

**Elections Committee Meeting Grievance Hearing Minutes of May 7, 2020**

**I. CALL TO ORDER at 10:06 AM**

**II. ROLL CALL – INTRODUCTIONS OF ATTENDEES**

**Present:** Kenneth Lefin, Abhay Bilapatte, Sia Saquee, Erik Pinlac, Marguerite Hinrichs, James Carroll

**III. PUBLIC COMMENTS-**

**Public comment is intended as a time for any member of the public to address the ASI Elections Committee on any issue affecting ASI Elections and/or the California State University, East Bay.**

**IV. HEARING – STATEMENTS & QUESTIONS**

**The hearing is to review a grievance filed by Euridice Pam Sanchez regarding the hacking of her AT&T and social media accounts. Evidence provided shows that Khayree Wells allegedly went into the accounts unauthorized which shows a potential connection to Mahdi Fugfugosh' Presidential candidacy.**

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states that her witnesses will be her AT&T investigator. I will be contacting him through email, since he does not believe Zoom to be a secure network to be discussing this. As for witness of the emotional trauma, I want to include Kabir Dhillon. I have a statement written and I would for everyone to be open-minded and respectful. Firstly, I understand that a cyber-security hack is something none of us could have ever expected. This is a matter that is extremely serious and goes way beyond what any of us can do. I understand that an investigation to this extent is limited in a matter like this, due to the fact that cyber-hacking reports are usually handled by the FBI. A disclaimer, I am simply providing information. The Elections committee will make their decision. This election has been traumatic and chaotic, to say the least. As you might know, my phone number and social media accounts were hacked into and deleted before voting began. My family is having a very difficult time due to this. My campaign was severely affected, and we were all placed in an unfortunate situation. I ask the Elections committee to make the decision, thinking about today and the future, if future candidates should ever fear running for ASI. No candidate's privacy should ever be invaded during an election. No candidate's campaign should be eliminated with zero action from the Elections committee. The Elections committee should protect us, especially when matters go above and beyond the election. Now, I would like to explain my relationship with Khayree Wells. Khayree Wells is a direct campaign worker of my opponent, Mahdi Fugfugosh. They are fraternity brothers as well as close friends. A few weeks ago, Khayree Wells confronted me about a rumor he heard about me and he was clearly upset. I had to involve Erik Pinlac because of the severity of the confrontation. Khayree Wells and I have not been on good terms since then, however, we are obligated to work with each other, since he is currently a member of the ASI Programming Committee. Khayree Wells has previously expressed his interest in dropping the committee. The same rumor Khayree Wells confronted to be about was a rumor that Mahdi Fugfugosh fed on during the entire campaign season. The first time I heard about this rumor was from Mahdi Fugfugosh, before slates





were finalized. At the time, Mahdi Fugfugosh was trying to convince me to be on a slate because “people do not like me”, apparently due to this rumor I had not heard before until it was brought up to me. When campaigning started, his friends, including those that did not attend East Bay, would hack my social media page and threw comments about this rumor. The intentions were always to disrupt my campaign and image. I bring to the Elections committee new information that can help carry on that this hacking was not accidental. This information is from the AT&T investigator. Apparently, the Jovani we had believed to be involved, is not the Jovani from Cal State East Bay. This Jovani does not attend college and does not work at the location, previously worked out by Mahdi Fugfugosh. However, when he was shown a picture of Mahdi Fugfugosh, he claimed he looked familiar. Due to COVID-19, the transaction was completed outside of the AT&T store. The investigator believes that this allowed the impersonation of my father to be flawless. He also believes that it was a co-worker who utilized Jovani’s employee account in order to successfully bypass by id. Even the investigator mentioned that Mahdi Fugfugosh appears to have connections with AT&T. The investigator expressed to me that he definitely believes the motive for hacking was due to the elections. Although this grievance is about the involvement of Khayree Wells, I believe the following information is very necessary. After the sim card was transferred to another device, this person drove to Castro Valley and accessed the internet, possibly for Instagram. According to Mahdi Fugfugosh Instagram posts and our conversation via Snapchat calls, Mahdi Fugfugosh was in Castro Valley. The investigator then explained to me that cell towers are very specific. They have a five-mile radius. I was then able to find Mahdi Fugfugosh address online. I can confirm that Mahdi Fugfugosh lives within the five-mile radius of this particular Castro Valley tower. There is much information that leads us to believe that Mahdi Fugfugosh has something to do with the hacking of my account. It is proof that Khayree Wells had attempted to enter my AT&T account without authorization from me or consent from anyone in my family. I encourage the Elections committee to disqualify Mahdi Fugfugosh for the involvement of his campaign workers and another candidate’s personal information. Utilizing one’s personal connections to access information not available to the public is extremely dangerous and unethical. This definitely affected the elections because I was unable to contact my supporters through Instagram, cell phone, as well as the traumatic and emotional effect this had on me. That is all the evidence I believe I have today, except for the statement I provided to ASI elections with a timeline of how everything went about. I hope that we all understand the severity of the situation. If there are questions, I can try contacting the investigator. I have the proof of the emails with the investigator that I will be sending to the Elections committee. A. Orejel, do you have any questions for me? Should I repeat anything?

