



MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 3:17 PM
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum: 6/11

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Chair Yalamanchili	sga_ljr@ucf.edu	P	p
Vice-Chair Hurst	sga_sci5@ucf.edu	P	p
Senator Datilus	sgacie4@ucf.edu	A	a
Senator DiChiara	sgacie5@ucf.edu	P	p
Senator Hameed	sgaecs7@ucf.edu	P	p
Senator Luthra	sga_med1@ucf.edu	A	a
Senator Nadella	sgachps4@ucf.edu	P	p
Senator Patel	sga_sci10@ucf.edu	A	a
Senator Pohlmann	sgasci11@ucf.edu	P (3:25 PM)	p
Senator Rivera	sgsci15@ucf.edu	A	a
Senator Sandlin	sgsci13@ucf.edu	P	p
Pro Tempore Representative	Sga_pro@ucf.edu	A	A

3. Approval of the Minutes: [LJR 06/08](#) approved by general consent
4. Approval of the Agenda: approved by general consent
5. Open Forum
 - a.

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6. Announcements from the Chair-
 - a. Hi everyone! Today we'll have a short meeting and see six absence requests. I am soon going to contact DSR Mittal about how LJR can best assist him in Senate event planning and how he can best help us in this regard as well.
 - b. This Day in History – June 15, 1752 – America's great Founding Father Benjamin Franklin was able to prove that lightning is a form of electricity.
7. Announcements from the Vice Chair-
 - a. SBA Concern Form is up, please add real concerns or ideas
8. Announcements from Committee Members-
 - a. E&A Rep - E&A is seeing 4 Judicial Nomminees today in caucus.
 - b. GAP Rep - We are doing recsearch for the possibility for an election day holiday for UCF.
 - c. SBA Rep - During the last SBA meeting, we discussed our current projects which are the QQ and WeChat ban, food waste managment on campus, and improving RSO's meeting places. Along with this, we also worked on the student concern form.
9. Announcements from Non-Committee Members-
 - a. Attorney General – hello, Im looking forward to working with you; writing forms of statutory duties for different roles. Working on the election calendar but not too much of a rush, starting interviews for the election committee (1 application so far, two interested, need a total of three people for a functional EC)
10. Old Business-
 - a. Bills
 - i. None.
 - b. Resolutions
 - i. None.
 - c. Absences
 - i. None.
 - d. Blanket Excuses
 - i. None.
11. New Business-
 - a. Bills
 - i. None.
 - b. Resolutions

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- i. None.
- c. Absences -
 - i. Ajay Patel
 - 1. Speeches: Requested an excuse for 5/25 (3 weeks ago); as part of my major requirements, I am working in a medical environment with a varied schedule. Working to stay on top of bills. No documentation.
 - 2. Questioning
 - a. Hurst: Is this outside of our timeline?
 - b. Yalamanchili: Yes, but I think the committee should be lienent about this.
 - c. Hurst: Why the liency?
 - d. Yalamanchili: if a senator was at risk of getting dismissed, there is more liency given to th individual, ad Ajay looks to be on the edge of getting dismissed.
 - 3. Debate
 - a. Sandlin: Hurst go first.
 - b. Hurst: We should approve this, but not again
 - c. Sandlin: As he is on the verge of being expelled, but maybe not today. Any kind of documentation would be helpful to give more leitimacy to the request
 - d. Yalamanchili: Ajay is at 2 out of 2.5 absences.
 - 4. Voting
 - a. Postponed to next week
 - ii. Adam Caringal (from last week)
 - 1. Speeches: Postponed from last week, the same as last week, and he would not be able to provide documentation, as he cannot give us information as to his orders. He only submitted ½ absence requests for the time he would be gone, but have not gotten further information.
 - 2. Questioning
 - a. Sandlin: Did he provide an email that stated the dates he would be gone?
 - b. Yalamanchili: he did not provide it, but he did tell us the dates of his absence. (6/24-6/11) which would mean he would miss 2 senate meetings (6/29 & 7/6) Only submitted an absence for 7/6

