Monday, October 13th, 2014  
DiGs 114 – 7:00PM

I. Call to Order by: Ian Deas at 7:01 p.m.

II. Roll Call by: Ali Jensen
   b. Absent: J.W. Barrera

III. Approval of the Minutes
   a. Motion: LaJoyce Jones
   b. Seconded: MJ Miller
   c. Approved by: all present

IV. Approval of the Agenda
   a. Amendment to allocated and remaining funds: see minutes below for accurate funds
      i. Motion: Nicholas Cunningham
      ii. Seconded: Jamal Tate
      iii. Approved by: all present

V. New Business
   A. Student Allocations Committee Report
      a. $8,3221.10 Allocated
      b. $21,677.90 Remaining
      c. Training: October 23rd at 11 a.m. in D1GS 114
      d. Interviews: October 24th
   B. Committee Discussions
      a. Civic Integrity
         i. Working on getting candidate information for voting registration
         ii. Contacting candidates for information
         iii. Space request pending
         iv. Come to next committee meeting to give suggestions for forums
      b. Programming
         i. Sent out an email to CCE for speaker
         ii. Pending cultural event status
         iii. WU Family Cookout Flyer shown
            1. Promoting gives today, so share on Instagram/social media
         iv. Student Allocations Application was approved
      v. Garnet and Gold Gala
         1. Space request rejected, February 28, April 4, or April 11 for McBryde availability
         2. Richardson available: March 21, April 4, and April 25
            a. Motion to Approve the 28th: Melody Sheets
            b. Seconded: Victor Volious
            c. Approved by: all present
   c. Public Relations
      i. Successfully completed flyer for organizations
ii. Committee chair requests were emailed
iii. Suggestions for Kiosk open
iv. Drafting up first calendar to put up
v. Go out to the Kiosk and check your name/organization, make sure it is correct
vi. Check website to make sure your information is correct
vii. Let Elliott know when your events are so he can put event pictures up for CSL
d. Student Awareness and Wellness
   i. Will not be an article in the Johnsonian because they are not printing a paper this week
   ii. Showed Michaela’s corner about parking, next week it will be about Dining Services

VI. Chair’s Report
   A. Renaming of Tillman Hall Discussion
      a. Rename to the Bessie Moody-Lawrence Auditorium
         i. First African American professor to receive tenure at Winthrop
         ii. Julian Holland: great way to satisfy both sides of the discussion
         iii. Jesse Perl: fine with not doing anything; a great way to honor her, but not a good way to erase history, founding fathers were racist but we do not remove them from history
         iv. Michael Ennis (audience member): bad idea, takes away from history Winthrop has, shows running away and hiding past, doesn’t show how we persevered
         v. Briana Murray: indifferent, concern about what people will call it even if we do change it
         vi. Ian Deas: discussion about renaming auditorium, not entire building
         vii. Maria Clarken: we have a lot of things on campus named after White Supremacists, not the right message to send to potential students; great way to honor someone who was very positive to our campus – a step forward in showing what we represent
         viii. Olivia (audience member): a great way to represent her, can’t go back and change history; are students aware of what is going on?
         ix. Jarvais Jackson: article is talking about renaming building, not auditorium
         x. Nicholas Cunningham: goal of this discussion is to determine whether we want to follow up with this past resolution – do this to honor Bessie Moody-Lawrence, not appease the people who want to change Tillman Auditorium
         xi. MJ Miller: she was a huge proponent for Winthrop in the government; positive on PR for university and she did awesome things for Winthrop University
         xii. Victor Volious: discussion about this resolution was not to hide history, it was to honor Dr. Bessie Moody-Lawrence because she had just passed
         xiii. Rob Vereen: nothing wrong with passing resolution, concerns that we are opening up a can of worms that we might start renaming buildings around campus to the point where Winthrop won’t be Winthrop anymore
         xiv. Shanieka Staley: won’t be an issue about renaming other things; we should try and make an effort because nothing else on campus is name for an African American
xv. Jesse Perl: bestow an honorary degree to her and rename auditorium
xvi. Victoria Weathers: in the middle; wants it to be more than she was an African American woman; make her achievements known; rename auditorium instead of building
xvii. LaVerne Page: Not a good idea to put Moody-Lawrence Auditorium in Tillman; but it is good to promote all history
xviii. MJ Miller: not even renaming it because it is only called Tillman Auditorium because it is in Tillman
   1. Have a short program about her and what she did for Winthrop so other students can understand what she did for the university
xix. Beth West: a great idea, definitely give out information about who she is, plant the seed and talk about why we want to change the name, not about the controversy going on
   1. Motion to table: Jarvais Jackson
   2. Seconded: LaJoyce Jones
   3. Approved by: 24 members
   4. Opposed: 0 members
   5. Abstention: 3 members

VII. **Open Floor** (Announcements/Questions/Comments/Concerns)
   a. None
   b. WiFi is bad
      i. On WinthropSecure, it has been saying the website is not safe
      ii. Michael Ennis: Winthrop IT started going around and access points weren’t working, trying to get them fixed
      iii. Maria Clarken: been lucky with WiFi, gets slow a lot, WiFi is least favorite part of Winthrop
      iv. Beth West: costs a lot of money to buy program that says website is safe, so that is why it says the website is not safe
      v. Jesse Perl: continuously trying to update; network routers, access points; gradual process
      vi. Nicholas Cunningham: Courtyard’s WiFi doesn’t work, not allowed to have their own router
      vii. Michaela Dunbar: Upstairs section in WiFi doesn’t work
      viii. Elliott: Library is a high traffic area -> stronger access point in the library
      ix. Jasmine Richards: realize that we do have multiple computer labs

VIII. **Adjournment** at: 8:08 p.m.
   a. Motion: Jamal Tate
   b. Seconded: Melody Sheets
   c. Approved by: all present