**A. Orejel** states that there are questions and we will go through the order first.

**S. Saquee** states that for the benefit of the public, Antonio Orejel, can you please share your screen with the evidence that Euridice Sanchez-Martinez provided from AT&T?

**A. Orejel** states that the information shown is from Euridice Sanchez-Martinez’s evidence. This one would be a LinkedIn account for Mahdi Fugfugosh and that he was an associate at AT&T to present. Another one is to show that Khayree Wells has Mahdi Fugfugosh on his Instagram, which shows his support for that.

**S. Saquee** asks A. Orejel to have Euridice Sanchez-Martinez explain the information she provided.





**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** explains what each piece of information is. The first image is a notification that I got, right before my Instagram was taken. I honestly believe that it was a way to distract me while other things were going on behind the scenes. It showed that someone in San Jose was trying to access my email account using the device listed. I immediately knew that it had something to do with targeting my Instagram. I tried protecting it and I reached out to the Elections committee because I felt like it had something to do with the elections. I immediately went to LinkedIn because I needed something to prove that I knew Mahdi Fugfugosh had connections. Mahdi Fugfugosh LinkedIn, I believe, has not been updated, but he clearly worked at AT&T in the Bay Area and also lives in Castro Valley. I knew that Khayree Wells also worked at AT&T and I wanted to be able to prove that he supports Mahdi Fugfugosh publicly. This defines him as a campaign worker of Mahdi Fugfugosh. He also works at AT&T in the San Francisco Bay Area. One thing that stood out to me is when Khayree Wells says that he is "...into technology and knows the ins and outs of how phones work". That to me, rose some suspicion. As you can see, he currently works at AT&T. The next item is a picture of Khayree Wells when he was on Instagram live and someone had mentioned that my account was hacked. I guess Khayree Wells' response was like "that sucks" and that they had a conversation in private. I attached the next picture because it was interesting to me to see that Elevate East Bay was being defensive to this matter when I had not publicly accused anyone of anything. They were trying to make us look bad, which definitely affected the elections. There was a lot of division at this time because people were thinking I was accusing people to affect their image. The post caused a lot of division and it was to elevate attempt to try and flip the situation. I am not sure why they were pointing fingers when I never accused anyone at the time. This is the Jovani I believe was involved, given the information provided by AT&T. The account override was only possible with an assistant manager access. I was surprised to see Jovani that works at AT&T, went to East Bay and is an assistant manager. The investigator confirmed with me today, that this is not the Jovani that was mentioned. Either way, Jovani could not have been involved because he was a previous East Bay student and campaign workers must be current East Bay students. The Jovani involved here is an assistant manager but does not go East Bay or work at a location where Mahdi Fugfugosh worked, but for some reason was able to recognize Mahdi Fugfugosh. Here is a screenshot of AT&T tablets that show when they access your account. If you look, you can see the name Melissa. This Melissa works at the same AT&T that Khayree Wells does. I am not sure why they were trying to access it. You can see where Khayree Wells entered in the account during a time of voting and elections were going strong. This shows that a campaign worker of Mahdi Fugfugosh was attempting to enter in my information during elections. I do not know why Khayree Wells would think about going into my AT&T account when people were already accusing him. I am not sure of his intentions. This screenshot was from the day my account was hacked and my Instagram was deleted. All of this happened around 5:20 p.m. on that Saturday. They accessed my AT&T account and added extra security questions so that we would have trouble getting back in and reversing anything. They changed the passcode and this person claimed that my phone was damaged so that they could put my number on another device. This device was an iPhone 7, which I do not own. They were trying to get an upgrade and I am not sure why. The investigator was able to tell me that they were able to track the location of this phone. Basically, after going to Fremont, whoever had this device, drove to Castro Valley. I remember when I spoke to Mahdi Fugfugosh, it sounded like he was in the car and I asked him where he was. I called Mahdi Fugfugosh because I was





