



### MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order 3:10 PM
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum (5): 5/8

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Chair Varela	sgasci15@ucf.edu	E	E
Vice-Chair Gumerov	sga_ecs4@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Beneche	sga_sci2@ucf.edu	P	E
Senator Johnson	sgachps6@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Vasquez	sgagap@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Caringal	sga_crt@ucf.edu	E (P@3:31)	P
Senator Greene	sga_nur1@ucf.edu	E (P@3:31)	P
Senator Sherman	sga_ecs1@ucf.edu	P	P

3. Approval of the Minutes: [10.4.2024.ICTC.docx](#)
  - a. **Approved by GC**
4. Approval of the Agenda:
  - a. **Approved by GC**

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## UCF Student Government Inter-Campus & Transfer Caucus

5. Open Forum:
  - a. None.
6. Announcements from the Chair:
  - a. Hey y'all. Sorry that I cannot be there today, I was scheduled for work ☹️. Big thank you to Vice-Chair Gumerov for taking over chairing duties for this meeting. I will be reading the minutes when I get home to catch up.
  - b. I will be attending the Rosen Dean meeting on 11/4, and I will be working with Richmond to see if I can join the Downtown Dean meeting whenever that is scheduled
  - c. Next week is Transfer Week so ICTC will be tabling at the U-Knight the Knights event in the SU atrium on Wednesday from 11am-2pm. I would love to see as many of us there as possible. I will be attempting to be there the entire time. Please where your polos if you plan to help table
  - d. Also, on Tuesday (10/22) I will be giving the same presentation we gave to Transfer Knights to Tau Sigma (the transfer honor society). If you can please attend to help out with this important outreach. The meeting starts at 7pm
  - e. ICTC will be teaming up with GAP and SBA to table Downtown on Tuesday from 12-1. I would like some of you to help out. Reach out to SBA Vice-Chair Vasquez or SBA Chair Hameed to get involved with that
  - f. I am considering pushing back the start time for the caucus to 3:30pm from 3pm. It will still be on Fridays. Please record in the minutes if this change would be better or worse for the caucus members
  - g. I will also be cancelling Caucus for next week because of spirit splash and to give us a rest after U-Knight the Knights. Go have fun!!!!
7. Announcements from the Vice-Chair:
  - a. Hi everyone, this is my first time chairing so please bear with me as I try to make it through and use Robert's rules. My proclamation for transfer week was approved last night woo!! So I am excited for that to get sent out to all the respective RSO's. I also reserved the member discussion section for us to discuss the potential new meeting time because I would like to get through business first.
8. Announcements from Caucus Members:
  - a. None.

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9. Announcements from Non-Caucus Members:
  - a. Richmond: go to the downtown dean meeting.

10. Old Business:

- a. Policy Priorities
  - i. Transfer Admission Timeline (JC/Katrina)
  - ii. SG presence at transfer orientations (JC)
  - iii. Encouraging better advertisement of transfer mentorship programs (Katrina)
  - iv. Encouraging CAPS to have a transfer shock workshop (also maybe issue finding to see if CAPS is adequate on satellite campuses??) (Autumn)
  - v. Credit equivalency and transfer issues (Beneche)
  - vi. Downtown/Rosen Outreach (Caringal)
  - vii. Rosen Dining Options (Vasquez/Varela)

11. New Business:

- a. Policy Priority Updates
- Transfer Admission Timeline (JC/Katrina)
  - a. Updates:
    - i. Varela: None. Hurricane messed things up
  - b. Next Steps
    - i. Varela: JC and Katrina meet to recalibrate on what is needed to move forward with this idea
- SG presence at transfer orientations (JC)
  - a. Updates:
    - i. Varela: No response from FYE
  - b. Next Steps:

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- Credit equivalency and transfer issues (Beneche)
  - a. Updates:
    - i. Varela: Me and Elle had another meeting with Brian Boyd (the registrar) on Tuesday. It went well but because of the hurricane he did not have a lot of updates on the initiative. As a reminder the idea was to require faculty to give reasoning on why they denied a transfer credit for equivalency if the credit is denied. During this meeting we also talked about how the registrar's office can better communicate to transfer students during the equivalency evaluation process. He estimates that the changes we talked about can be rolled out starting in summer.
  - b. Next Steps
    - i. Varela: Me and Elle have another follow-up meeting with Boyd in two weeks. I will also start working with Elle on getting language for a resolution down since that is something Boyd thinks will help from our end
    - ii. Beneche: Working with UCF IT potentially
- Downtown/Rosen Outreach (Caringal)
  - a. Updates:
    - i. Varela: Downtown Tabling next week. Dean meetings are coming soon.
    - ii. Caringal:
      - Downtown: The biggest issues are classroom layouts and charger/outlet accessibility. Shuttles are always wanted, especially at night. The food options are decent.
      - Rosen: Still the most common issue I hear is food options. Accessibility to food on campus is bad as machines are not always working and access across the street is unsafe through lanes of traffic. Having an on-campus option would be best. I have heard some issues with student areas not having outlets/good Wi-Fi too. Shuttles as well were a common complaint in terms of times.
        - a. Vasquez: Senator Widerberg is working on an initiative about outlets and charging stations for main campus somehow looping in satellite campuses.
  - b. Next Steps
    - i. Downtown Tabling, potential
    - ii. Rosen Tabling, potential

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- Rosen Dining Options (Vasquez/Varela)
    - a. Updates:
      - i. Varela: Me and Vasquez did some really good work for this on Wednesday. I confirmed that the only on-campus dining option is a cold food vending machine that is full of pretty gross food in all honesty. Everyone we talked to on Rosen has problems with the dining options. Me and Vasquez also walked over to the nearest shopping center where students have to go to for any dining options. We had to cross a double-sided highway so it's pretty dangerous and generally having students walk off campus to simply eat isn't good. I will let Vasquez cover anything I missed in this summary.
        - Greene: Lake Nona Cafe area
    - b. Next Steps
      - i. Varela: Me and Vasquez will work on making a survey to gather empirical data about the sentiment around dining options on Rosen
        - Vasquez: Work with dining services soon.
        - Johnson: Potential Resolution writing?
          - a. Yes, once we work with someone in power to fix these issues, and present them first, and then write a proclamation.
12. Member Discussion:
- a. Meeting time: 3:30pm
    - i. Greene: Yes!
    - ii. Everyone else: On board!
  - b. Initiatives for new senators:
    - i. Greene: College of Nursing specific initiative, Daytona and Cocoa campuses, next to state colleges there, get their AA, and then get their BSN

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afterward at the nursing campuses. People who apply to the nursing campuses here on main, and apply to satellite campuses as a backup. Commute back and forth if they get into one or the other. In the Nursing Association at Cocoa, on board for a shuttle from the main campus. Mentioned in the Dean meeting, not financially feasible, potential to give students who commute a stipend for gas/commute costs.

- Gumerov: Promotion of BSN at state colleges nearby
  - a. Greene:
- Caringal: Block schedules
- Vasquez: Need for clinical commutes?
- ii. Owen: Talked to Varela about Downtown initiative, tabling on Tuesday, going to find an initiative there!

### 13. Miscellaneous Business:

- a. Icebreaker: What is your favorite fall drink?
  - i. Vasquez: Chai Lattes
  - ii. Greene: Hot Apple Cider, Cinnamon Tea
  - iii. Caringal: Pumpkin Cream Cold Brew
  - iv. Pohlmann: PSL
  - v. Sherman: Cold Apple Cider
  - vi. Johnson: Maple Pancake Cold Brew
  - vii. Gumerov: Snickerdoodle Hot Cocoa
  - viii. Courts: Chestnut Praline Latte (Winter Drink, get it right)

Final Roll Call: 6/8

### 14. Adjournment 3:55PM

Key:

- P - Present
- A - Absent
- MTD - Move to Debate
- MTV - Move to Vote
- MTA- Move to Amend
- PP - Postpone
- PPI - Postpone Indefinitely

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GC - General Consent

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