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MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 3:18 PM

2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum: 6/10 (6)

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Chair Courts	sga_ljr@ucf.edu	Р	Р
Vice Chair Collazo	sga_sci4@ucf.edu	P	Р
ILA Al-Qudah	sga_sci1@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator DiChiara	sgacie2@ucf.edu	P	А
Senator Larsen	sgaecs7@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator Gimenez Valero	sgasci15@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator Naguib	sgachps4@ucf.edu	P	Р
Senator Wangen	sgachps5@ucf.edu	Ė	E
Senator Blessman	sga_cah3@ucf.edu	А	А
ELA Richmond	sgsci13@ucf.edu	P	Р
Pro Tempore Representative Morissette	sga_pro@ucf.edu	Р	Е

3. Approval of the Minutes: 08.01.24 Approved by GC

4. Approval of the Agenda: Approved by GC

5. Open Forum.

a. None.

6. Announcements from the Chair Courts-

a. Hey guys, so lovely to see you all in person oh my gosh. We are seeing one absence from the Summer, and this one will be the last of the summer absences



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- that we will be seeing. Besides that, we are seeing two Fall Semester absences and finishing Titles XIII and XIV.
- b. We will also be talking a little bit more about housekeeping things in Miscellaneous Business, but for now I do want to go over how I want us to carry ourselves in this Committee
 - a. Decorum
- 7. Announcements from the Vice Chair Collazo
 - a. Hi guys! I'm so happy to be back in person. The new absence tracking system is in full effect. Moving forward each Absence Request will have an associated identification number. These numbers can be found on the tracking sheet and KnightConnect.
 - b. Moving forward if you feel as though I didn't accurately record your debate or question, please feel free to amend what I have written. I want to ensure your perspective is clearly shared.
- 8. Announcements from Committee Members
 - a. LJR (GAP) Rep: None
 - b. LJR (E&A) Rep: Chair Courts: E&A did not meet this week.
 - c. LJR (SBA) Rep: None
- 9. Announcements from Non-Committee Members
 - a. None.
- 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. None.

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

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- c. Absences (Supporting Documentation)
 - i. Motion for S-Q-D: 5-5-5 Approved by GC
 - 1. Absence Request SUM-24-044: Steven Levine
 - a. Speech
 - Senator Levine: Basically, I attended my frats, TKE, annual event. It interfered with the senate time. That is where I was at.
 - b. Questioning
 - i. Pro Tempore Morissette: How far in advance do you know about this event?
 - 1. Senator Levine: The Wednesday of.
 - c. Debate
 - i. Senator Naguib: I will be voting in favor. He provided documentation. I encourage you all to do the same.
 - d. Vote:
 - i. 3-0-2, Approved by LJR
 - 2. Absence Request FALL-24-01: Ella Widerburg
 - a. Speech
 - i. Chair Courts: "I will be getting a radio frequency ablation procedure done on my spine in Tampa and will not be able to travel back in time. The only day the procedures are done at my pain clinic is Thursdays." Provided supporting documentation.
 - b. Questioning
 - i. MTD- Pro Tempore Morissette
 - c. Debate
 - i. Pro Tempore Morissette: This is obviously a medical issue, and she provided supporting documentation.
 - ii. Senator Naguib: I agree with Morissette, the individual provides supporting documentation, and this is a clear medical issue.
 - d. Vote
 - i. 4-0-1, Approved by LJR
 - 3. Absence Request FALL-24-02: Katrina Wangen
 - a. Speech

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i. Chair Courts: "Senate has not had Thursday evening meetings in nearly 2 years during Pegasus Palooza and Homecoming. Speaker Pohlmann made a comment a couple of meetings before the end of summer that made it sound like we would not be having a meeting the first week back. Because of this, I have been planning to see Role Model at UCF's Concert Knight since it was posted on Cab's Instagram on August 2nd. I think it is really important that students, and especially members of SG, show up for these big UCF events, so I plan to be in attendance for this event and hope I can get this absence excused as a prior engagement." Provided Supporting documentation.

b. Questioning

- i. VC Collazo: Has this senator been contacted regarding why she is not present here today?
 - 1. Chair Courts: She is in class
- c. Debate
 - i. Pro Tempore Morissette: I'm leaning to not approving this absence. The senator should take an unexcused absence. I don't see a reason to excuse this absence. Other senators who are attending this event have not requested an excuse.
- d. Vote
 - i. 0-3-1, Not Approved by LJR
- 12. Miscellaneous Business
 - a. Absence evidence
 - b. LJR in the Fall
 - i. Representatives

1. SBA: TUE 3PM-4PM

2. GAP: THUR 5PM-6PM (Laurel maybe)

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- ii. Statute Training Workshops
- c. <u>UCFSG LJR FAQ</u>
- 13. Member Discussion
 - a. Motion to Move to Informal: Approved by GC
 - b. Statute Training and Updates
 - i. Presentation

1. Title XIII, XIV

14. Final Roll Call: 4/10 (6)

15. Adjournment: 4:21 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