worried, and I do not know why I thought he would confess. He told me that he was in Castro Valley. I also shared that Mahdi Fugfugosh also claimed that he was being hacked. It was explained to me that cell towers are specific and can only reach a five-mile radius. I was able to find Mahdi Fugfugosh address online because when you are a registered voter, your address is public information. His home is only four miles from the cell tower. It is possible that Mahdi Fugfugosh was the one who did the sim card transaction and took the device. The investigator told me that this person accessed the internet using the new line and in order to use Instagram, you need internet. To clarify who Jovani is, the investigator said that it is most likely that Jovani did not complete the transaction himself. Because of the COVID situation, the employees are allowed to step outside of the store to work, such as going to people's cars. This notification was from Instagram because someone turned on the two-factor authentication, meaning you cannot access the Instagram account without having the phone number. When I tried logging into my Instagram, I tried using my username and it kept sending a recovery code to my cell phone number. However, I was not receiving this recovery code because my phone had been disconnected. There was no way for me to get into my Instagram account. The investigator at AT&T told me that this person tried deleting all my things and tried deleting the account itself. If I were to ever get my account back, the pictures they deleted, I would not have access to them. The first pictures that were gone were the campaign flyers. I wanted to add that what happened to my campaign did not only affect me, but also Ashley Depappa and Jessica Iheaso. I had a lot of flyers with them as well. As the head of my slate, I was promoting a lot and I believe it affected how many votes I was able to get for Ashley Depappa, Jessica Iheaso, and myself. I had over 3,500 connections and most of them were students. Usually during elections, we direct message students, post reminders, and I was unable to do that due to not having any access. During the time my phone number was disconnected, I could not text people to remind them to vote. I was cut from all of my resources and even though Mahdi Fugfugosh claims that he was hacked, I am surprised they did not take his. I am not sure what to say, but there is a great deal about the evidence that proves that the intentions of the hack were to manipulate the campaign. Because of this, the Elections should recognize that, and our job is to ensure that students are safe, and that the election is fair. What surprises me also is that our school does not have a code of ethics, which other schools' elections committees do have a code of ethics. Even though we do not have one, our school should still make decisions and act with integrity and respect for one another. I do not want anyone in the future to think this is acceptable and get away with it. We need to make sure that our decisions are consistent. Last year, Mahdi Fugfugosh disqualification was due to his campaign workers and also had to do with student privacy because they were campaigning in housing. These are all related some way and somehow. We never imagined this would happen.

**A. Orejel** states that if Euridice Sanchez-Martinez has nothing to say in addition, they will move on to the complaint part and after, questions will be asked to both sides. We will move on to the respondent. Will the respondents provide their opening statements, evidence and or witnesses at this time.

