

## MEETING AGENDA

Call to Order: 11:08AM

Roll Call & Verification of Quorum (5): 6/8

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Senator Hameed	sgaesc7 @ucf.edu	P	P
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Senator Hurst	sga_sci5 @ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Lacasse	<a href="mailto:sga_sci8@ucf.edu">sga_sci8@ucf.edu</a>	P	P
Senator Sandlin	<a href="mailto:sgasci13@ucf.edu">sgasci13@ucf.edu</a>	P	P

Approval of the Minutes: [06/09/23](#); Approved by GC

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Open Forum-

- a. Hassanein: Thank you all for having us, Xander and I have been going around diff depts and orgs and introducing ourselves, introducing MSC, talking about potential collabs to discuss and put on radars, but before that, introduction: Name is Judy, Asst Student Director of MSC, previously Cultural Director (cultural months, history months, etc). PolySci major, senior (excited to graduate). Cat is going feral

- i. Hurst: What kind of cat?
  - ii. Hassanein: Ginger and white, name is Simba
- b. Loliyong: Thank you for having us today, appreciate it, pronouns they/them/theirs, Director for MSC,
- c. Hassanein: Goals for MSC, doing some renovations, trying to get it to be more lounge/hangout area for all students, trying to engage more students and connect with more that we usually don't. Best way to do that is collabs, esp with people we don't normally do (SG). Upcoming Events: biggest one is Pride Chats (July 11<sup>th</sup> in Pride Commons) very intimate, small-scale event, adjusting to college life as LGBTQ community, August 2<sup>nd</sup> is the second one. Fall: LGBTQ+ History month in October, spearheaded by pride director Piper, would love to connect you with them, first two weeks are disability awareness, want to do something to highlight intersectionality, lots for Fall, want you all to fit in there with collabs or if you have events coming up that you would like to have us there, we would love to have that
- d. Carter: Works we are putting on, see in notes below.
- e. Loliyong: If want help getting in contact with LGBTQ support services, can help with that, they have a lot of stuff planned for fall (history month) so can give contacts for that.

#### Announcements from the Chair-

- f. Good morning, everyone! I had a meeting with DI Coordinator and Speaker Holmes. The DEI Coordinator and I discussed our initiatives such as tabling and the workshop we want to put on. The RWC put on some pride events last year and we could partner with them so she will talk to the athletics Coordinator. Speaker Holmes and I discussed the meeting I had with Color Me Queer (CMQ). RSOs are not able to table with us but we can have a QR code that goes to a link tree.
- g. Still working on reaching out to applicable RSOs, will keep y'all updated
- h. I emailed Sierra our logos and the items we want to table with or have at future events. Won't get here til late August
- i. Emailed FYE about Freshman Orientation Tabling and KORT about Opening Knight
- j. MSC is here with us today. So excited for them to be here!
- k. Please wear sunscreen, at least SPF 30 especially from 10 am to 2 pm :)

#### Announcements from the Vice-Chair-

- l. None

#### Announcements from Committee Members-

- m. Senator Hurst: Come to SBA please, it is very sad and lonely!

## Announcements from Non-Committee Members-

- n. None

## Old Business-

- o. None

## New Business-

- p. Caucus Description: FAQ. We currently have none 😊
  - i. Carter: Do we want to add? What Questions would we add?
  - ii. Sandlin: Probably do something similar to what they have in other caucuses, is this an RSO, can people outside senate join, etc.
  - iii. Lacasse: Black caucus has a pretty good one, can emulate that, is this an RSO, can non-senators watch the meeting, can RSOs become members (ex officio members), etc.
  - iv. Carter: is this an RSO, answer: no, we are a part of student government
  - v. Hurst: Black caucus doesn't currently have a FAQ rn (in the works), Q: how to get into contact with the chair/committee; Are RSOs represented in the caucus.
  - vi. Questions:
    - 1. Is this an RSO?
      - a. "No, we are part of Student Government"
    - 2. Can people outside of Senate join?
      - a. "Anyone can attend the meetings and speak if they would like to."
    - 3. How do I get in contact with the caucus?
      - a. Chair email:
      - b. "Feel free to email the current chair of the caucus using the email below"
    - 4. Are RSOs represented in the caucus?
      - a. Ex Officio seats, explain what they are and how many
        - i. Lacasse: There is 1 permanent seat and 2 rotating seats
        - ii. Lacasse: Rotating- they change each semester, an RSO can apply to have the seat again, meant to be so that other RSOs can also have the chance to be on the seat
        - iii. Carter: There's no legislation on it right now, we just ask if they want to be part
        - iv. Lacasse: From Black caucus, talked about how legislation needs to be written for Ex Officio seats, LJR? Right now it's very informal, we could appoint someone as there's no official rules, but it might be

