6:06 Meeting called to order by Joey. Akshitha not present.

Briana
- Still need signups for Student Regent and Higher Ed Board!
- Expectations:
  - Be there bright and early for homecoming!
  - Expect everyone to hold individual committee members accountable. IT’S YOUR JOB
  - Anu/Akshitha: make sure to ask how they’re feeling about fitting into SG and if anything else is going on!
- Create a conversation with your members, just talk at them. Make them feel like they're a part of the process, make them feel included! Not just give announcements.

Akshitha (President)
- UTSSAC
- Student success
- Show up to homecoming decoration! JW and Jake need your help!

Joey (VP)
- UTSSAC
- Tuition: need more student feedback
  - Budget analysis committee, every four years tuition gets a review
  - Revisit (have a conversation) on way we receive feedback on tuition related things (next EC)
- Graduate concerns
  - Telecounseling. Facetiming helps avoid stigma of physically going to the counseling center
  - Nancy: don’t frame it as avoiding the stigma, frame it as a convenience benefit instead. Also, it's more of a lack of resources in counseling rather than a stigma.
  - Anu: do we have numbers on counseling?
    - Joey: yes. Laura Smith has those. Priority is on lower level concerns like stress and breakups rather than serious concerns that should get priority counseling.
- Finish up the CDP stuff from last week!
- Upcoming CDP stuff: need reports on which new businesses Senators are talking to.
  - Have senators submit proof that they contacted a few business, like email screenshot. Goal is adding one company per senator.
  - List of companies that have been reached out to should be in the google doc.
- Surveying
  - Timing and closeness to deadlines: WE NEED TO REDO HOW WE DO SURVEYING
    - Need more booting. Increases comfortability of senators when reaching out to strangers.
    - Need to have surveys out ahead of time, we've had problems with deadlines in the past.
    - Anu: make sure formatting is good across devices and makes methodological sense before releasing these.
    - Nancy: signups on facebook are less effective, do physical signups in Senate beforehand if you really want senators participating.

Johnathan (Academic)
- A&H Core Curriculum Committee: we have similar idea. There’s a poor selection. Half of core courses at UTD are within A&H, so we need to improve this set of classes.
- Ideas: Public speaking, writing, intro to debate
Expanding Academic Conferences
- Process for GRANT$$ for students to apply to go to conferences.
- Joey: Can we get more funding to present research?
  - Nancy: Current research grants already allow you to use grant money to present your research.
- Also want to expand (Research Week?) in order to expand the "culture of academic research" on campus

Anu (Communications)
- Title IX
  - Update on meeting: started out defensive and unproductive.
  - We're trying to get more notices of mandatory notification on class syllabi.
  - Want video done by Feb 1.
  - Agreed to do a Town Hall in the spring, no date yet, will send the dates to consider.
  - "gray area" now means "everyone but the counseling office".
- Nancy: rape crisis nurse happening? They never told us:
  - Brian: this person will be a third-party on call available during normal office hours.

Jason (Graduate and International Affairs)
- Survey
  - Working with joey to combine surveys.
- Communications and Boothing
  - Want fliers to put on the buses. More targeted ads for the bus routes.
  - WE can booth in the elevator lobby in ECS. Want REGULAR BOOTHING SCHEDULED to increase presence and collect concerns for students.
- Organizations
  - Meeting with large international organizations. One of the largest Chinese organizations (FACS) didn't know what SG was or what it could do. Many Chinese students will go to FACS before even going to school with concerns. ALSO they have their own alumni network, because UTD doesn't handle alumni well.
  - Will talk to more orgs.
- Grievance boxes.
  - 20$ for 5 boxes. Want to put them around campus. Will make allocation. Targets: Res halls, SU, SOC, etc. For quick problem registry.

Uttara
- Umbrellas
  - Talking to Dani about samples. Will report back on quality and amount for purchase once we have results.
  - Joey: did we talk to Res Life about implementation?
    - Yes. Matt Grief is 100% on board if we buy the umbrellas.
- Foot Washing:
  - All we need is to decide locations.

Nancy
- Counseling issues
  - Not enough resources. Mental health assessment machine? Telecounseling?
- Midnight run (Traditions ideas)
  - Midnight CAPTURE THE FLAG INSTEAD!
  - Other ideas: slip and slide.
  - Doesn’t have to be huge at first, just want it to last.
- Title IX
• Read the script. Check to see if you like the talking points.
• Hit me up if you want to be in the video!

• Ravi (Tech)
  ○ Galaxy! Need more student input. Rahul is our rep, but more participation is encouraged.
  ○ InfoTech need more feedback and wants more student projects to occur.
  ○ Sg petition website: we have it! Need more Marketing! And an action plan.
    • Want EC to have training.

• Other:
  ○ Regent will be in town. Need people to attend! It's during thanksgiving break.
  ○ Joey felt bad for thinking about his best friend's mom. Freudian slip of the century.

• ??? Moved to adjourn. Nothing passed, but we left anyway.