**Khayree Wells** states that he would like to touch on a situation. To bring back Euridice Sanchez-Martinez's evidence, I felt bad for her. I did not go onto Instagram live to talk about it. I messaged Euridice Sanchez-Martinez asking her if she was hacked. Even though we had an issue in regard to what was said, I would not want that to happen to anyone, especially someone running for a position. That live should be out of the subject. To my LinkedIn, I am not sure how that proved





anything, but only stating that I liked technology. I want to prove my point. Like Euridice Sanchez-Martinez said, she was hacked on Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup>. I saw that she was getting hacked continuously. My first shift was Tuesday, April 14<sup>th</sup>. I felt bad for her and I also had her phone number, since we are in the same committee. I did access her account, but I clicked on “customer not present”, which does not allow me to do anything to her account. I saw that her account was still active, and her phone number was active. After that, I logged out and continued my day.

**A. Orejel** asks if Khayree Wells would like to add any evidence to the screen.

**Khayree Wells** states that at the end of the day, no matter what happens, I would never do anything of this sort. It is not me as a person and it is not my character. I don’t want anyone to think I would do something like this. I only checked to see if her account was active and I saw that the account was active. I did not touch her account or remove any phone number.

**A. Orejel** asks if Khayree Wells’ witness would like to say anything at this moment.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that at the beginning, Euridice Sanchez-Martinez brought up that I wanted her to be on my slate, in the start of November. Another person on my slate wanted to have Euridice Sanchez-Martinez on our slate. Since December, she has been lying. First, she stated she would think about it and stated that in January, she would run with us. Since January until two weeks before applications were due, she stated she would run with us, but cheated another group chat with other people. She stated how she wants to run for president while at the same time saying she will run with us. At the same time, the last day to file, when we brought up the situation about slates, we confronted her about that. We stated that we will move on without her on our slate. She became upset and then told people that we were submitting our application under our slate and one under hers, changing our slate. She was dishonest and had others lie to us as well. We never said anything because we believed that is the type of person she is and we never interfered. Even though my friends commented on her page, in twenty minutes, while she was in Sacramento, my brother called and asked what my friends were doing and told me to tell them to stop. I was not sure of what he was talking about. I went on her page, where she brought up the issue and I immediately posted a response to my friends telling them to not interfere with anyone or post anything negative. Never again did I interfere with her campaign. Now, addressing all the information Euridice Sanchez-Martinez brought, I worked at AT&T two years ago. I worked at the AT&T in Oakland. I do not know Jovani or met him. Again, if you look the account status, it shows that Khayree Wells did not make any changes. If you look at Jovani’s, it shows that it was accessed on April 11<sup>th</sup>. I have never met a Jovani and I am not sure why he knows me. I worked in Oakland and we have never gone to work in the Southern or mid-Bay Area. Khayree Wells stated that he worked on April 14<sup>th</sup> and Euridice Sanchez-Martinez’s account was hacked on the 11<sup>th</sup>. Khayree Wells has nothing to do with this and neither do I. She is trying to say that there are cell towers in Castro Valley. When I worked for AT&T, you could never get cell towers and it was made up. I have the iPhone XS Max and getting an iPhone 7 would not make any sense. Why would I need to go through all this trouble to hack someone’s account? Khayree Wells sent me messages after checking Euridice Sanchez-Martinez’s account. Khayree Wells told me that Euridice Sanchez-Martinez lied about her account. I asked him how he was able to check, and he stated that he pressed “customer not present”. I told him that I never knew that can be done and Khayree Wells stated that it is done at authorize retail. Khayree Wells stated that her account and number has not been changed since 2013 and she is making this up. Khayree Wells said he did not go any further because the information has not been changed since 2013. I did not do this, and



there is no need for me to do it. Even when Khayree Wells logged into her account three days after, it still did nothing to her account. Everyone knows that my fraternity supports me, and Khayree Wells, since we did nothing. Why is this being portrayed like Mahdi Fugfugosh did this with Jovani? I do not know who Jovani is and I will get every single one of my co-workers from Oakland to vouch for me. I am not sure who did this and I am sorry Euridice Sanchez-Martinez that this happened to you. However, it is wrong to accuse me of something I did not do. You can keep investigating with AT&T and I will cooperate and do everything with AT&T. It is ridiculous to say that Khayree Wells or I hacked your account.

