E&A MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 10:35 AM
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum: 5/4 (3)

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| **Name** | **Email** | **Initial** | **Final** |
| Chair Escobar | sga\_ea@ucf.edu  | P | P |
| Vice Chair Beneche | sga\_sci2@ucf.edu | E (10:46AM) | E |
| Senator Patel | sga\_med1@ucf.edu | A (10:37AM) | P |
| Senator Gaudio | sgaecs9@ucf.edu | P | P |
| LJR Representative, Chair Courts | sga\_ljr@ucf.edu | P | P |
| Pro Tempore Representative | sga\_pro@ucf.edu | P | P |
| Supervisor of Elections Brown | sga\_ec@ucf.edu | P | P |

1. Approval of the Minutes: [E&A Meeting Agenda 01.23.25.docx](https://ucf.sharepoint.com/%3Aw%3A/r/sites/UCFTeam-StudentGovernment_GRP-SGLegislative-EA/Shared%20Documents/SG%20Legislative%20-%20EA/56th%20Session/Spring%20Semester%202025/E%26A%20Meeting%20Agenda%2001.23.25.docx?d=w18325333133a4c87b322d51d2d0f9250&csf=1&web=1&e=PBhHHt) **Approved by GC**
2. Approval of the Agenda: **Approved by GC**
3. Open Forum:
	1. Former Chair DiChiara: Just wanted to come see Chair Elections. Endorsing Senator Escobar for the position of E&A Chair.
4. Announcements from the Chair Escobar-
	1. Thank you all for electing me. I hope we do great work with our bills and initatives.
5. Announcements from the Vice Chair-
	1. Thank you guys for electing me. I hope I can support the chair in whatever ways possible.
6. Announcements from Committee Members-
	1. Courts: You already know what it is from me, Dean Meeting Absence Requests!!!!!!!!!
	2. Supervisor Brown: EC is super happy to have an Assistant Supervisor of Elections. She is doing great already. The commission is working on finalizing marketing items and plans, if you have suggestions send them my way. If anyone is available to help us table today from 3-4 that’d be amazing
7. Announcements from Non-Committee Members-
	1. DLEG Collazo: Won’t be the Pro Tempore Rep for E&A, will be Morissette. Let me know if you need anything, let me know! We’ll be doing chair and vice chair elections today! Beneche has expressed interest in vice chair so there are only one candidates for both positions.
8. Old Business-
	1. None.
9. New Business-
	1. [Confirmatlions:](https://ucf.sharepoint.com/%3Af%3A/r/sites/UCFTeam-StudentGovernment_GRP-SGLegislative-EA/Shared%20Documents/SG%20Legislative%20-%20EA/Confirmation%20Materials/56th%20Session/Legislative/01.29.2025?csf=1&web=1&e=oaAV2E) MSQD: 5-5-5
		1. Dillon Morozov for College of Business Administration Seat 3
			1. Speech
				1. Wants to be a senator to represent freshmen. Recognizes the stress of being a freshman and making friends and having a good college experience. Wants to help RSOs gain funding for their endeavors. Was soccer captain and part of debate team in high school, no prior SG experience.
			2. Questioning
				1. Gaudio: Will you be running for next year?

Morozov: Will I be allowed be senator for this spring?

Gaudio: Yes.

Morozov: I will be running for Election

* + - * 1. Courts: Name 2 duties as a senator

Morozov: Be a part of 1 committee, and help the RSOs you’re assigned to

* + - * 1. Gaudio: What committees would you like to be a part of?

Morozov: FAO

* + - * 1. Gaudio: Are you available for LJR?

Morozov: I think so.

* + - 1. Debate
				1. Gaudio: Freshman Senators are great!
				2. Patel: Voting in favor.
			2. Vote:
				1. 5-0-1, **Approved by E&A**
		1. Evan Grosso for College of Sciences Seat 8
			1. Speech
				1. Grosso: Freshman studying math and biomedical sciences. Has been thinking of ways to get involved, and found SG to be a fit. Was nervous before university to be able to find opportunities. Wants to make UCF a better place. Experience includes volunteer coordinator of Spanish Honor Society in high school and subject learning facilitator. Wants to join ORS and ICTC. 2 associates degrees from before college.
			2. Questioning
				1. Courts: Do you have any initiatives?

Grosso: Collaborate with organizations and health career advising. End goal is to match students to private practices

* + - * 1. Gaudio: What do you plan on studying further?

Grosso: I plan to be a doctor. I switched into Pre-Med. Math is my best subject.

