



MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 3:41 PM
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum: 4/6

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Chair Yalamanchili	sga_ljr@ucf.edu	E	E
Vice-Chair Traynor	sga_cah3@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator DiChiara	sgacie5@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Hameed	sgaecs7@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Luthra	sga_med1@ucf.edu	A	A
Senator Pohlmann	sgasci11@ucf.edu	P	P
Pro Tempore Representative	sga_pro@ucf.edu	E	E

3. Approval of the Minutes: 2-15-2024 **Approved by GC**
4. Approval of the Agenda: **Approved by GC**
5. Open Forum
 - a. Kirsten: Hey 😊.
6. Announcements from the Chair-
 - a. Traynor - Hi everyone! Yalamanchili is currently driving to Tallahassee, and he asked me to chair today's meeting. We have 9 absence requests that we will look over today, and, depending on what we think as a committee, we can move to pick up the Bill, Resolution, and Special Act (as it was postponed).
7. Announcements from the Vice Chair-
 - a. None. :(
8. Announcements from Committee Members-
 - a. E&A Rep – We confirmed a justice. Vihan spoke about a proposed legislation about name changing in statues. Going to SG on tour for elections stuff. Reviewing Title 6

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next week. We got our candidate list. Super full roster!!!! Forum is March 5th.
Presidential “debate” is next wednesday.

- b. SBA Rep - Dining services meeting. Discussed our initiatives and they were recieved very well. Also free sweets!!
- c. GAP Rep – None.

9. Announcements from Non-Committee Members

- a. Kirsten: Um... putting together knighthon branch wars. Tell me punishments pls.
Due by next week before spring break.

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 and Special Acts
 - i. [Resolution 55-26](#) [Updates to Senate Rule 2 & 4][Chair DiChiara]
 - 1. Speech:
 - a. DiChiara: This is the transition document to make the military and veterns caucus a thing. Fully recognizes caucus.
Changes Latin/Hispanic caucus name. Just putting military and veterns caucus as a standing caucus officially.
 - 2. Question
 - a. Hameed: What have you done
 - b. DiChiara: Multiple legislation, many events (Iron Knight this saturday), working on rotc recruitment to highschoools, webcourse, better relationship with military and veterns success center, worked with restore on campus.
 - c. Hameed: The military and success center and other orgs like you guys?

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- d. DiChiara: Yes. They're here to support us as we support them.
- 3. Debate
 - a. Traynor: Technical seen. Fixed x in women's caucus.
 - b. Pohlmann: Put in as a ad hoc. Sees that it fostered a good connection with campus orgs. Voting in favor.
- 4. Vote: 4-0-0
- c. Absences –
 - i. Nadav Shanun
 - 1. Speeches:
 - a. No new evidence given. We've postponed many times.
 - 2. Questioning
 - a. None
 - 3. Debate
 - a. Pohlmann: Reject
 - b. Hameed: Reject
 - c. DiChiara: Reject
 - 4. Voting: 0-4-0 Rejected
 - ii. Amanda Hurst
 - 1. Speeches
 - a. Had to administer medication to my pets and could not find a sitter in time for the meeting. No evidence provided but is willing to provide.
 - 2. Questioning
 - a. None
 - 3. Debate
 - a. Pohlmann: Wishes there was evidence.
 - b. DiChiara: How could we get evidence? Hard to provide for this situation. Hurst wanted to be there but could not. Wants to approve.
 - 4. Voting: 4-0-0 Approved
 - iii. Nadav Shanun
 - 1. Speeches
 - a. Submitted last friday for the 15th. "Emergency and could not attend."
 - 2. Questioning

