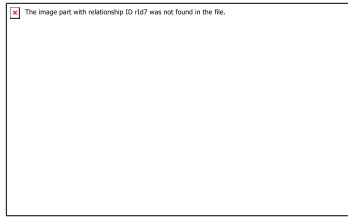


# THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION



## UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS Session CIII

**General Body Meeting**  
**7:00 pm, Tuesday, February 18th, 2020**  
**Devon Hall 120**

**Roll Call**  
**Mission Statement**  
**Moment of Silence**  
**Approval of Minutes**

**Motion to Approve the Minutes**  
**Representative Buxton seconded by Representative Sertovic**

**Chair's Report** - Filing for elections is next week! Anyone who just got appointed needs to file since your appointments last for only one semester. After you are elected, you will retain your seat for one academic year. If you'd like some of your other friends or colleagues to be in Congress, you can encourage them to file as well. Wouldn't that be fun? Tonight, we will be seeing our first expulsion bill. Please do not clap if it passes, as we are sad to see them go. Also, please move to see the aux bill first as Lauren has to give a presentation elsewhere at 8 pm. That's it! Please be sure to raise your hand and ask "on information" if you get confused at any point during the meeting.

**Vice Chair's Report** – Hey everyone! I'm currently looking for a new PR director. We currently have three and I would like one more. The responsibility of the PR director would be to help me out with planning events and overall collaboration with other groups on campus. The application is live on OrgSync and I sent it into the GroupMe last night as well. They will close a week from today at midnight. Let me know if you are interested or if you have any questions. Also, if you have not taken your headshot please come talk to me after. I am currently working with Caitlin Schneider to synthesize your headshot and bio so we can have a meet your representatives segment on our social media.

**Secretary's Report** – Hey everyone. A couple updates today, first, I won't be here next week so if you are going to be absent please email Malachi Bouch at [malachi@ou.edu](mailto:malachi@ou.edu) before 5pm on Tuesday. He will be me starting Sunday. Second, please make sure to email me when you complete your consistent service hours! If you are an associate, please sign things at the front.

### **Committee Reports-**

- **Campus Outreach, Safety, and Concerns:** We updated new members on all old projects. We looked at all the suggestions in the box but got so few about parking and we passed them out to new members.
- **Congressional Administration:** Gave CB-103-27 gave rec of no rec. Seth Kordic might be reaching out to Emma for his resignation. We talked about more projects and Valentine's day.
- **External Affairs:** Higher Ed day was successful. We got to meet with a lot of legislators. Malachi had a great meeting with Carol Bush and Lacey Lewis. Representative Bennet called and said it was a

great day. We met all the new members and went over a couple student concerns. One person said they wanted their second amendments rights on campus.

- **Human Diversity:** Meeting with Grant Henry on food labeling.
- **Sustainability:** We are just continuing with class presentations. We had a great trash walk. We are still working on our social media campaign. Please let me know if you want to present for one minute. Trash walk went very well! It was super nice outside!
- **University Policy:** We have a few new projects from student concerns. University dining allergy warnings. In the Caf there was a student who had an allergic reaction and there weren't signs. We are working on solutions to mental health issues and post office only accepts cash and we want to fix that.
- **Ways and Means:** Aux 15 rec of do pass. Training the new secretary. PRIMARY IS DUE FEBRUARY 21<sup>ST</sup> AT 5PM. IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT AN ORGANIZATION, YOU NEED TO GET THEM TO ME BY WEDNESDAY AND IF YOU WAIT UNTIL FRIDAY, I WILL NOT BE ABLE TO RESPOND, and I will cry a lot! Please call my bill first because we are doing a workshop teaching RSOs to walk through primary.

### **Liaison Reports**

Merchant: GEC is hiring peer educators March 1<sup>st</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>. This is for speakers for the Step in Speak out, and Step in Speak out Greek. They also have a new program called relationship goals.

### **Special Orders**

Ahmadi: Lauren in the Carl Alberts Center with the Oklahoma Votes want to send out voting reminders. We want to send out these cards to put your email and 3 other emails on here to remind you all to get out and vote. This is a program that we are trying out this year to increase voter participation. They will email you once about voting. Give this back to me after the meeting. During announcements at the end of our meeting, its Dr. Surrat's birthday and I wanted to take a video of all you are saying that.

### **Student Concerns**

Hillis: There is a sidewalk outside of the union, there is an uneven step. Several students like myself has fallen.

Kerr: Some of the people in the college of social work want a water fountain to use a water fountain with in their building.

DeAngeli: Sustainability

Broadbent: Jim Thorpe Parking lot; lake forming with algae

DeAngeli: Campus Outreach Safety and Concerns

### **Old Business**

#### **Items to Be Considered**

#### ***Motion to see bill***

#### **Representative Harman seconded by Representative Broadbent**

AB-103-05 Auxiliary Allocation 15 (Patton) (Ways and Means > Do Pass)

Patton: Hi this is Aux 15. We funded 11 organizations. It was just over \$4,000.

