



MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 11:03am
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum (4): 6/9

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Chair Carter	sglgbtqcaucus@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Caringal	sgacie3@ucf.edu	A	A
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Vice-Chair Fintel	sgaecs6@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Hameed	sgaesc7@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Holmes	sga_sci4@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator Hurst	sga_sci5@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Lacasse	sga_sci8@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Sandlin	sgasci13@ucf.edu	P	P

3. Approval of the Minutes: [5/23/23](#) ; Approved by GC
4. Approval of the Agenda: Approved by GC
5. Open Forum-
 - a. None
6. Announcements from the Chair-
 - a. Happy Pride Month everyone!

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- b. One-on-one meeting with Sierra and discussion our caucus initiatives and legislation we can enact. (Proclamations, resolutions, etc.)
 - c. Pamphlet idea which would be created by the chair, vice chair, and the speaker. Let me know if this should change!
 - d. Thursday June 1st, meeting with Color Me Queer E-Board
 - e. Also, please wear sunscreen even on your lips!
7. Announcements from the Vice-Chair-
- a. Sorry I've missed so many meetings! Started my internship and Tuesdays have been the busiest days for me.
8. Announcements from Committee Members-
- a. Sandlin: US Judge has blocked a FL law banning life-saving gender-affirming care for trans kids. Good step in the right direction. Not everything has been undone yet, but this is a good sign of potential things to come.
9. Announcements from Non-Committee Members-
- a. None
10. Old Business-
- a. Tabling Materials
 - i. Carter: Last meeting discussed pamphlets, but we can also have other tabling materials. What do we want from this? (Pens, pins, stickers,... etc.)
 - ii. Hurst: Pins might be good to have as they can be put on bags or a shirt. Stickers can fade over time.
 - iii. Lacasse: Pronoun pins are always a good idea. Bumper stickers or magnets.
 - iv. Sandlin: Likes magnets.
 - v. Carter: Can shoot for three items total to hand out, pamphlet would be one, and then pins / magnets can be other two items. Hopefully can get three, but if not is there one that we would want over the others?
 - vi. Hameed: Pronoun pins are a really good idea.
 - vii. Fintel: Another club has pronoun buttons already, so we might not want to overlap.
 - viii. Hurst: Can do different designs to differentiate, can get a look at the pins and buttons that exist and add some variety.
 - ix. Lacasse: I just know people like to have permanent ways to show their pride. In that case maybe like laptop stickers along with bumper stickers and

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pins if we can find a new creative design. Orientation pins or gender identity pins are also cool. If they don't have those

- x. Carter: We have time to decide to figure out what we would like, send designs or ideas in chat or to Chair Carter or VC Fintel please.

11. New Business-

- a. Caucus Description: "The Student Government LGBTQ+ Caucus serves as an avenue to advance issues that are unique to LGBTQ+ students. This is done through: Sponsoring SG Senate measures to address problems that LGBTQ+ students face. Preserving and advancing relationships with RSO's to better LGBTQ+ students' academic and collegiate experiences. Providing a specific open forum to give students and RSO's the opportunity to address the Caucus during meetings. Being in constant review of UCF policies and regulations that affect LGBTQ+ students."
 - i. Hurst: A good description, gives a basic understanding of what the caucus does without being overly long and a super long paragraph. Looks good.
 - ii. Carter: Agrees with Senator Hurst, it is good for what we're doing right now. If need be, we can add updates to the meeting times in the Fall when that comes around. Can also have an FAQ section in general as other Caucuses and Committees have an FAQ section, so is this something that we would like to include and what would be frequently asked questions?
 - iii. Hurst: Are there other questions other than "where in the world are you" as the meeting times and locations are the most important things that a lot of people would ask.
 - iv. Carter: Can add that into the FAQ.
 - v. Hurst: Can put , if you have any questions, email this email (the caucus email) and so if they have questions especially if they're specific they can know who to ask. A FAQ may not be necessary unless we know the questions that might be asked.
 - vi. Carter: Who can join the caucus and who can be part of the caucus, there are ex officio seats, if you're part of an RSO you can be part of the caucus as a seat.
 - vii. Hurst: That is good info to have out there, but we can also bring that up to LJR as if you're not a part of Senate you can still be part of Caucuses and Committees as an ex officio seat. Talk to Vihan about that.
- b. Caucus Logo
 - i. Carter: has multiple options made on Canva
 - ii. Lacasse: Likes the first option.

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- iii. Hurst: Likes the first and last one.
- iv. Hameed: The first one slays. Very swag.
- v. Lacasse: Four as a backup as like for different occasions.
- c. Tabling Info
 - i. Knights of the Round Table
 - 1. Carter: Have to get in contact with KORT as well as the people who coordinate the First time in college orientations for tabling and setup.
 - ii. Orientation Schedules
 - 1. Carter: Found orientation schedules for first time in college and it seems like the best time would be not during lunch but 2:45-5pm as people would be out of the orientations. Do we want to do afternoon time or early before check in so people can walk by on their way to check in.
 - 2. Fintel: if do later in day, run risk of people leaving
 - 3. Hurst: Will not be as hot, though. Will mitigate the heat a little.
 - 4. Carter: Sun peaks around 10-12. Can do early in the morning during check in to avoid hottest parts of the day.
 - 5. Hurst: Could work.
 - 6. Carter: Schedule for 3rd and 4th (Thursday and Friday). Also another orientation on 14th and 15th (mon and tues). Might be better to wait until august to decide so that all times and dates are finalized.
 - 7. Fintel: Good idea, get as many people as possible aware.
- d. Applicable LGBTQ Organizations & Ex-Officio Seats
 - i. Carter: Met with Color Me Queer, brought up idea of Ex Officio seats and explained, if we talk to one Org about the seats, better to talk to all of them. Believe there's a list of LGBTQ+ orgs, oSTEM, ESA, CMQ, Out and Active (unsure), Multicultural Student Center, Period@UCF, Fraternities and sororities listed, LGBTQ Services, Lavender Council, Diversified Greek Council, etc.etc. [LINK](#)
 - ii. Lacasse: Who is considered applicable?
 - iii. Carter: Ex Officio seats, one permanent member and two temp members by semester. Would be considered a full member and have full voting and count towards quorum. If open this, would have to conact every org to give everyone a fair chance as well as give two weeks notice before the session ends. There's a lot of orgs and only 3 seats. Do we want to open this option up and go through this process?

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- iv. Lacasse: I mean they all seem like good orgs. So I think we'd be good to have any org show that they're interested
- v. Carter: GC seems open to idea of having Ex Officio seats so will find link to application and then we can get to work emailing the different orgs and seeing who is interested and get applicatios. If y'all know anyone in other orgs, please let them know that there's applications and to email us if they're interested. We would have to look through the applications and vote on who we would like to fill the seats based on the application. Any questions?
(None).

12. Member Discussion

- a. None

13. Miscellaneous Business

- a. Icebreaker: Zodiac Sign
- b. Hurst: Taurus, doesn't know much else about astrology.
- c. Sandlin: Triple Libra, sister told him that that is very weird.
- d. Hameed: Sun Leo, Moon Pisces, Rising Sagittarius
- e. Carter: Pisces Moon, twins with Senator Hameed, Leo
- f. Lacasse: April Aries (Don't remember my moon or rising)
- g. Fintel: Libra and that's all I know 😊

14. Final Roll Call: 6/9

15. Adjournment: 11:42am

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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