2019 STUDENT ELECTIONS

Candidate Orientation

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Candidate Information

- President/Vice President
- Board of Directors
  - Arts
  - Business
  - Communications
  - Education
  - Engineering & Computer Science
  - Health & Human Development
  - Humanities & Social Science
  - Natural Science & Mathematics
- Titan Student Centers Board of Trustees

Qualifications

- All candidates must have been enrolled at CSUF for at least one semester, must be in good standing with the university, must not be on probation, and must have earned a CSUF semester grade point average of 2.0 in the past semester and have a CSUF cumulative grade point average of 2.5 for all classes at CSUF. In addition, all Board of Directors candidates must be enrolled in the college for which they are running or meet any special qualifications, as stated in the ASI Bylaws, by the Candidate Orientation meeting.

  ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS **WHILE HOLDING OFFICE**:

  All Students:
  Minimum GPA per semester required: 2.0
  Minimum CSUF cumulative GPA required: 2.5

  Undergraduate Students: Current units enrolled in: 6 or more
  Graduate Student: Current units enrolled in: 3 or more

  The maximum units allowed while in office are 150 semester units, or 125 percent of the units required for a specific baccalaureate degree objective, whichever is greater. Graduate student officers are allowed to earn a maximum of 50 semester units.

Write in Candidates

- Write-in candidates may run for any one office of their choice for which an election is being held. Write-in candidates must inform the Elections Director of the office for which they intend to run by completing a petition of candidacy form and an ASI Conflict of Interest Agreement. These documents must be submitted to the Elections Director before 5:00 P.M. on Tuesday, March 12th.
- Write-in candidates must meet all the qualifications for the office they are running for.
- Write-in candidate's first and last name must be spelled correctly by the voter for that vote to count.
- We need your biography and photos for the ballot by Wednesday, March 13th at 5pm. Email requests for change to the Elections Director.

Applies to All Candidates

Complaints and Violation System

Section 4. **ESTABLISHMENT OF VIOLATION SYSTEM**

Clause 1. The purpose of the Campaign Violation System is to hold candidates and candidate teams responsible for threatening the democratic process, committing ethical breaches, interfering with the mission of the Associated Students, threatening the safety of the campus, and violating Associated Students and CSU Fullerton protocols. Any candidate, candidate team, or coalition found before the Elections Judicial Council to have committed violations shall be subject to punishment by the guidelines set forth under Enforcement (Section 8).

Elections Judicial Council

Friday March 8th, 15th, and 22nd at 11am

- MacKenzie Sheppard – Elections Director
- Mia Powell – Elections Coordinator
- William Cabral – Elections Coordinator
- Maisune Abu-Elhaija – Vice Chair Treasurer, Board of Directors
  - BOD Representative
- Saba Ansari – ASI Vice President
  - Executive Team Representative
- Rabia Naz – Student Trustee
  - TSC Board of Trustees Representative
- John Beisner – CSUF Executive Director of Risk Management (non-voting)
  - Vice President of Student Affairs Designee
- Drew Wiley – Leader and Program Development Director (non-voting)
  - Executive Director Designee

Complaints and Violation System (cont.)

- Complaints shall be filed electronically on the ASI Website. They must state the who, what, when, where, and how of the violation.
- Complaints must be submitted within twenty-four (24) hours of the infraction and/or by 9pm on the last day voting, and electronically signed with a valid name and email.
- Anonymous or incomplete complaints will not be considered.
- Complainant (or designee) must appear at the Elections Judicial Council meeting.
- The candidate (or designee) has the option to appear at the Elections Judicial Council to provide comments.

(Complainant - Person who submits complaint.)

Complaint Form

Request for Information Form

- Clarification of any ASI Bylaw
- Please include valid name and email and providing a phone number is recommended.
- Please include the general description and specific application of what you would like to do, the ASI Bylaws clause you want clarification on and in what way

Request for Information Form

Complaints and Violation System (cont.)

