



MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 5:04 PM
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum (8): 11/14

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Chair Vasquez	Sgagap@ucf.edu	P	P
Vice-Chair Varela	Sgsci15@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Candiloro	Sga_sci3@ucf.edu	A	A
Senator Chauhan	Sgachps2@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Corelli	Sga_ba1@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator Escobar		P	P
Senator Gimenez-Valero	Sga_sci8@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Greene	Sga_nur1@ucf.edu	A (5:10)	P
Senator Hall	Sga_grst4@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator Hameed	Sga_ecs5@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Reed		E	E
Senator Richmond	Sga_sci13@ucf.edu	P	E
Senator Rodriguez		E	E
Senator Shen	Sgsci14@ucf.edu	P	P
LJR Representative	Sga_ljr@ucf.edu	P	P
Pro Tempore Representative	Sga_pro@ucf.edu	P	P
Government Affairs Coordinator	Sga_govaffairs@ucf.edu	P	P

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1. Approval of last meeting's Agenda: [11/07/24](#)
 - a. Approved by GC
2. Approval of the minutes:
 - a. Approved by GC
3. Open Forum:
 - a.
4. Announcements from the Chair:
 - a. HELLO GAP!
 - b. SBA & GAP are officially tied for the biggest (&best) committees!
 - c. Today, we are going to discuss the legislative priority topics we would like to see on the survey, what questions should go along with the survey, etc.
 - i. Polera: Will GAP be at the same time next semester?
 - ii. Vasquez: No I will send out a When2Meet
 - d.
5. Announcements from the Vice Chair:
 - a. Nuar
6. Announcements from Committee Members:
 - a. Guadio: This week in LJR we saw a bunch of absences as well as one bill. Reminder that your unexcused absences get expunged at the end of the semester
 - b. Valero: I sent a When2Meet for a bonding night for all of SG in the general teams channel
7. Announcements from Non-Committee Members:
 - a. None
8. Old Business:
 - a. Bills:
 - i. None.
 - b. Resolutions:
 - i. None.
9. New Business:
 - a. Day at the Capitol:
 - i. Event Description/GAP Moving Forward
 - ii. [Presentation](#)

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- iii. Questions
 - 1.
- iv. Discussion:
 - 1.
- v. Qualtrics Form Topic Ideas
 - 1. Escobar: I tabled yesterday with a poster that said “whats the most important thing to you” and I saw a lot of reproductive rights and women's rights
 - 2. Vasquez: Housing insecurity
 - a. Gaudio: Renters and Housing Insurance
 - 3. Varela: Food Insecurity
 - a. Vasquez: Expand SNAP access to more university students
 - 4. Richmond: Transit, mobility, and walkability
 - 5. Greene: More funding for public transit/shuttles
 - 6. Polera: Toll Relief
 - 7. Varela: Firearm Regulation
 - 8. Escobar: LGBTQ+ Rights
 - 9. Hameed: Fafsa/Bright Futures
 - 10. Chauhan: Curriculum
 - 11. Richmond: DEI
 - 12. Gaudio: Vocational education
 - 13. Valero: Accessible and Affordable Healthcare
 - a. Varela: Expanding Medicaid and Medicare access for students
 - b. Greene: Medical Debt
 - 14. Gaudio: Educator Salaries
 - 15. Chauhan: Secularity
 - 16. Varela: Decriminalization of Marijuana
 - 17. Hameed: Mental Health Resources
 - a. Polera: Funding for UCF Restores
 - 18. Varela: Water Quality
 - 19. Gaudio: Pharmaceutical Availabilities
 - 20. Hameed: Green Energy
 - 21. Gaudio: Felons Rights
 - 22. Richmond: Voting Rights and Access
 - 23. Escobar: Enviromental Protections for State Parks
 - 24. Chauhan: Immigration

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- a. Vasquez: International Students
- 25. Hameed: Student Loan Debt
 - a. Varela: Predatory Loan Practices
- 26. Hameed: Free Speech

Overarching Topics:

- i. Healthcare
- ii. Education
- iii. Environment
- iv. Civil Liberties
- v. Public Welfare
- vi. University Priorities

Additional Qualtrics Questions:

- i. Hameed: Is there any topic that you are interested in that is not listed or you would like to elaborate on?
- ii. Hameed: Do you know what DATC is and then a link to an info page
- iii. Vasquez: What is your major?

10. Member Discussion:

- a.

11. Miscellaneous Business:

- a. Vasquez: SG Donation Drive "Knights Give 4 Good": Donation Drive (Friday, November 15 @ 10AM in SU Patio). We are collecting clothing, non-perishable food items, and monetary donations! Find the box in the SG Office. Donors will be entered into a raffle, with prizes spanning from merch from the UCF Bookstore, exclusive UCF Knights merch, and gift cards. Sign up to Volunteer: <https://www.when2meet.com/?27445470-3HjnS>
- b. Ice Breaker: Favorite Sea Creature
 - i. Greene: Manta Ray

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- ii. Shen: ALL OF THEM (bias is octopus)
- iii. Lazo: Octopus
- iv. Chauhan: Starfish
- v. Escobar: Octopus
- vi. Polera: Octopus
- vii. Jason: None of them 🙄
- viii. Guadio: Sea Cows
- ix. Valero: Dolphins and Turtles
- x. Varela: Sea Turtles
- xi. Vasquez: Sea Otters

12. Adjournment : 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

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