**A. Orejel** asks if the respondent would like to ask any questions for the complainant for clarification.

**Khayree Wells** asks why Euridice Sanchez-Martinez would blame him for the hack. The first day she was hacked, I have messages between her and another person telling her that she feels like it was Khayree Wells.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states that she talked to that person in private because I did think it was you because of the incident we had. I knew that we were not on good terms. I did speak to her in private, but I did not publicly accuse you of anything. I did not even have a social media platform to do so. That was me talking to my friend, not me trying to post it and make you look bad.

**Khayree Wells** states that what he and Euridice Sanchez-Martinez went through was not serious. We discussed the issue and did not have much of a problem after. When her account was hacked, the first person she thought of was Khayree Wells out of everyone. At the end of the day, no matter what we have been through or discussed, she got to know me as a person. I would never do anything like that. I would not ruin her family's life by hacking her account.

**A. Orejel** asks Euridice Sanchez-Martinez if she has any questions to ask Khayree Wells.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** asks why Khayree Wells thought it was appropriate to access her AT&T account, even though it was just to check, without myself or family authorizing him to do so. **A. Orejel**, can you please ask Mahdi Fugfugosh if he lives near the Castro Valley tower which is located at 2419 Castro Valley Blvd, Castro Valley, California? How is Mahdi Fugfugosh able to claim that my account was not changed since 2013 when it clearly shows that it was Jovani's screen that shows that my number was connected to another device? How can he reject the claims when the evidence is there? How would Jovani be able to recognize Mahdi Fugfugosh if Mahdi Fugfugosh claims to not know him? How do you explain that this person recognizes them? Jovani was not informed of what was going on before he was interrogated. **A. Orejel** asks Mahdi Fugfugosh if he has any statements towards the question about Jovani. Mahdi Fugfugosh states that he does not know who Jovani is and I never worked with him. Again, can please give me the address for the AT&T tower?

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states that it is 2419 Castro Valley Blvd.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that he opened Google Maps. When Euridice Sanchez-Martinez called me, I was sitting in my house in Five Canyons. How can I do anything when I am a ten-minute drive away from the tower. I do not know who Jovani is. I worked in Oakland and my neighboring store is in Oakland and I have quite a few friends there. The only stores I ever worked with are Oakland, San Leandro, San Pablo, Richmond, and up north. I have never met Jovani and I do not have an iPhone 7. Khayree Wells did not make those changes. Everything





is being pointed at Mahdi Fugfugosh when I had nothing to do with this. Even when the account was hacked, I was sitting at home, which is in a different part of Castro Valley.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** clarifies that her question was does Mahdi Fugfugosh live within a five-mile radius of the tower.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** asks how he is able to get from his house to the tower just to hack Euridice Sanchez-Martinez's account.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states that it is the radius, which means you have to be within five miles of the tower.

**A. Orejel** thanks Mahdi Fugfugosh for providing the information and Euridice Sanchez-Martinez stating the question.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** informs the committee that there are cell phone towers in Five Canyons that can clearly be seen and it does not make any sense why Euridice Sanchez-Martinez would say that the call she made to me would travel ten minutes to the tower. I do not know Jovani, I do not own an iPhone 7, and did not make account changes.

**A. Orejel** asks Khayree Wells why he thought it was appropriate to access Euridice Sanchez-Martinez's account without permission and being an AT&T employee.

**Khayree Wells** states that he did it out of curiosity. I am thinking how her account could have been hacked. I did not think anything of it and other employees have done it when customers are not there. I had no negative impact before doing it. I would like to apologize for doing that as well. I should have accessed her account while she was present.

**A. Bilapatte** asks Khayree Wells if AT&T allows the access of a person's account without their consent and what was the AT&T store's reaction after this happened? Were you contacted by your manager or authorized person regarding this?