- Violation System
  - Class A (Disqualifiable) Violations shall carry three (3) strikes. Automatically Disqualified.
  - Class B (Major) Violations shall carry two (2) strikes. The official ballot shall reflect the specific violation and circumstance
  - Class C (Minor) Violations shall carry one (1) strike. The official ballot shall reflect the specific violation and circumstance
- Violations
- Penalties
- Appeals –must be submitted before Friday, March 22nd at 5pm.

Bylaws

Campaign Conduct – You can…

- Promote and campaign in accordance with SLL posting policies and other services.
- Post supportive information on your own social media.
- Go to all the campaigning events the elections team has set up for you.
- Make classroom announcements (with the permission of your professors).
- Receive endorsements …

Bylaws

Voter Restrictions

- BOD
  - A student with a single declared major or multiple declared majors within the same academic college shall be allowed to cast a single ballot in that academic college.
  - A student with multiple declared majors in different academic colleges shall only be allowed to cast a single ballot in one of the colleges in which they are enrolled.
  - An undeclared student shall be allowed to cast a single ballot in only one academic college of their choice.
  - Students that are not declared in the College of Education shall not be able to cast a ballot in the College of Education, no matter if they are active members of a club that is a member of the Education ICC.
  - A student will vote on a single ballot for up to two (2) candidates from the academic college in which they are enrolled.
- BOT
  - A student will vote on a single ballot for up to ten (10) positions.
- President and Vice President
  - A student will vote on a single ballot for one (1) candidate team.

Instant Runoff Method

- The Instant Run-Off Voting method simulates an election with multiple run off rounds until a candidate receives majority. On the ballot, voters will rank candidate teams, Board of Director candidates, and Board of Trustees candidates in order of most preferred to least preferred.
- If there is a tie, the candidate/candidate team with the fewest votes shall be eliminated and an instant runoff will occur. The eliminated candidate team’s votes are transferred to the other candidate(s)/candidate team(s). A runoff election is simulated with the new vote totals. This process will repeat until there is a winner.

How to Win

- President and Vice President – The winners shall be the candidate team who receives a majority (50% +1) of votes in the regular election.
- Board of Directors – The winners shall be the two (2) candidates from each college who receive the most votes.
- TSC Board of Trustees – The winners shall be the ten (10) candidates who receive the most votes.

- Recounts may be requested by any candidate for the position in which they are running if there is a reason to believe the count was inaccurate.
- Recounts must be requested before the results have been certified.

Post-Election

Once the Election Results have been certified, I will email the results out to all candidates.

Results will also be posted outside the ASI Executive Offices and released to the public.

Submit your Elections Expense Report

Remove all fliers

Deadline: The Tuesday after Elections (March 26th at 5pm)

This is **NOT** an opportunity to campaign.

It is an opportunity to listen to student concerns.

2019 STUDENT ELECTIONS

MARCH 19 at 8AM
TO MARCH 20 at 8PM

VOTE ONLINE!

AT VOTE.FULLERTON.EDU

ASSOCIATED STUDENTS INC
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, FULLERTON

FOLLOW US @ASICSUF

CANDIDATE MEET & GREET

TUE, MAR 12, 11AM-1PM

Talk to your represented candidates and get a voucher for free food at the Farmer's Market!

CANDIDATE MEET & GREET

WED, MAR 13, 11AM-1PM

Talk to your represented candidates and get free pizza!

EXECUTIVE TEAM DEBATES

THUR, MAR 14, 11AM-1PM

Come listen to your executive team candidates and get some free coffee!

ALL EVENTS WILL BE HELD OUTSIDE THE TSU

Athletics Meet the Candidates

TUES, MAR 5 AT 7PM

Meredith E. Basil, Ph.D.

Exec Senate Mixer

THUR, MAR 14 AT 4PM

Voting Party

WED, MAR 20, 11AM-1PM

Important Links

- Bylaws
  - asi.fullerton.edu > Student Government > Bylaws
- Request for Information & Complaint Form
  - asi.fullerton.edu > Student Government > Elections > Elections Request for Information and Complaint Forms
- Voting
  - vote.fullerton.edu

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