



## Palomar Transfer Students Association

Board Meeting Times: Thursdays

Start Time: 3:30 PM

End Time: 4:30 PM

Location: **MD-105** / [Zoom](#)

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### Chair:

**President: Kengo Hotta -P**  
khotta@palomar.edu

### Vice-Chair:

**Executive Vice President: Milos Vuskovic -P**

### Vice Presidents:

- **VP of Events: Maya Paredes -P**
- **VP of Communication: Imm Tongsiri -T**
- **VP of Finance: Ryan Javier -P**

### Executive Associate:

**Exec. Associate: Vacant**

### ICC Representative(s):

- **Kengo Hotta**

### Advisors:

- **Brittany Wong -P**  
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- **Destiny Costilow -P**  
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*Board meeting held on March 14th, 2024*

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

- a. Call to Order @3:37
- b. Roll Call
- c. Welcoming and Greeting
- d. Announcements
  - i. *None*

**2. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

- a. *Internal communications, each speaker shall be limited to 3 minutes*
  - i. *Transfer Recognition is happening on May 10th in Howard Brubeck Theatre from 16:00 - 18:00 (Brittany)*
  - ii. *New Student Orientation may happen in August, the board should start to prepare (Brittany)*
  - iii. *College fair is happening on Thursday, April 25th from 10:00 - 13:00 in the SU quad; a series of workshops are being held on the Monday – Wednesday of that week (Brittany)*

**3. OFFICIAL REPORTS**

**a. ICC Representative Report**

- i. Kengo Hotta
  1. *Kengo went to meeting; meeting time got changed from 9:00 - 10:00 to 9:30 - 10:30*
  2. *German expressed interest in attending*

**b. Treasurer's Report**

- i. VP of Finance, Ryan Javier
  1. *Ask for update on reimbursements*

**4. Upcoming PTSA Events**

- a. Outreach Event – March 19th, 2024 (H Building)
- b. Outreach Event – March 20th, 2024 (MD Building)
  - i. *Discussed about having to move the table in search for an outlet*
- c. Transfer Lounge – April 3rd, 2024
  - i. *Is in room LRC 436*
  - ii. *11:00 - 13:00*

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5. **Approval of Minutes**

- a. Approval of Minutes from the Board meeting on March 7th, 2024
  - i. *First by Milos; seconded*

6. **Topics of Discussion**

- a. Honors Program Advocacy – Kengo Hotta
  - i. Collab. with PTK Palomar
    - 1. *PTK is taking the initiative to start an honors program at Palomar*
    - 2. *PTK is conducting an anonymous survey*
- b. Telescope Podcast – Kengo Hotta
  - i. *Podcast got rescheduled to Monday, March 18th at 13:00*
  - ii. *Talking about the honors program—questions are structured around that topic*
  - iii. *Milos/Brittany expressed concern for why it's only PTSA/Kengo to attend the Podcast*
  - iv. *Brittany suggested to invite the PTK President to speak at the Podcast to have a dual representation*
- c. April PTSA events – Maya Paredes
  - i. *Ideas:*
    - 1. *CSU Alumni Panel (couple weeks after 2nd Transfer Lounge)*
      - a. *Discussion around what questions to ask/when to hold the event*
      - b. *The timing of panel may be less/more popular as it may not appeal to students (Too late? Not close enough to application season?) (Milos)*
      - c. *Brittany suggested altering the types of questions to accommodate that concern*
      - d. *Kengo asked who to invite/what schools:*
        - i. *SDSU, CSUSM, CSULB, Cal Poly SLO/Pomona, CSUNR*
      - e. *Timeframe: Week of the 15th should be good (can promo at the Transfer Lounge + there will be adequate time to prepare)*

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2. Fundraising event (Date TBD)
  - a. *No Discussion*
3. End of the year field Day (May 23rd?)
  - a. *No Discussion*

**7. Action Items**

- a. Collaboration with PTK Palomar to conduct a survey regarding Honors programs
  - i. *Motion: Milos; seconded*
- b. Election for Fall 2024
  - i. *Board agrees to table*
- c. Approval of PTSA funds to be used by Kengo Hotta for Transfer Lounge happening on April 3rd, 2024
  - i. *Amount: \$100*
  - ii. *First: Milos; seconded*

**End @4:30**