**Khayree Wells** states that the manager is aware of it and I am on suspension. The customer has to be aware of it.

**A. Bilapatte** asks Mahdi Fugfugosh a question. You said you did not know anything until you were told by someone else. Was it the same day or the following day?

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that he saw someone posted about the incident around 9 to 10 p.m. on Saturday, but mainly Sunday is when I saw it posted on Instagram.

**A. Bilapatte** asks Euridice Sanchez-Martinez if the dates of the screen shots are correct.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states that the dates are correct. Khayree Wells accessed the account after the account was already deleted. However, it should still be considered that it had something to do with the elections.

**K. Lefin** states that his main question is why Khayree felt the need to look into the AT&T account of Euridice Sanchez-Martinez. However, we have seen that he has gotten suspended.

**A. Bilapatte** states if Mahdi knows how AT&T accounts work in this scenario.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that he does not know completely what Khayree did. However, AT&T states that you cannot change anything in a customers account without them being present. Many workers get fired for this particular reason. Due to Khayree not changing anything in the account he only got suspended instead of being fired. The option to choose whether a customer is present or not present, only is available through retail and not corporate.

**K. Lefin** states if Mahdi knew Khayree was going to view Euridice's AT&T account or did he tell you afterwards.



**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that Khayree told him after he saw that Euridice number is still active and it has not been deactivated or canceled since 2013

**K. Lefin** states if Khayree can confirm that Mahdi had no prior knowledge that you were going to access Euridice AT&T account.

**Khayree Wells** states that yes, Mahdi had no prior knowledge.

**A. Orejel** states how was Euridice able to find Jovani's LinkedIn account.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states that she was able to locate his account by typing in his name. At first, we thought Jovani was from East Bay, however, it was later confirmed that he was not, yet he was still able to recognize Mahdi. I want to clarify with the remark that no changes were made since 2013. I did not change my number at the time but instead moved it to another device. I eventually got my phone number back, but it was not cancelled or terminated. Khayree probably did not see when I changed it to another device.

**A. Orejel** states that if Khayree knows Jovani.

**Khayree Wells** states no.

**A. Bilapatte** states if Khayree knows of Melissa.

**Khayree Wells** states no.

**A. Bilapatte** states after Khayree told you what he saw on Euridice AT&T account what was your reaction. Due to your knowledge of knowing about the consequences.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that Khayree was trying to expose Euridice for trying to blame other people. I first told him that I would not be part of any involvement due to being disqualified last year. Second, I asked him how he got the information and to keep the information he knows to himself. We know the truth about her number not being deactivate.

**K. Lefin** states that Mahdi said Khayree was trying to expose Euridice, but earlier Khayree said that he would never do that. This statement is going against one another.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states Khayree would never intentionally hack a person, however, he just wanted to call out Euridice for lying and saying her number got deactivated and canceled. That is all he was planning to work on Tuesday.

**A. Bilapatte** states that if Khayree was actively participating in campaigning for you.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that Khayree was actively asking people to vote for me on social media.

**E. Pinlac** states if Euridice knows Jovani, Melissa or anyone connected.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states that she does not know Jovani, but with Melissa all she knows is that she works in Sacramento and she has worked with Khayree. Recently, Khayree had to move back home to Sacramento due to the coronavirus. I also want to clarify that during this time I was in San Diego, while all of this was happening around the Northern California. I will forward the elections committee the information of Melissa's LinkedIn and her working with Khayree.

