



Your JCU Student Union

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A Word from our President

Hello fellow Blue Streaks!

Thank you to all that represented our University in the best light over St. Patrick's Day weekend. Remember that no matter where we are, we are representatives of John Carroll and I am happy that so many kept this in mind and acted accordingly this past Sunday. Though it doesn't look like it outside, we are now entering spring and we are entering the final stretch of the school year. I hope that you all remain focused on your studies but enjoy the soon to come warmer weather. As always, please feel free to contact myself or your Student Union representatives and remember to come to Senate meetings on Tuesdays at 5pm in Jardine! I hope you all have a wonderful Easter Break and safe travels to wherever you are headed!

Kim Rossi

President

Executive Vice President

Hi JCU!

I hope everyone is having a great semester. Keep at it, we are almost there. I have been working on a number of programs that will help benefit all students, and save you all some money! The Student Discount Partners and Newspaper programs are two of the biggest projects I am working on right now. Expect some cool new additions soon! As always, please fee free to send me any recommendations you have; I am always

interested to know what other students want.

Tim

Student Organizations

<u>Vice President for Student Orgs</u> Steven Henderson '15

Vice President for Business Affairs Allie Stevens '14

<u>Vice President for Communications</u> Brianna Lazarchik '15

<u>Faculty Advisor</u> Lisa Ramsey, Director of Student Activities

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Hello JCU,

I have been working on establishing new student organizations on campus such as the recently recognized Helping Others Help Each Other (H.O.P.E.). I have also been working on funding many events that student organizations our sponsoring on campus through the Student Organization Budget Board. Many student organizations have also been able to travel to leadership conferences due to funding from S.O.B.B. Finally, I am working on a project to further increase understanding of the budget board process by creating a mock hearing video to put on our website. If you need any information on student organizations or funding please contact me at shenderson15@jcu.edu.

Steve

Communications

Hey Blue Streaks!

Remember to attend our meetings every Tuesday at 5PM in the Jardine Room! We have exciting guest speakers coming up! If you are interested in helping me out on my committee with communications/marketing for Student Union, please email me! Also, please remember to follow us on Twitter for updates on campus events and what Student Union is doing to serve YOU! Stay beautiful my friends!

Brianna



Congratulations to the Class of 2015 Senate for their successful event in the Schott Dining Hall last week! Way to represent!

Academics Committee

Our main goal this term is to explore the effectiveness of study space and study time all around the campus and make recommendations based on student and faculty feedback. This includes a potential recommendation for extended library hours. We are also working on providing better accessibility to color printing around campus. If you have any concerns, questions, or recommendations feel free to contact me at

sbraun15@jcu.edu. Thank you. Sam Braun '15

Community Affairs Committee

Hello JCU! My name is Danielle Cappellino and I am a senator for the class of 2014. I am the new chair of the Community Affairs and Service Committee through Student Union and am very excited to reach out to University Heights and strengthen our relationship. Feel free to email me at dcappellino 14@jcu.edu if you have any suggestions/concerns/comments or if you want to attend our committee meetings! *Danielle Cappellino '14*

Dining Committee

The Dining Committee has been proactively working to address the dining needs of the student body. Recently, we met with Dave Turska, the head of dining at John Carroll. After conducting a survey recently, Mr. Turska said that one of the biggest concerns of the student body is the lack of variety in the Schott Dining Hall. We can report that there will be some exciting changes coming in the near future, especially in regard to variety. The Dining Committee is also working on legislation, including one bill that will be introduced on Tuesday, March 26th. We look forward to continuing our progress in addition to the improvements we have made thus far. *Cole Hassay '16*

Diversity and Inclusion Committee

We will strive to develop an even more inclusive community at John Carroll through introducing unique and creative events on campus concentrating on diversity outreach, promoting tolerance through attractive and hands-on methods of education to students, encouraging relationship development between different cultural organizations on campus, and utilizing resources on campus (e.g. CSDI) to bring in interesting, diverse, and tolerant lecturers and entertainers. Please don't hesitate to contact me at dmarkovich14@jcu.edu with

any questions or comments! David Markovich '14

Residence Life and Facilities Committee

We are working in earnest to try to improve the dorm experience and the general environment of the JCU community. If you have any problems or any questions about filing work orders to get something improved, please do not hesitate to email us. All suggestions are encouraged and we hope to start thinking in terms of long term projects and big tickets items. We hope to hear from the student body for ideas and suggestions. Go blue streaks! *Chris Razek '15*