



LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

UCF Student Government
LJR Committee Meeting
Charge on Chamber
11/16
10:30 AM

MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 10:35 AM
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum (4): 4/7

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Chair Urea	sga_ljr@ucf.edu	P	P
Vice-Chair Hurrell	sgacreol1@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Borges	sga_hm1@ucf.edu	E	E
Senator Parmar	sga_ecs2@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Tache	sgsci13@ucf.edu	P	P
Senator Wangen	sgaecs9@ucf.edu	A	A
Senator Yalamanchili	sgachps4@ucf.edu	E	E
Pro-Tempore Representative	sga_dleg@ucf.edu	P(10:47A)	P

3. [Approval of the Minutes](#): **Approved by GC**
4. Approval of the Agenda: **Approved by GC**
5. Announcements from the Chair-
 - a. Hey guys. Today we have a lot of requests to go through. As well with the storm we are going to have to motion to PPI a lot of requests.
6. Announcements from the Vice Chair-
 - a. Stay safe, have fun this week.
7. Announcements from Committee Members-
 - a. E&A Representative-
 - i. None
 - b. GAP Representative Tache-

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- i. They are doing day at the courthouse today.
 - c. SBA Representative-
 - i. None.
 - d. Pro-Temps Office-
 - i.
- 8. Announcements from Non-Committee Members-
 - a. None
- 9. Old Business-
 - a. Bills
 - i. [Internal Bill 54-28](#) [Updates to Title III: Senate Committee Membership][Senator Spaulding]
 - 1. Speech:
 - 2. Questioning:
 - 3. Debate
 - 4. Vote
 - a. **PPI**
 - b. Resolutions
 - i. None.
 - c. Absences
 - i. None.
 - d. Blanket Excuses
 - i. None.
- 10. New Business-
 - a. Bills
 - i. None
 - a. Resolutions
 - i. None
 - b. Absences
 - i. Ethan Temple 11/08 ; Dean meeting
 - 1. Speech
 - a. The Dean Meeting that is scheduled for 8 November 2022 at 11 AM runs in direct conflict with my Intermediate

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- Microeconomics class (ECO 3101), which runs from 10:30 AM to 11:45 AM.
- b. Proof: Class schedule
 - 2. Questioning:
 - a. MTD
 - 3. Debate:
 - a. MTV
 - 4. Vote
 - a. **Approved 4-0-0**
 - ii. Michael Kostis 11/12; retreat
 - 1. Speech
 - a. Visiting my mom in Tampa to assist her in her battle with Stage 3 Blood Cancer.
 - b. Proof: None
 - 2. Questioning:
 - a. MTD
 - 3. Debate
 - a. Tache: I think Michael is going every other weekend, it has been happening a lot.
 - 4. Vote
 - a. **Approved 4-0-0**
 - iii. Michael Kostis 11/10; Whole meeting
 - 1. Speech
 - a. Visiting my mom in Tampa to assist her in her battle with Stage 3 Blood Cancer.
 - b. Proof: None
 - 2. Questioning:
 - a.
 - 3. Debate
 - a.
 - 4. Vote
 - a. **PPI**
 - iv. Alexa Anderson 11/12; retreat
 - 1. Speech

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- a. I ordered an EDC Orlando ticket mid June and got the confirmation for my three day ticket June 29th! This will be the same day as the Senate retreat!
 - b. Proof: EDC ticket
2. Questioning:
 - a. MTD
3. Debate
 - a. Tache: I think it's kind of silly we had a retreat on Saturday for senators who already know what the senate is and how it works. I am going to approve any absence for retreat that has validity
 - b. Parmar: That would cause an issue. Wouldn't it?
 - c. Urea: It goes against our policy unfortunately. And it was unfortunate timing but it is our policy.
 - d. Parmar: I think we should approve it because the retreat was last minute and they bought their ticket beforehand.
 - e. After Tabling:
 - i. Urea: One it goes against our policy, two in statutes it says we must go to retreat.
 - ii. Patel: I am conflicted because you are all right, and the boring answer is that we have 2 absences for a reason. If we approve this we will have to approve more later on.
4. Vote
 - a. 2-2-0
 - b. Tabled
 - c. **Denied 1-4-0**
- v. Michael Kostis 11/10; Whole meeting
 1. Speech
 - a. Visiting my mom in Tampa to assist her in her battle with Stage 3 Blood Cancer.
 - b. Proof: None
 2. Questioning:
 3. Debate
 4. Vote