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- a. Pohlmann: What was the reason for the other excuse?
 - b. Traynor: Family emergency
 - 3. Debate
 - a. Hameed: Postpone for documentation?
 - b. Postponed until next meeting
 - 4. Voting: Postponed until next meeting
- iv. Andrea Vasquez
 - 1. Speeches:
 - a. For the 15th whole meeting. Mental Health day.
 - 2. Questioning:
 - a. None
 - 3. Debate:
 - a. None
 - 4. Voting: 3-0-1
- v. Christopher Federico
 - 1. Speeches:
 - a. For last week. Probationary member of phi gamma delta. Had to attend an event at Khi Omega.
 - 2. Questioning:
 - a. Hameed: Is he required to attend this event?
 - i. No.
 - b. Hameed: Is he on the verge of getting kicked out?
 - i. No.
 - 3. Debate:
 - a. DiChiara: Very much no. DO NOT LIE ON YOUR ABSENCE REQUEST WHEN SOMEONE KNOWS WHERE YOU'RE GOING AND YOU POST IT ON SOCIAL MEDIA. IT WAS A GAD NOT A SOCIAL WHICH MEANS IT WAS NOT REQUIRED. DO NOT LIE.
 - b. Pohlmann: UNFORTUNATE THAT HE THOUGHT HE COULD EMBELISH AND TRICK US. I TOOK THE ABSENCE HE CAN TOO.
 - c. Hameed: UNFORTUNATE.
 - 4. Voting: 0-4-0 REJECTED
- vi. Agastya Mittal
 - 1. Speeches

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- a. Initial role call for last meeting. Was attending an RSO event that he is the president for.
- 2. Questioning
 - a. None.
- 3. Debate
 - a. DiChiara: For medlife. RSO stuff should be approved.
- 4. Voting: 4-0-0 Approved
- vii. Agastya Mittal
 - 1. Speeches:
 - a. For todays meeting. Whole meeting. Needs time to study for MCAT. Super important exam for the rest of his life.
 - 2. Questioning:
 - a. None
 - 3. Debate:
 - a. DiChiara: I feel for them. They need this time to study. Academic based request. Voting in favor.
 - 4. Voting: 4-0-0 Approved
- viii. Vihan Yalamanchili
 - 1. Speeches
 - a. For last meeting. Feeling unwell and could not stay.
 - 2. Questioning
 - a. DiChiara: Similar excuse for a previous meeting? Have they gone to the doctor?
 - i. Yes and no to the doctor
 - 3. Debate:
 - a. Pohlmann: Act in good faith and believe they are telling the truth. No HIPPA issues here.
 - 4. Voting: 3-0-1 Approved
- ix. Ayden Traynor
 - 1. Speeches
 - a. Mental health day, feeling pretty bad after the career fair last week
 - b. Last weeks meeting. Taking a mental health day for last weeks meeting. Very hungry no food. Needed to rejuvenate.
 - 2. Questioning:
 - a. None

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- b. None
 - 3. Debate:
 - a. DiChiara: Valid king. You need to focus on yourself and eat some food.
 - 4. Voting: 3-0-1 Approved 😊 Yippee!!!
- 12. Member Discussion-
 - a. DiChiara: Hypothetically “political parties”. Doing research
- 13. Miscellaneous Business-
 - a. SBA Rep Elections
 - i. Nominations:
 - 1. Senator Pohlmann
 - ii. Speech:
 - 1. Pohlmann: “We haven’t had a rep in awhile. It would be good to have a rep and it fits with my schedule”
 - iii. Questioning
 - 1. Hameed: “Do you like SBA?”
 - 2. Pohlmann: “Yeah”
 - iv. Debate
 - 1. DiChiara: “Yeah” (Affirmation
 - v. Vote 2-0-2 Hooray!
 - b. [Internal Bill 55-10](#) [Updates to Title III: Removing Caucuses from Title III] [Former Senator Wangen]
 - c. [Resolution 55-13](#) [Updates to Senate Rule 1, 2, 4, & 7: Removing Caucus Leadership from the Senate Executive Committee and Senate Rules][Former Senator Wangen]
 - d. [Special Act 55-01](#) [Creation of Title XIV: The Student Government Caucuses]
- Final Roll Call:4 /7
- 14. Adjournment: 4:32 PM

Key:

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

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PP - Postpone
PPI - Postpone Indefinitely
GC - General Consent

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