



**Students' Council Meeting**  
**MEETING MINUTES**  
 Wednesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm  
 SCFL 1-096 Multi-Purpose Space

**Present Council Members:** Chair Rep. Art Rejano [5:28]; Rep. Deniz Chakyl [5:28]; Heba Abukhadra [5:30] Rep. Jissell Diaz [5:32]; Rep. Lilliana (Lilli) Villalta [5:28]; Rep. Sukhmanpreet Kaur [5:28].

**Administration:** Executive Director Cherie Sawaryn - Daniela Cardona – Board Coordinator

**Guest:** Senior Administrative Specialist Amy Cole; Client Relations Specialist Sean Gallivan; Consultant Academic Strategy Jenna Gauthier; Manager, Academic Strategy Rebecca Bock-Freeman; SC Advisor Asha Kabeto; SC Advisor Ama Dogbefou; SC Advisor Angel Eustaquio; SC Advisor Jaison Singh-Narang; SC Advisor Lawrence Andrews; SC Advisor Naomi Torres; SC Advisor Souravdeep; SC Advisor Taranjot Kaur

<b>Regrets:</b>				
<b>Absent:</b>				
<b>Meeting called to order at: 5:46 pm.</b>				
<b>Quorum established at: 5:30 pm.</b>				
Agenda & Minutes	Motion by:	<i>Presenter</i>	Time	Notes
<b>Motion:</b> To approve the Students' Council agenda for May 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2025, as amended.	<b>Motion by:</b> Representative Chakyl  <b>Seconded by:</b> Representative Kaur	Art Rejano, Chair Rep.	2 min.	<b>Items Added:</b> Students' Council Member's Meeting Absences as item C  <b>Motion Carried</b> all in favor
<b>Motion:</b> To approve the Students' Council meeting minutes for April 30 <sup>th</sup> , as presented.	<b>Motion by:</b> Representative Chakyl  <b>Seconded by:</b> Representative Kaur	Art Rejano, Chair Rep.	2 min.	<b>Motion Carried</b> all in favor
<b>Old Business:</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>				

**New Business:**

- Items for Information:**
- **Class/Clinicals/ Work Schedules**
    - If your schedule has changed, please send it to Daniela

Items for Discussion/ Approval	Motion by:	Presenter	Time	Notes
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**A. Health & Dental Student Leader Transition Workshop**

<b>Presentation and Discussion</b>		Client Relations Specialist Sean Gallivan	20 mins.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation about the Health &amp; Dental services provided by Gallivan</li> <li>• Roles and response to; the students are insured by the contract holder, which is SANQC, the consultant/broker is Gallivan student Health &amp; Wellness, and the insurer is the risk/ claims adjudication/support services.</li> <li>• One of the consultant/ broker's commitment is to consult with the Students' Associations to learn what students are asking for or what needs the H&amp;W insurance has to offer.</li> <li>• Coverage: prescription drugs, dental, vision, paramedical practitioners, medical equipment &amp; supplies, ambulance, Travel (if student needs medical attention while travelling), tuition, tutorial (if student is hospitalized or sick for a long period of time, unable to attend class, a tutor can be set up and paid for by insurance), AD&amp;D (accidental dismemberment and death).</li> <li>• Gallivan also shared that they launched an app for students to download and make claims easier.</li> <li>• People corporation acquire Gallivan over 10 years ago, starting September 2025 the company will be transitioning to a different name, ALUMO.</li> <li>• The website will not change then. Communication would start September 2025 informing students about the brand name change, and the full transition would occur during 2026.</li> </ul>
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### B. Student Surveys and Priorities: Reimagine Refresh

<b>Presentation and Discussion</b>		Consultant Academic Strategy Jenna Gauthier and Manager, Academic Strategy Rebecca Bock-Freeman	20 mins.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rebecca and Jenna from the College came in to present Council about Reimagine higher education, which is a strategic vision for the academic portfolio at NorQuest College.</li> <li>The strategic vision that guides the operations of Academic portfolio at NQC.</li> <li>Another main goal from the guests was to get feedback from the council members about the strategic plan and see if it aligned with what the SC members know students' priorities are during their academic journey at NQC.</li> </ul>
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### C. Students' Council Member's Meeting Absences

<b>Discussion and Approval</b>	<p><b>Motion:</b> To approve Representative Diaz absence from the Students' Council meeting on May 14<sup>th</sup> and May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025, due to clinicals.</p> <p><b>Motion by:</b> Representative Abukhadra</p> <p><b>Seconded by:</b> Representative Chakyl</p> <p><b>Motion Carried</b> all in favor</p>	Art Rejano, Chair Rep.	5 mins.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No further discussion on this item, council members were ready to vote on the matter.</li> </ul>
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### Upcoming Opportunities

- Students' Council Week of Welcome Fest**
  - Wednesday, May 21 from 11- 12:30 pm

- **Week of Welcome May 20 – 23**
  - Bingo, May 20 from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

**In-Camera Session**

- No in-camera session

**Meeting Adjourns**

**Motion:** To adjourn the meeting at 7:47 pm  
Motion by representative Villalta

**Next Meeting:** In-person, Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025, from 5:30 to 7:00pm

These minutes were approved by the Board.

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Daniela Cardona Angel – Board Administrator