* + - * 1. DLEG Collazo: MTD
			1. Debate
				1. Gaudio: Not only is he a freshman, he is a math major. Math major has a lot of smart people.
				2. Chair Escobar: He is a really good candidate. Has two associate degrees.
				3. Patel: I appreciate how he is looking into helping Pre-med students. MTV
			2. Vote
				1. 5-0-0, **Confirmed by E&A**
	1. Bills – MSQD: 5-5-5, Approved by GC
		1. [Internal Bill 56-28](https://ucf.sharepoint.com/%3Aw%3A/s/UCFTeam-StudentGovernment_GRP-SGLegislative-Senate/Ef2ONOnnjrJIvCcTN01IcIYBZDVChYknC8XWxaiyrlRGJA?e=0wtb5d) [Updates to Title VI: Contest of Election] [DLEG Collazo]
			1. Speech
				1. DLEG Collazo: We have seen this bill before, I wrote it and presented it then it was remanded to E&A so we can now vote. There are many points of clarification and also clarifying roles in contesting elections. I added teh Attorney General becasue they will have to represent SG or the student and this is very important to have the Attorney General looped in on.
			2. Questioning
				1. Brown: MTD
			3. Debate
				1. Brown: I’m very happy to speak, and am in favor. I brought this to the attention of former E&A leadership.
				2. Chair Escobar: Will be sponsoring. It is a very big bill that is also very necessary
				3. Gaudio: MTV
			4. Vote
				1. 6-0-0 **Passes E&A**
	2. Non-Compliance:
		1. None.
1. Member Discussion-
	1. Election Statues Bills
	2. Collazo: Show grace to the new E&A leadership, internal legislation needs to be sent to me prior to Brodie and Maddie or it won't be seen, the goal of this to make sure wording of it is right. Also please CC me when reaching out to branch heads, especially Judicial as they can’t comment on most things
2. Miscellaneous Business-
	1. Nominations and Election of the E&A Chair
		1. Nominations
			1. [Senator Escobar](https://www.canva.com/design/DAGc5IKdAP0/JvMYHrHOXcIhaitPiFn5EA/edit?utm_content=DAGc5IKdAP0&utm_campaign=designshare&utm_medium=link2&utm_source=sharebutton)
		2. Elections – MSQD: 5-5-5, Approved by GC
			1. Speech:
				1. Senator Escobar: I believe I am a good fit because of my leadership skills and my experience. I want to implement beneficial initiatives and support students. In my pervious college I was Vice President of Fellowship Phi Theta Kappa. I am a LEAD Scholar and Caucus chair for UCF Dems. I understand the responsibilities of being the Chair. Communication is key. I believe a successful leader listens to and considers others feedback. Few of my indicatives are tabling, helping the election commission, creating tabling materials. Update the UCF website to make sure the roster is up to date.
			2. Questioning
				1. DLEG Collazo: What is one thing that you want to approve upon based on mine and former Chair Dichiara’s tenure as leadership?

Senator Escobar: Did very well reviewing and updating election statues, alongside supervisor brown. Would approve upon it by implementing these changes before election time next year/session.

* + - * 1. Senator Patel: How often do you want to table for EC?

I will work with Supervisor Brown. I think Bi-weekly is good.

* + - * 1. Senator Gaudio: How will you balance your responsibilities as Chair of the Latin/hispanic Chair and E&A Chair?

I will set aside time for both chairmanships. I will check my emails. Be on top things. I do not have a heavy course Load

* + - * 1. Chair Courts: MTD
			1. Debate
				1. Chair Courts: I believe Escobar will carry out this position very well. I think he will take E&A to the next level.
				2. Chair Courts: MTV
			2. Vote
				1. 3-0-1, **Elected as E&A Chair**
	1. Nominations and Elections of the E&A Vice Chair
		1. Nominations
			1. Senator Beneche
		2. Elections – MSQD: 5-5-5, **Approved by GC**
			1. Speech:
				1. Beneche: I want to be vice chair because no one else wants be Vice Chair. I have experience with an Agenda. I was Disability Vice Chair. I am LGBTQ+ Caucus Chair.
			2. Questioning
				1. Chair Courts: How do you best think you will support Escobar?

I think we are a team. We wrote out the bill together. I have no doubt I will be able to support him.

* + - * 1. Gaudio: MTD
			1. Debate
				1. Pro tempore: Chair Beneche has many accolades. And is prepared for the position. MTV
			2. Vote
				1. 4-0-2, **Elected as Vice Chair of E&A**
1. Final Roll Call: 6/4 (3)
2. Adjournment: 11:16 AM

Key:

P – Present

E - Excused

A - Absent

MTD - Move to Debate

MTV - Move to Vote

MTA- Move to Amend

MSQD – Motion for Speech, Questioning, & Debate Time

PP - Postpone

PPI - Postpone Indefinitely

GC - General Consent