#### ***Motion to see bill***

#### **Representative Harman seconded by Representative Marvin**

CB-103-27 An Act Expelling Session 103 Representatives (Patterson) (ConAd > Rec of no Rec) (Exec > Rec of no Rec)

Patterson: alright this is our first expulsion bill of the session, hopefully our only. 2 reps, Kordic and Shaw. Shaw has never shown their face, reached out to by Emma and I. Kordic was kind of active, then disappeared.

Spangler-day: were these reps appointed or elected?

Patterson: Elected

Rojas: So, rules apply no matter how long they've been in congress?

Patterson: Yes.

Harman: What is the format to vote?

Patterson: Yes = pass; no= they stay, just because I wrote this doesn't mean you have to vote yes

Lange: Have their committee chairs mentioned lack of attendance?

Patterson: Shaw never went, Kordic was on EA and EA was concerned.

## **Follow-Up Reports**

### **Items for Future Agenda**

### **Announcements and Comments**

Garg: sign-ups are up. I will send the link in the group me; it counts as a consistent service hour. It is the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

Smail: Crimson wishes will be having a talent show as a fundraiser. Please come support and help the kids.

Tucker: There is going to be another open mic this Thursday at 7:30

Merchant: Born Katherine Coleman, the youngest of 4 children in White Sulphur Springs WV, Katherine was a prodigy from the very beginning. She graduated high school at 14 years old and attended West Virginia State, then an HBCU where she studied mathematics and french graduating summa cum laude at 18 years old. Throughout her time at WVS, not only did Katherine take every math class offered, professors created math courses just to accommodate her intelligence. She was one of a kind. After graduating from college, she took on a teaching job and eventually went back to school to pursue a graduate degree. Following the *Missouri ex rel. Gaines v. Canada* court decision, Katherine became one of the first three Black students, and the only women, to attend West Virginia State's graduate school. Ultimately, a year into the program, she withdrew due to her first pregnancy. Katherine's intelligence has since been recognized all around the world. She is most famous for her work with the National [Advisory Committee for Aeronautics](#) and NASA, during the 1950's and 60's, where she served as a human computer often relied on for some of the NACA's most notable missions such as Project Mercury which was the first manned mission into outer space and the Apollo Lunar Module. Her accomplishments did not come without prejudice and a fair share of doubt, not only because she was black, but because she was a woman. During her time at the NACA, the organization employed segregationist practices. When recounting her time at the company, Katherine spoke of being assigned to "colored spaces" in which her, along with other black colleagues were required to work. When this organization was absorbed by NASA, these practices were eradicated. It was here where Katherine Johnson reached her full potential as a human computer and was noted for her "historical role as one of the first African American women to work as a NASA scientist." Her work included calculating launch windows and trajectories for some of the most important NASA missions. Administration at NASA so entrusted her with this program and responsibility that when they first used an electronic computer for John Glenn's orbit around the Earth, Katherine was tasked with verifying that the numbers were correct. John Glenn himself even refused to fly unless Katherine had confirmed the numbers. Katherine now lives in Hampton Virginia, both her and her legacy live on. In 2015, President Barack Obama awarded Katherine with the presidential medal of freedom and last year, in 2019, she was awarded the Congressional Gold Medal which are the highest civilian awards to be earned. Katherine Johnson battled the established order of her day and proved to be an Antonian part of the United States' technological advancement into outer space. Truly imparting her legacy in the stars.

### ***Motion to skip final roll call and adjourn***

**Representative Carmona seconded by Representative Buxton**

**Final Roll Call 7:28**

**Adjourn**

Chair: Emma DeAngeli  
 Vice Chair: Mahak Merchant  
 Secretary: Savanah Patterson

<b>Session 103</b>	<b>CB-103-27</b>	<b>AB-103-05</b>
Alpert, Lucy		
Babbitt, Jason	y	y
Bell, Aspen	y	y
Biskup, Emma		
Broadbent, Taylor	y	y
Buxton, Nate	y	y
Carmona, Ismael	y	y
Carson, Jada	y	y
Chism, Hennessey		
Flaggert, Jayke	y	y
Garg, Nishit	y	y
Grebe, Jordan	y	y
Harman, Caitlyn	y	y
Heuser, Audrey	y	y
Hillis, Foster	y	y
Kerr, Susan	y	y
Kordic, Seth		
Lange, Jake	y	y
Long, Matt		
Luthfiyah, Anne	y	y
Marvin, Alexis	y	y
May, Sidney		
Mayes, Mark	y	y
McGee, Tess	y	y
Moreno, Nara		
Murdock, Max	y	y
Powell, Britney	y	y
Roberts, Lauren		

