hard to get 42.5 million dollars, so I think it is reasonable to align with System.

Question: Do people want to increase to 30 days?

Stevens Point: Yes. I interviewed students a few weeks ago and then we talked about this a great length. I actually interviewed entire staff the students and two other individuals. It's hard to speak at great length about how much like I was actually on the 45 days or even near 60 days, and they said "You know that would be great." We talk about it we talk about being a little bit more conservative and seeing that hey even you even 30 days even add that extra nine days would be great. And so that's I mean yeah absolutely and we have talked about it in the night are we actually talking about. You. You the lead. You also talk to your students obviously and your Title IX Coordinator. Of course we have just to get more feedback to make sure it's good. But first we have found far for my research, 30 days would be great. One day or two would be great.

Whitewater: Can it be sent out prior to it's publication?

b. Federal Legislative Priorities

IGR Chair: This is just a draft of where we are at, this will be brought before the body in December.

River Falls: I spoke with Senator Murphy who has unique idea to put federal dollars to internships. He mentioned the Perkins loans program.

c. UW Student Reps Alumni Board: Creation of Appointment Process

Discussion

a. Student Reps Campus Climate Initiative
Tabled until December 10

b. Biennial Budget Efforts & Fall Lobby Day

Mainly pertaining to the lobby day, and we have reached out to the majority leader and the minority leader. We will be having meetings with them, although we are not sure the legislative leader will be there. We only want to hit up an office once.

c. Ad-hoc Sustainability Committee Update

Chair: Trevor is gone, and so the sustainability group up to date. We have clear strong beliefs of how to get systems to get money out of divestment. I think we will have something back to this body. Well, basically we need to collect foundation information from each school. We are coming up with a timeline to get schools to divest. 3, 5, 10. Any additional investments should not be made in these companies.

d. Segregated Fee Workgroup Recommendations: Follow-up Discussion

e. UW System 2020FWD Strategic Plan & Biennial Budget Request
We have talked about it a little. You got links to the document. This is really a sales pitch to legislatures. The reason this is on our agenda. If as a student government if you would choose to endorse the plan that would be helpful in supporting System.

River Falls: We will vote on a joint resolution voting on it.

f. Student Reps Spring 2017 Meeting Dates

UW System Student Reps Next Meetings

a. Saturday, December 10, UW-Stevens Point

Announcements

a. UW System Joint Shared Governance Reps meeting, Pyle Center, 12/2/2016 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
b. Student Reps It's On Us Summit - Saturday, February 25, 2017

Open Floor for comments and concerns

Adjournment: 3:26pm