



LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

UCF Student Government
GAP Committee Meeting
Charge On Chamber
07/10/2024
4:00 PM

MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 4:02 PM
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum (7): 8/13

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Chair Vasquez	sgagap@ucf.edu	P	P
Vice-Chair Varela	Sgsci15@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Barrios	sga_grst2@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator Blessman	sga_cah3@ucf.edu	A	A
Senator Candiloro	sga_sci3@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Chauhan	Sgachps2@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Corelli	sga_ba1@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Fuchs	sga_sci7@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator Greene	sga_nur1@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Gumerov	sga_ecs4@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Hall	sga_grst4@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator Hameed	sga_ecs5@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Shen	sgasci14@ucf.edu	E	E
LJR Representative	sga_ljr@ucf.edu	E	E
Pro Tempore Representative	sga_pro@ucf.edu	P	P
Governmental Affairs Coordinator	sga_govaffairs@ucf.edu	E	E

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1. Approval of the Agenda: [06/26/24](#)
 - a. Approved by GC
2. Approval of the minutes:
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3. Open Forum:
 - a. None
4. Announcements from the Chair:
 - a. Happy July! I hope everyone had a great break last week. Thank you to those who went to Chair Hameed and I's Legislation workshop on Monday!
 - b. Today we are going to be looking at a DATC timeline and a Voter Guide I made, I would love to hear feedback on it, and suggestions for other resources.
 - c. VC Varela and I met with the College Republicans President this week, and discussed their plans for the upcoming year, and offered support and collaboration efforts for that. VC Varela and I will also be meeting with the College Dems President after this meeting to discuss the same.
 - d. The GAC and I are planning a meeting with Gray Robinson to discuss the legislative priorities we may expect to see in this year's session.
 - e. <https://www.when2meet.com/?25565318-cFbl4> Discussing the remainder of GAP summer meetings, to not face quorum issues.
5. Announcements from the Vice Chair:
 - a. Hey y'all. Not much for me today. The legislative watch today is also short as the hasn't been much action in Florida politics recently, mainly due to the very busy federal news cycles
 - b. Legislative Watch
 - i. The University of Florida suspended 9 students arrested during the campus protests about the ongoing conflict in the Middle East. The suspensions range from 3-4 years. Each student presented their case in front of a hearing body composed of faculty but the Dean of Students, Chris Summerlin, overruled many of this body's sentences that were lighter on the students than the multi-year suspensions Summerlin doled out. Each student has appealed the punishment. Each student is also facing criminal prosecution and has pleaded not guilty.
6. Announcements from Committee Members:
 - a.
7. Announcements from Non-Committee Members:

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- a.
- 8. Old Business:
 - a. Bills:
 - i. None.
 - b. Resolutions:
 - i. None.
- 9. New Business:
 - a. DATC Timeline
 - i. [DATC GAP Committee Timeline](#)
 - a. Vasquez: Any questions. No? Slay.
 - b. Voter information/research:
 - i. [Research Doc](#)
 - ii. [UCF Voter Guide One Pager](#)
 - 1. Suggestions/Feedback:
 - a. Gumerov :Is it necessary to have the full location addresses?
 - b. Vasquez: I wanted to have the best and most accurate information. Lots of misinformation online
 - c. Vasquez: The reason that there are QR codes and website links so both digital and physical copies can connect a student to relevant websites.
 - d. Corelli: The date to register for primaries will pass soon. Should we keep that date?
 - e. Lazo: When it comes to the digital copy, is it going to be a link or a qr code?
 - f. Vasquez: We can talk about promoting it after we decide the information is good.
 - g. Greene: All QR codes work. 😊
 - h. Candiloro: Do you care if “For things you need to register for” the bullet points have periods? It’s a personal nitpick
 - i. Vasquez: I can take them off it’s no big deal.
 - j. Greene: The different subheadings might look better if the font were black rather than white
 - k. Vasquez: I can make that change
 - iii. Sustainable Options?

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- a. Gumerov: Maybe instead of a QR code we can have a big poster for students to look at for tabling
- b. Vasquez: Thats a good suggestion, I hadnt though of that
- c. Greene: What if we make the flyer physically smaller
- d. Vasquez: Interesting but the info will be really tiny
- e. Lazo: I would advise against using the small one.
- f. Varela: We focus on less paper and let the political RSOs handout the papers

iv. Additional Guides

- a. Varela: We should focus on amendments to not confuse students who don't vote in this district. Maybe we can describe each position rather than each candidate
- b. Gumerov: Young voters may care more about direct changes rather than voting on people
- c. Varela: We should not have any other guides, so we don't have too much literature

c. SG Website Updates: Final Review

- i. GAP Committee:
 - 1. [Description and FAQs](#)
- ii. DATC Page
 - 1. [DATC Website Update.docx](#)

10. Member Discussion:

- a. AAOTD: [tps://forms.gle/jE35DcktYwvSnD2GA](https://forms.gle/jE35DcktYwvSnD2GA)

11. Miscellaneous Business:

- a. Ice Breaker: Favorite Flower?
 - i. Gumerov: Tulip. Gorgeous Flower
 - ii. Greene: Hydrangea. They are like truffla trees from the Lorax
 - iii. Lazo: Rose or wood garlic
 - iv. Corelli: Vanilla flowers. Vanilla is the backbone of our society.
 - v. Chauhan: Dandelions. They are very pretty
 - vi. Candiloro: Lilies 😊
 - vii. Tulips. Water lilies. Roses.
 - viii. Vasquez: Lavender. Or begonia

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- 12. Final Roll Call: 9/13
- 13. Adjournment: 5:01PM

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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