**S. Saquee** states that we received an email from Euridice.

**A. Orejel** states if Euridice can go over the information in the email.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states the email is from the investigator, Robert, who stated "this is an update on the unauthorized sim change that occurred on per your phone number (619) etc. on April 11, 2020. As you have explained, your number was taken over, which led to your Instagram account requesting a password reset that was sent to your wireless number. Which was out of your control due to the sim swap". The facts are that the incident happened around



5:19 PM on April 11<sup>th</sup>, and the location of the sim change was in Fremont. The change was done by the assistant store manager Jovani, later on the location of the device was picked up 2419 Castro Valley Blvd. In the second email from Robert, he stated that he failed to mention the first time that cell towers can be picked up from a five-mile radius of coverage. As we have seen Mahdi address is around the 4.2 miles radius of the cell tower. The person logging into my account by using Jovani's store manager information on an iPad. Robert and I had a previous conversation of viewing the security footage at the store, which confirmed that Jovani was in the back, while the incident occurred outside. During the investigation, Jovani stated that he did not do the sim card change, I would like to repeat again that Jovani is not a student. The iPad that was used, was not assigned to the assistant store manager, which relates back to someone using Jovani's account information. However, Jovani remembers that he had to use his information to an un subordinate during the time of April but cannot remember the specific date or employee. Also, Robert provided a picture of Mahdi to the assistant store manager, which then Jovani stated that he looked familiar. This is just proof from my AT&T investigator providing this information. I also found information on Melissa's LinkedIn account, which state she worked in Prime Communication in Sacramento. Khayree has mentioned before that he does not work at an actual AT&T store but is a prime communication with authorized AT&T location.

**A. Bilapatte** states if Euridice, Khayree and Mahdi knows who the email foolaroundtheworld507 belongs to.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states she does not know who it belongs to and she would not get involved to try to figure it out. One thing I did find interesting is in Khayree's LinkedIn account he stated that he wanted to be a chef one day. Therefore, I find it interesting how Khayree can be involved in this email.

**A. Bilapatte** states if Khayree knows anything about this email address.

**Khayree Wells** states that he does not have any knowledge about the email address.

**A. Bilapatte** states if Mahdi knows anything about this email address.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that he is not aware of who's email address it is.

**A. Orejel** states that he will now ask for Euridice to make a rebuttal and closing statement.

**A. Bilapatte** states before we start that I just have one last question for Euridice. What does the assistant store manager mean when he stated that Mahdi's face is familiar?

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states it was not clear if they have seen each other repeatedly or if it was a one-time occurrence. Due to the assistant store manager not being an East Bay student, I think it was just a one-time occurrence. I can also ask the investigator for more information. I just found it funny how the assistant store manager recognized Mahdi's face.

**E. Pinlac** states in the email with the investigator, is there any way they can confirm the person who Jovani gave access too and whether or not they were connected to an East Bay student.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states the investigator is going to send her a list of everyone who was working that day. Jovani is put in the situation in which no one wants to speak up due to the fear of being fired.

**E. Pinlac** states that it would help if we can figure out who was working at the AT&T store.

**A. Orejel** states that he will now ask for Euridice to make a rebuttal and closing statement now.





**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states what does A. Orejel mean by a rebuttal.

**A. Orejel** states that anything else she would like to say before we go into close voting.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states that as a victim of the situation. I encourage the Elections committee to disqualify Mahdi Fugfugosh for the involvement of his campaign workers and another candidate's personal information. Utilizing one's personal connections to access information not available to the public is extremely dangerous and unethical. There's concrete evidence that Khayree Wells was in the family's account and along with the confessions from today's meeting. Khayree entered my account without authorization and caused distress to my family while elections were taking place. Please consider today and the future, luckily, I won but I cannot imagine if I have not due to this situation. However, I cannot imagine in the future if someone loses because of a similar situation. No one should run in fear of running for an ASI position and that privacy should not be invaded during an important election. No candidates campaign should be eliminated without zero protection from the ASI election committee. Please protect us, especially when matters go above and beyond the election committee.

**A. Orejel** states that Mahdi and Khayree can now make their closing statements and rebuttals.

**Khayree Wells** states that he knows that his part looks bad. However, he never had bad intentions and that he is sorry. I hope she finds who actually hacked into her account.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states Khayree does not have anything to do with the hacking, despite him checking Euridice account and not changing anything. Which he still got in trouble for three days afterwards and I do not know who Jovani is or why his information was used. I am not Jovani and I should not be taking his blame. At the end of the day, I see this as an AT&T issue, due to not working at AT&T for almost two years and currently I am working at Apple.

