

Student Fee Advisory Committee

Meeting Minutes
Winter Quarter Week 5
February 7, 2025

Fridays, 3-5pm

1. Call to Order
 - a. 3:10 PM
2. Roll Call
 - a. Present: Lanchi Nguyen, Will Lang, Annie Nguyen, Annie Hoang, Nandhana Nair, Stephen Ulla, Ketan Jain, Sonal Mahajan, Mina Nguyen, Sofia McComas, Carina Yan, Nitin Pramnath, Ichiro Shimizu, Divenaa Madan, Jacob Hoang, Snigdha Podugu
 - b. Excused:
 - c. Unexcused:
 - d. * = voting members, voting members present = 9
3. Approval of Winter Quarter Week 4 Minutes
 - a. Motion: Ketan
 - b. Second: Sonal
 - c. Results
 - i. Yay: 8
 - ii. Nay: 0
 - iii. Abstain: 0
4. New Business
 - a. Post Interview Discussions
 - i. SAGE - CollegeVine (Subcommittee 1)
 - AI to supplement staff loss from budget cuts and will be used as an external advisor for mandated training and compliance. Eliminate the need for staff to send manual reminder emails.
 - Did not receive clear answer on sustainability of AI
 - Consequence of not implementing: Lack of compliance with federal and state laws -> Will impact the university because they will get fined
 - Follow-up Questions: How the change of federal laws regarding DEI policies affect the effectiveness of this AI? What will SAGE do to measure success and collect feedback?
 - ii. Rec - Bright Breaks (Subcommittee 1)
 - Web and app-based wellness platform offering 40 daily live-streamed 7-minute wellness/fitness breaks, 900 on-demand videos (mental well-being, nutrition, personal development), calendar integration, and customizable notifications.
 - Addressed concerns regarding competing apps in that those are

more so focused on medical appointments, anonymous peer support, or limited subscription-based mindfulness.

- Did not have a response for the extent of student usage but plans to use a "shotgun approach" for marketing at UCSD, leveraging Rec Marketing channels, student affairs newsletters, campus partnerships, etc.
 - Follow-up Questions: Metrics on student usage
- iii. Global Initiatives - RISE (Subcommittee 4)
- Help students explore career paths through attendance at international professional conferences (Short Term trip - Approximately one week*) & 1:1 Mentoring with Staff or Faculty on the trip
 - Concerns regarding no set rubric; selection focuses heavily on PIQs, excludes academic progress, and has no plans for interviews, though a potential process could involve both mentees and mentors.
 - Program wants to serve students with financial restraints but those students are unlikely to have time to establish 1:1 mentoring with faculty
- b. Interview Schedule is up in the Drive!
5. Announcements
- a. Next Meeting: Friday, February 14th at 3pm in Warren College Room
 - i. Tentative Agenda: Post Interview Review for Rec - Beach in a Box & Rec - CPR
6. Adjournment
- a. 4:49 PM