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a. PPI

vi. Brianna Urea 11/17; Whole meeting

1. Speech

a. Sorry I have a sorority event. cringe. I have my sororities semi formal on the 17th. My check in time will likely be 7:15 so I can't come to senate. It is once a year and a really big event as well I don't know what the charge would be but it would be at least \$70. We have approved this last semester for other girls so please do this for me lol 🙄 🙄 🙄

b. Proof: documentation of event

2. Questioning:

a. MTD

3. Debate

a. MTV

4. Vote

a. Approved 3-0-1

vii. Brianna Urea 11/10; Whole meeting

1. Speech

a. I have a philanthropy event for my sorority from 5-9. The philanthropy girl in my sorority said the event will likely go closer to 11. I do not know how long senate will go but I will likely have to stay to clean up for at least 30 minutes. If I do not go the charge is \$150 for missing it.

b. Proof: documentation of event

2. Questioning:

3. Debate

4. Vote

a. PPI

viii. Sebastian Simko 11/03; Whole meeting

1. Speech

a. Hello! The reason why I couldn't attend the meeting in person was a result of me visiting my girlfriend. I know to some that might sound silly but me and her are in a long distance relationship and in order to keep our 4+ year relationship strong we need to visit each other every once in a while. I

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can't afford to just buy a flight at anytime and the date of 11/02 was the most affordable for my budget. Even though I was unable to be present in person I still attended the meeting online. For those who remember I did join zoom to speak on my resolution and I did attend SBA earlier in the day remotely. If this isn't considered a valid enough excuse please consider this absence as a mental health break as I also am using this trip as a much needed break from exams and extracurriculars. Thank you!

Did submit in time, but with the hurricane it got pushed back.

b. Proof: Boarding pass for flights

2. Questioning:

a. Do we have anything for flights? Or is it just weddings?

i. Yeah it is usually just for prior engagement.

b. Patel: How many absences does he have?

i. 0.5

c. Tache: Was this the meeting he joined zoom to talk about his bill?

i. Yes

3. Debate

a. Tache: I think since he joined zoom to talk about his bill, he did his job. I know the struggle of long distance.

b. Patel: I think we should see this as a mental health day.

4. Vote

a. Approved 5-0-0

ix. Ryan McClellan 10/20; Whole meeting

1. Speech

a. I had fallen down the stairs in my dorm room 30 minutes before the meeting started and was injured and unable to come to campus that night.

b. Proof: none

2. Questioning:

a. MTD

3. Debate

a. MTV

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4. Vote
 - a. **Approved 5-0-0**
- x. Aaron Brenner 11/03; Whole meeting
 1. Speech
 - a. I am moving into my new housing for the very first time since my apartment was last destroyed. Because I am going away tomorrow until Monday, this is the last day I can move in because the hotel I was currently staying at for the past 4 weeks is no longer allowing me to live there. Therefore, I have to miss senate in order to make sure I can move in with all my belongings. Attached below is documentation that I am going away tomorrow.
 - b. Proof: flight ticket
 2. Questioning:
 - a. MTD
 3. Debate
 - a. Tache: We should approve all his absence that poor boy.
 4. Vote
 - a. **Approved 5-0-0**
- xi. Tyler Borges 11/10; Whole meeting
 1. Speech
 - a. I have a conference in Boston, Massachusetts for oSTEM from November 10th to November 13th. This is a professional development conference that I got CRT funding for and have been anticipating for a while, it was approved a while back.
 - b. Proof: crt allocation proof
 2. Questioning:
 3. Debate
 4. Vote
 - a. **PPI**
- xii. Brooke Martin 11/03; Whole meeting
 1. Speech
 - a. I am sick with strep throat.
 - b. Proof: Doctors note
 2. Questioning:
 - a. MTD
 3. Debate

