

Kean Ocean Senate

Meeting, Gateway, Room 427

October 6, 2021

Members

Courtney Atkins-CMJ

Linda Attanasio- Education

Lu Huang-Marketing

Fernando Linhares- Criminal Justice

Matthew Niepielko- STEM

Adriana Patricia Tagliaferro-Biology

Minutes:

We spoke about creating our charges for Kean Ocean Senate. We reviewed a sample document from GE from the past to get an idea of examples.

We brainstormed ideas for our mission and our role in the push to R2 for the future of Kean University.

- We discussed ways that Kean Ocean would like to be involved with R2, such as; expanding research initiatives at the Ocean satellite location and highlighting faculty researchers at Union who could come to Ocean to guest speak about their work, or potentially a credit course that could involve students, so that they could learn more about faculty research projects (research initiative course).
- We discussed the idea of ways to find out what research could be conducted on the Ocean campus.
- We talked about teaching release time, in exchange for more research projects for faculty.

One of our charges should be creating the bridge to connect the Ocean and Union campus.

- How do we educate Union faculty to have more awareness of Ocean procedures, TE, and the advising process?
- How can Kean Ocean students feel connected to events and activities at the main campus?
- Can we offer a new faculty orientation for Kean Ocean information and procedures?

We talked about the November 15th deadline for our charges to be issued to the full-Senate. Courtney Atkins will draft up the minutes and sent a group document on 10/13/21 to assist with charge development.

We nominated and selected Courtney Atkins as the chair and Linda Attanasio as the Vice Chair. We plan to meet and review the draft of our charges before November 15, 2021. There is a doodle poll, set up by Adrianna Tagliaferro to select a date that works for the group for our future meetings.