**A. Orejel** states that at this time we will be having final questions. The first towards Euridice, do you know what store Jovani works at.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states that Jovani works at the Fremont store.

**A. Bilapatte** states that during the time of the incident is there a way you can prove you were home? Euridice claimed earlier that you were driving when she called you, what do you have to say about that.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that he can confirm with his mother and sister. How else would you like me to confirm?

**A. Bilapatte** states if the advisors can advise on how to move forward with that information.

**S. Saquee** states that Euridice mentioned she called Mahdi on Snapchat; can you confirm the location when you call someone.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states no that you cannot. On Snapchat, you are able to call people using Wi-Fi, which is how I was able to call him. When I screenshot our conversation, Mahdi stated that he was in Castro Valley and that someone was trying to hack him as well. I also want to make note of the possibility of the phone being delivered due to Mahdi living in a five-mile radius.

**S. Saquee** states when Euridice called Mahdi was it through video call.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states no but it sounded as someone was driving.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** stated when Euridice called him that he was at home and when she asked specifically where I told her Castro Valley. She continued to ask me where I work, in which I told her the Apple store and she asked in which location and I stated Stoneridge Mall.





**A. Orejel** states that if Euridice wants to explain her side.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states she did ask for his location and whether or not he hacked into her account. Mahdi then stated that he would never hack into my account and said may the best candidate win. For me it did not seem as a good sign when Mahdi said that statement, I cannot prove what Mahdi said but he knows he did. I did report the full conversation to the elections committee and like I have stated one could hear that there was wind. This conversation did not take place until 6:30 PM, in which I also have a screenshot of the time.

**S. Saquee** states that Euridice has a witness who has seen her mental health.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states if Kabir Dhillon can describe everything that has happened to me.

**K. Dhillon** states he can attest to Euridice mental health during the time of the hack. She was not herself due to looking devastated and terrified instead of being a happy person.

**Euridice Sanchez-Martinez** states she has been vocal to those she feels close too. My family felt very scared due to having personal and bank information in our account. We did not know if the person was going to take anymore extreme measure, we were also very paranoid, and my siblings were crying. Later on, the ambulance came to pick me up due to having a bad panic attack regarding this whole situation. I also have a video of me in the ambulance, I have also reached out to the crisis hours through East Bay counselors. Mahdi posted video every two seconds of trying to shut down my voice. I struggle a lot when I get news from the situation and I take anxiety workshops. This affects not only my life during college but outside of college as well.

**Mahdi Fugfugosh** states that he has never brought up anyone from another candidate or anyone on the elections committee due to not wanting to interfere with the elections considering last year.

**A. Orejel** states if anyone has any last remarks. Now at this time the committee will recess, everyone on zoom is welcome to stay, we will come back after a few minutes.

**1:35:25**

**V. HEARING – DELIBERATION**

**The Committee will recess into a closed session to consider complaints.**

**1:40:04**

**VI. HEARING – COMMITTEE DECISIONS**

**The Committee will gather the complainant and respondent(s) back to Zoom to state committee decision(s).**

**A. Orejel** states the committee has deliberated and based on the information we have made the decision that the evidence does meet violation. Especially student on student violation of private information authorization by Khayree Wells, based on that information, we want a student conduct investigation against Khayree Wells. The committee has deliberated based on the information presented, we have made the determination and believe that Mahdi will receive a warning for a campaign worker working at AT&T store. Should the respondents want to appeal the elections committee decision, this should be emailed to Martin Castillo at [mcastillo@csueastbay.edu](mailto:mcastillo@csueastbay.edu) no



later than two academic days from today's hearing. Martin will work closely with the Board of Directors for review.

**1:42:16**

VII. ADJOURNMENT at 1:02 PM

Minutes Reviewed By:

**Committee Chair**

Name: Antonio Orejel

Minutes Approved On:

Date:

