

University of Central Florida Student Government



Legislative, Judicial, and Rules Committee (LJR)
Student Government
University of Central Florida

Zoom Conference Call (803 671 913)
Tuesday, March 31st
4:45 PM

MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 4:46 (Presiding Officer: Chair Emma Custis)
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum:

<u>Name</u>	<u>E-Mail</u>	<u>Initial</u>	<u>Final</u>
Chair Emma Custis	sga_ljr@ucf.edu	p	p
Vice Chair Erving Rodriguez (SBA Rep)	sgacie1@ucf.edu	p	P
Senator Bonachea	sga_grst7@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Bonaduce	sgacreol1@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Davis	sga_sci4@ucf.edu	P(4:52pm)	P
Senator Friant	sga_grst2@ucf.edu	A	A
Senator Guerra	sgamed1@ucf.edu	A(5:16 P.M.)	P
ELA Lopez	sgacie2@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Milgram	sga_sci6@ucf.edu	A	A
ORS Vice Chair Oquendo-Beltran	sga_cah3@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Regan (E&A Rep)	sga_sci9@ucf.edu	P	P
FAO Chair Rembaum (GAP Rep)	sga_ba6@ucf.edu	P	P
Pro Tempore Representative	Sga_pro@ucf.edu	P	P

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3. Approval of the Minutes: Motion to approve by Pro Tempore. Approved by GC
4. Approval of the Agenda: Approved by GC
5. Announcements from the Chair:
 - a. Happy (almost) April! Make sure to finish this last month of classes strong!
 - b. Stay safe, file your taxes, and fill out the census form!
6. Announcements from the Vice Chair:
 - a. Stay safe and wash your hands!
7. Announcements from Committee Members:
 - a. E&A Rep: Did not meet last week. Meeting will be Thursday at 3:00 for Chair and Vice chair elections.
 - b. SBA Rep: No meeting between our meetings.
 - c. GAP Rep: No Political Fair. Deciding if it is better to do newsletter biweekly or weekly.
8. Announcements from the Pro-Temp:
 - a. First meeting with deputies went great.
 - b. Any legislation will be done according to statutes. Must go through Pro Temp to write legislation. Stay away from adopting legislation in committee
9. Announcements from the Attorney General:
10. Announcements from Non-Committee Members:
 - a. Brodie: Three senate meetings left. If you want things done, reach out ASAP.
 - b. Regan: did senator Gray Submit absence request.
 - c. Custis: Yes but it was at 5:10 yesterday.
11. Old Business:
 - a. Bills
 - i. None
 - b. Resolutions
 - i. None
 - c. Absences
 - i. None
 - d. Blanket Excuses
 - i. None
12. New Business:
 - a. Bills
 - i. None
 - b. Resolutions
 - i. None
 - c. Absences
 - i. Senator Atiyah Appline (Full Absence, 03/26/2020)
 1. First day at new job.
 - a. Rembaum: Full or Half-Absence

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- i. Custis: Full
- ii. MTV on Absence Request: 10-0-0, Absence is excused
- b. Senator Rachel Friant (Full Absence, 03/26/2020)
 - i. Had a phone interview with a potential new job, then had homework that was time-sensitive.
 - ii. Regan: I am going to be voting against. She was also in the company of another senator.
 - iii. Lopez: I am going to have to agree with Ryan. We have not been able to excuse homework.
 - iv. Oquindo: I will be debating against because as a long-time senator, she knows we rarely have a short meeting and it is not an excuse.
 - v. Bonachea: What was the date and time of submission?
 1. Custis: Yesterday (Monday) at 2:15am
 - vi. Bonachea: Phone interviews can be scheduled in advance and which
 - vii. Rodriguez: I also had homework, but will not request an absence because prior planning is needed.
 - viii. MTV: 2-7-1; Absence is not expunged
- 2.
- d. Blanket Excuses
 - i. None

12. Member Discussion

13. Miscellaneous Business

1. Accomplishments- Year end review-
 - a. Rodriguez: I love the consistency
 - b. Bonachea: Thank you for giving me the opportunity, but do not really have anything to say
 - c. Lopez: I like how we have been working very well with other branches, such as we had a meeting with Kyler and Tuley.
 - d. Pro Temp: I've always respected LJR. I love how unbiased LJR has always been. I love the initiatives and the leadership that has come through has shown that.
 - e. Regan: Have helped people either show up to meetings or get resigned.
 - f. Oquindo: The consistency and the unbiased aspects are what I love about LJR
 - g. Davis: I think the work has been remarkable. By having two former chairs, I feel as though you have always had a very open and welcoming committee.
 - h. Guerra: We all help support the internal bills seen in committee. Also, the revisions we made on the statutes is very important.
 - i. Bonaduce: I love the respect we have given. For example, we had a senator come in requesting mental health time and we all cared about the senator personally and that was our focus.

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- j. Custis: Thank you all for your input and you guys are the main part of what keeps this great.
 - k. Custis: There has been another resignation of Alysa Bishop, so be prepared for another absence appeal.
 - l. Davis: Will there be any more senate meetings for the semester.
 - m. Broadie: There is supposed to be two more after the A&SF budget meeting this thursday.
 - n. Pro Temp: Is there any chance we can let people know about how many absences there people have.
 - o. Regan: There will still be time for Fritz to announce peoples absences. Also, because this is a special session they will have an extra week.
14. Final Roll Call: Approved by GC.
15. Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:37

Key:

P - Present

A - Absent

MTD - Move to debate

MTV - Move to vote

MTA- Move to amend

PP - Postpone

PPI - Postpone indefinitely

GC - general consent

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