where there has to be a vote to approve who will have the seat

q. Updates

i. Trans Workshop

1. Carter: did get in contact with DEI coordinator, having reps from Health Services and CAPS and industry professionals, partnership to discuss things we aren't trained in. Idea of having community partners, Senator Hameed taking lead
2. Hameed: No major updates, school has been a lot, new idea about it: clothing drive. Know that someone (YDSA??) has gender-affirming clothing drive. Could join forces with them, because it might not be effective to have two separate ones. Reach out to more people with our – Want to get in contact with the Center to do giveaways and LGBTQ services, could RSOs table at this event if they so chose to?
3. Carter: Believes so can table next to or have a table *at* the event.
4. Hameed: Get in contact, see if they'd be interested in that, come from exp of trans men, find more things that are not trans man, don't want to stop at just one perspective, find out what else can be done, any ideas are welcome, anyone that I can talk to, etc.
5. Carter: Can give senate email to get contacts, PSA might have some other ideas, other caucuses might as well. Keep in contact and updated.

ii. Freshman Orientation Tabling

1. Carter: KORT do opening knight, in main stadium that they do games, outside all diff rsos table, psa, caribbean student association, out and active, are there. Keep everyone updated on that. In terms of freshmen orientation, everything sent in except the pamphlet, have to start working on that soon, plan right now just chairs and speaker but if anyone else wants to help please do. Sent in late august (same with tshirts), sent in two logos to Speaker Holmes (one with flowers and other simple one) talked about pins and pamphlet and magnets maybe. Did discuss tabling in just orientation or consistent tabling (monthly weekly or biweekly on Wednesdays)
2. Fintel: see how it goes once we get into Fall semester
3. Carter: so first table and then wait it out and see how things go, general consensus: yes
4. Hameed: can we do a fun little game to get people interested in coming to our table?
5. Carter: sounds really fun!
6. Hurst: sounds interesting

7. Hameed: tiktok videos Answer this question or you have to do limbo, etc. Spinwheels and then do trivia or something and win a prize. (Have to name a senator from their college to get the prize)
8. GC: Yes this is fun
9. Carter: HOMEWORK- think of any fun games we could do at the table as well as prizes for the games that are kind of cheap
  - a. Hameed: Hopscotch
  - b. Spin the Wheel
  - c. Trivia
    - i. Hurst: UCF Trivia
  - d. Hameed: Cup stacking
10. Hameed: Hopscotch, draw on ground with rainbow chalk

#### Member Discussion-

- r. Carter: Next meeting July 7
- s. Hameed: Last meeting during pride month, happy pride month!
- t. Hurst: didn't write anything legislative for Pride Month, can do it retroactively
- u. Carter: October is LGBTQ history month, could do a proclamation in the future, can do something for Trans Remembrance as well, get MSC involved
- v. Loliyong: Usually for Trans Day of Remembrance we will have a vigil, the grad assist helps, LGBTQ Servies, hosted in atrium, have lights and flowers in the center, do a reading of the names of those that have been lost from the past year, and have gotten local community speakers to come in and share some words, open to including y'all in that, or if you need support on anything we would like to help support that. Will send out flyers and info out to ya'll close to the day, have stuff on social media. In general: if you all are ever in need of any on campus contacts or off campus org contacts for people in the community, please feel free to reach out, was doing outreach for lavender council and lgbtq services for past two years, has lots of connections through that

#### Miscellaneous Business-

- w. Favorite dipping sauce?
    - i. Hurst: not normal, japanese yum yum sauce
    - ii. Sandlin: Sweet chili sauce
    - iii. Hameed: blue cheese
    - iv. Fintel: honey mustard
    - v. Lacasse: any type of hot sauce is good, honey BBQ for dipping, also had honey ketchup was also really really good
    - vi. Carter: ranch, ultimate dipping sauce for anything, very versatile
    - vii. Hurst: Garlic sauce is also very versatile
    - viii. Hassanein: honey mustard
    - ix. Loliyong: BBQ or ketchup occasionally
  - x. Hameed: have a potluck for the end of the year
4. Final Roll Call: 8/10

5. Adjournment: 12:03 PM

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