Rojas, Julio	y	y
Rosen, Ashley		
Schneider, Caitlin	y	y
Sertovic, Adia	y	y
Shaw, Carson		
Spangler-Day, Santana	y	y
South, Crispin	y	y
Stormer, Sam	y	y
Thomas, Christopher	y	y
Thompson, Gabriela	y	y
Tucker, Emily	y	y
vonHartitzsch, August	y	y
Werdel, Gina	y	y
<b>Yes</b>	31	31
<b>No</b>	0	0
<b>Abstain</b>	0	0
<b>Session 103</b>	<b>General</b>	
Alpert, Lucy	ex	
Babbitt, Jason	x	
Bell, Aspen	x	
Biskup, Emma	abs	
Broadbent, Taylor	x	
Buxton, Nate	x	
Carmona, Ismael	x	
Carson, Jada	x	
Chism, Hennessey	ex	
Flaggert, Jayke	x	
Garg, Nishit	x	
Grebe, Jordan	x	
Harman, Caitlyn	x	

Heuser, Audrey	x
Hillis, Foster	x
Kerr, Susan	x
Kordic, Seth	abs
Lange, Jake	x
Long, Matt	ex
Luthfiyah, Anne	x
Marvin, Alexis	x
May, Sidney	abs
Mayes, Mark	x
McGee, Tess	x
Moreno, Nara	abs
Murdock, Max	x
Powell, Britney	x
Roberts, Lauren	ex
Rojas, Julio	x
Rosen, Ashley	ex
Schneider, Caitlin	x
Sertovic, Adia	x
Shaw, Carson	abs
Spangler-Day, Santana	x
South, Crispin	x
Stormer, Sam	x
Thomas, Christopher	x
Thompson, Gabriela	x
Tucker, Emily	x
vonHartzsch, August	x
Werdel, Gina	x
Present	31
Excused	5
Absent	5

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS  
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CIII  
February 19th, 2020

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE  
SENATE SESSION GF20  
February 16th, 2020

CONGRESSIONAL BILL AB-103-05  
SENATE BILL NO. GF19-XX

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to appropriations; providing for short title; stating purpose; appropriating Auxiliary Funding for the 2019-2020 process; stating appropriation guidelines; establishing expiration deadline; directing transfer of unused funds by deadline; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION:

- Section 1:** This act shall be known and may be cited as the “Auxiliary Allocation 15 Act of 2019-2020”
- Section 2:** PURPOSE. The purpose of this act is to appropriate the funds of the University of Oklahoma Student Government Association to the organizations mentioned within.
- Section 3:** APPROPRIATION. The following amounts are hereby allocated to

Organization	Programs, Events & Activities	Capital Investments	Office and General Expenses	Total
American Indian Science and Engineering Society	240		130	370
Biomedical Engineering Student Affairs	250			250
BioReach- Biology Outreach	180		100	280
Christians on Campus	186			186
Computer Science Student Board	300			300
Disability and Inclusion Awareness	100			100
FIRST Robotics Alumni Group	50			50
International Advisory Committee	911.68			911.68
Medical Ethics and Issues Discussion Panel	350			350
Public Relations Student Society of America	1,000			1,000
Undergraduate Mock Trial Team	250			250
			<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>4,047.68</b>

**Section 4:** All guidelines and provisions in Title 10 of the Code Annotated shall apply to all funds appropriated in this act.

**Section 5:** This fiscal year for the account listed in these sections shall end May 8, 2020

**Section 6:** All unspent money remaining in the accounts listed in Section 3 shall revert to the SGA General Account after May 8, 2020, and the remaining appropriations shall be canceled.

**Section 7:** This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author(s): Lauren Patton, Chair, SGA Budget Committee

Co-Author(s): SGA Budgetary Committee

Submitted on a motion by: Representative Harmon seconded by Broadbent

Action taken by Student Congress: 31-0-0

Verified by Chair of Student Congress: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted on a motion by:

Action taken by Senate:

Verified by Chair of Senate: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by SGA President: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS  
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CIII

February 18th, 2020

CONGRESSIONAL BILL CB-103-27

AS INTRODUCED

A Congressional Act of Procedure expelling Session  
103 Representatives for excessive unexcused  
absences; providing for a short title; and providing an  
effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT ASSOCIATION:

**Section 1:** Title: This act shall be known and may be cited as the “Act Expelling Session 103 Representatives.”

**Section 2:** Purpose: The purpose of this act shall be to expel members for excessive unexcused absences. Because Carson Shaw and Seth Kordic have accrued excessive unexcused absences, they are pending expulsion.

**Section 3:** In accordance with the Section 5.3, subsection 13, *“The Secretary shall have the sole right to author any acts of procedure expelling a member for excessive absences”*

Expulsion      Representative Carson Shaw  
                         Representative Seth Kordic

**Section 4:** This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author(s):      Savanah Patterson, Undergraduate Student Congress Secretary

Co-Author(s):

Co-Sponsor(s):

Submitted on a Motion by: Representative Harmon seconded by Representative Marvin

Action taken by Congress: 31-0-0

Verified by Chair of Congress: \_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_