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3. Debate
 - a. Sandlin: I think we should move forward on this requested absence
 - b. Hurst: The base is in Alabama. I think we should approve this absence, but remind him to submit a request for 6/29 as he wont be back in time to submit one.
4. Voting
 - a. 7/0/0 this request is approved
- iii. Aiden DiChiara
 1. Speeches: 6/8 for the whole meeting; last minute trip to Atanta to help with work. Provided a picture of his boarding pass
 - a. DiChiara: Partially to see my parents who I don't see often, but also assisting with some work. I was unaware of the trip until the last minute.
 2. Questioning
 - a. None
 3. Debate
 - a. Hurst: We have one excused absence for family reasons, this is a good use of that.
 4. Voting
 - a. 6/0/1 this absence is approved
- iv. Ethan Temple
 1. Speeches: (For today's Senate Meeting) Hey guys! I submitted another absence requests because I am currently on vacation in Los Angeles, California from 15 June to next Friday. I got into California this morning at roughly 11:00 AM Pacific and we have a rather packed itinerary including traveling to the mountains. This has been a trip planned well in advance since at the earliest spring 2023, there about March to April. The travel time to our final destination in California will be well past 3 PM Pacific (6 PM Eastern) and since our itinerary is completely fluid I won't be entirely certain of attending tonight's meeting and as such am submitting this request.
 2. Questioning
 - a. None
 3. Debate

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- a. Sandlin: I saw the ticket, it was a little crumpled. As we have one family excused absence, we should approve this
 - b. Ethan types a lot, and I agree with Senator Sandlin
 4. Voting
 - a. 6/0/1 this absence is approved
- v. Vihan Yalamanchili
 1. Speeches: For initial roll call for last weeks senate meeting; Vice Chair Hurst took initial roll call; I had a meeting for a fellowship that I am in (men for choice) that was from 6-7 pm for Orientation. I joined the meeting around 7:30 pm
 2. Questioning
 - a. Sandlin: What do you think of the program so far?
 - b. Yalamanchili: I like it, you learn a lot about the anti-choice movement, and how male allies can be mobilized.
 3. Debate
 - a. Hameed: Since this is a really good educational opportunity, and we should excuse this
 4. Voting
 - a. 5/0/2
- vi. Vihan Yalamanchili
 1. Speeches: Today's senate meeting for intital roll call, going to be doing something with my internship, and will be there until 7:30 and the I will join the meeting, I have attached documentation that has information about the reception.
 2. Questioning
 - a. Hameed: Hows the internship going?
 - b. Yalamanchili: Good, the people are nice.
 3. Debate
 - a. Sandlin: I am happy that you are going to be able to take part in this event, I'll be approving this request
 - b. Hameed: Approving this request, I think this is a good opportunity.
 4. Voting
 - a. 5/0/2 this absence is approved
- d. Blanket Excuses
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12. Member Discussion-

- a. None

13. Miscellaneous Business-

- a. Icebreaker – What is your most favorite museum that you have visited and why? If you aren't into museums, you can just talk about what your favorite tourist attraction is.
 - i. Hurst: The Met in New York because there are a lot of ancient artifacts.
 - ii. Moore: Born in Maryland, go to Annapolis, there's a historical navy base, very cool ; USS Intrepid, you can tour the boat with the same view as WW2 people.
 - iii. Pohlmann: Just got back from London; Imperial war museum (Vihan would love it)
 - iv. Sandlin: Museum of Modern Art in NY Left me thinking for a while. Made me think about the world around me, and how people have different ways of expressing their experiences
 - v. Hameed: The Kennedy Space Center and there is a lot of cool historical things there
 - vi. Neda: I change my answer to the Ann Frank Museum actually it was very immersive
 - vii. DiChiara: National Museum of the American Indian (goes in depth on different tribes and the folklore / the food is really good) or the WW2 Museum in New Orleans
 - viii. Yalamanchili: National Air and Space Museum, I like fighter jets and things in the air and space. The Endeavor space shuttle is in Virginia.
 - ix. Sandlin: Museum in Jacksonville with a Van Gogh Art exhibit

14. Final Roll Call: 7/11

15. Adjournment: 4:05 PM

Key:

- P - Present
- A - Absent
- MTD - Move to Debate
- MTV - Move to Vote
- MTA- Move to Amend

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