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- a. Patel: She was sick
- 4. Vote
 - a. **Approved 5-0-0**
- xiii. Tyler Borges 11/12; Retreat
 - 1. Speech
 - a. I have a conference in Boston, Massachusetts for oSTEM. This is a professional development conference that I got CRT funding for and have been anticipating for a while, it was approved before the retreat day and time were released.
 - b. Proof: crt allocation proof
 - 2. Questioning:
 - a. Hurrell: Do we approve even if he didn't go to the conference?
 - i. We will vote knowing the information we know
 - b. Tache: What happened?
 - i. It got canceled because of the hurricane
 - c. Tache: Should he resubmit for half absence?
 - i. Yeah he can.
 - 3. Debate
 - a. Parmar: We should deny and he can submit half absence, since he didn't go to the conference.
 - 4. Vote
 - a. **Denied 0-5-0**
- xiv. Annabelle Perry 11/12; Retreat
 - 1. Speech
 - a. I have had a prior commitment since before I was appointed to the seat on the senate. I will be unavailable from 8am - 7pm.
 - b. Proof: None
 - 2. Questioning
 - a. MTD
 - 3. Debate
 - a. MTV
 - 4. Vote
 - a. **Approved 5-0-0**
- xv. Sebastian Simko 11/12; Retreat

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1. Speech

- a. Due to school getting cancelled this week due to Hurricane Nicole I decided what would be best is to drive back home to South Florida until Monday. Unfortunately because this is a 4 hour drive I won't be able to return back until Sunday afternoon meaning I'd miss the retreat. I'm sorry :'(
- b. Proof: None

2. Questioning

- a. MTD

3. Debate

- a. Tache: We weren't made aware that we would still have the retreat because of this hurricane.
- b. Urea: I did drive back
- c. Tache: Because you're lame
- d. Parmar: I would like some more debate on this topic, since I am conflicted on this absence request.
- e. Tache: The university didn't tell us whether or not we would be opening until friday so we shouldn't have had it.

4. Vote

- a. **Approved 5-0-0**

xvi. Evan Caldwell 11/03; Whole meeting

1. Speech

- a. I sprained my ankle recently and while I have been able to get around for the past few days it flared up a lot recently and I need to be able to elevate and ice it. Also content warning on the image I am attaching as it is an image of an inflamed foot.
- b. Proof: Pic of dogs

2. Questioning

- a. MTD

3. Debate

- a. Tache: I was with him earlier that day. He was in a lot of pain. He did also text Urea to see if it would be approved and he was under the impression it would get approved and so we should approve it.

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xvii. Evan Caldwell 11/12; Retreat

1. Speech

a. I work at Rollins College on the Sodexo Magic Food service campaign this Saturday.

b. Proof: None

2. Questioning

a. MTD

3. Debate

a. MTV

4. Vote

a. Approved 5-0-0

xviii. Duane Domino 11/12; Retreat

1. Speech

a. Overnight shift at work running long and will have no functionality

b. Proof: None

2. Questioning

a. MTD

3. Debate

a. MTV

4. Vote

a. Approved 5-0-0

xix. Aaron Brenner 11/12; Retreat

1. Speech

a. I am with my family in Gainesville visiting my older brother for his last football game because he is graduating.

b. Proof: None

2. Questioning:

a. MTD

3. Debate

a. Tache: Let's approve any absence this man has.

4. Vote

a. Approved 4-0-1

xx. Loki Mole 11/17; Whole meeting

1. Speech

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- a. I will be recovering from a wisdom tooth extraction the day prior
 - b. Proof: Proof of procedure
- 2. Questioning:
 - a. MTD
- 3. Debate
 - a. MTV
- 4. Vote
 - a. **Approved 5-0-0**
- xxi. Ashley Tribble 11/12; Retreat
 - 1. Speech
 - a. I purchased tickets to the UF vs USC football game in August of this year, many months before the date of the senate retreat was announced. Since my attendance had already been prioritized for the football game scheduled the same day, I was unable to make it to the senate retreat.
 - b. Proof: Ticket
 - 2. Questioning:
 - a. Parmar: How many Absences does she have?
 - i. 1, she would be at 2
 - 3. Debate
 - a. Patel: I mean it's a football game, it is the same as EDC. I don't think we should approve this
 - 4. Vote
 - a. **Denied 1-4-0**
- c. Blanket excuses
 - i. None.
- 11. Member Discussion-
 - a. None
- 12. Miscellaneous Business-
 - a. None
- 13. Final Roll Call: 5/7
- 14. Adjournment: 11:10 AM

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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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