

# SBA AGENDA

## April 20, 2011

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
  - a. Missing Thomas Keller, Jason Gardner, Brooke Pardee, Isabel Lenuzza, Christina Huszca, Eric Wilson, Chris Michael
- III. Approve Minutes from 4/13/11
  - a. **Unanimous; passes.**
- IV. Dean Cheever
  - a. Mo: Can we add another section for Corporations in the Fall? Dean: I'm going to see if we can get another section.
  - b. Mo: Will other classes be available to meet the prospective election requirement? Dean: Yes
  - c. Melina: Meechio teaching Jurisprudence next year? Dean: I believe she's going to be teaching it in the spring. Melina: Meechio's class would be a great class if we need more prospective election classes.
  - d. Deanna: There hasn't been an environmental law class offered in the Evening in the last 3 yrs. Dean: We hired a new environ prof who will be teaching it in the evenings starting Spring '12
  - e. Stephen: Some classes don't have course descriptions. Dean: Been working on this all year. Let me know if there isn't one up.
  - f. Mo: The tentative schedule doesn't link to the course description page. Heather volunteers to check up on this.
  - g. Dieter: Are profs required to have a certain number of office hours, or any at all? Dean: No, but you can talk to him or make an anon suggestion in the suggestion box. However, I'll try to bring this to their attention next fall and try to pass a resolution.
  - h. Melina: Spanish for Lawyers class would be better for 2 semesters, so you don't have to take a full year if you didn't need both. I have to Talk to Juarez first, since he's the program director.
  - i. John: Could you speak to the 15 credit out of class limit and whether that's an ABA or DU requirement? Dean: I'm interested in changing the limit, but I need to check if this is a DU rule and speak to the faculty. John: what are the chances for that to be in effect this fall? Dean: I will present it to the faculty soon and grant some limited waivers for the fall on a case-by-case basis.
  - j. Stephen: Is it a ABA or Du rule that disallows you to receive credit if you're getting paid? Dean: ABA.

### V. Treasurer's Report

#### **Balances**

General account: \$2,031.19

Speaker/events account: \$6,225.23

Travel account: \$523.72

#### **Requests**

Land Use Law Society

Event: Rocky Mt Land Use Conference Speaker Luncheon

Date: 3-4-2011

Attendance: 64

\*\$450 covered by RMLUI

Remaining costs of event: \$250

Finance recommendation: \$250 (\$3.90/person)

**Tom moves to approve \$400; Mo seconds; unanimous; passes.**

International Commercial Arbitration Moot Team  
Wilhelm Vis International Commercial Arbitration Competition  
Location: Hong Kong  
Date: 4/5-4/10  
People traveling: 1  
Cost: \$2,370  
Fundable: \$400  
Recommendation: \$400

**Melina moves to approve \$400; Heather seconds; unanimous; passes.**

Phi Alpha Delta  
PAD 2011 Mock Trial Competition  
Date: 3-3 to 3-6  
Location: Arlington, VA  
People traveling: 3  
Cost per person: \$555  
Fundable: \$994  
Recommendation: \$994

**Alan moves to approve \$994; Kevin seconds; unanimous; passes.**

- VI. Dan St. John
- a. New Student Organization: Space Law Society
  - b. Cindy: Any other schools offer this? Dan: UC Irvine, CU, Rutgers, off the top of my head.
  - c. Dena: Other students interested? 10-11 other students so far. I have yet to spread this beyond my section at the moment.
  - d. Melina: Maybe change the name to reflect the purpose of the society?
  - e. Casey: Maybe try to incorporate transportation law?
  - f. Mo: Do you have a faculty advisor on campus that could help? And maybe send in a requested budget for next year.

**John moves to approve; unanimous; passes.**

- VII. Senator Reports
- a. Melina: Request to have the TV installed in the forum.
  - b. Stephen: What's the process for some orgs that haven't request a budget? Katy said that if they don't now, they won't get \$ next year.
  - c. Mo: Calendar committee is coming to a conclusion. We're going to start school a wk later in August. Exam period and Reading period is going to be compressed. Also, GSAC is looking for a President.

- VIII. Committee Reports
- a. Alan: DBA is requesting speakers for an event for High School students interested in law school. Also, CBA fundraiser in June. I motion that SBA buy 10 tickets for the event (\$100). [Everyone agrees]
  - b. Tom: Late Night bfast will be May 3<sup>rd</sup> and Syrup will be providing it.

- IX. President's Report
- a. Next Thursday there will be a Bar Review.
  - b. CU grade inflation issue is still an issue.

- c. Undergrads will be kicked out of the school earlier this year, instead of only reading week/Finals.  
Also will be checking law student IDs.

X. Announcements

XI. Adjourn

**Mo moves to approve \$994; Carl seconds; unanimous; passes.**