

**Fifty-Fourth Student Senate  
30th Meeting Agenda  
January 26th, 2023**

- **Call to Order**
  - 7:11 p.m.
- **Pledge of Allegiance**
- **National Anthem**
- **Roll Call and Verification of Quorum**
  - Quorum: 29/42
  - Present and Voting
    - Taché 7:20 p.m.
    - Almenar 7:29 pm
    - Kostis 7:50 p.m.
    - Holmes 8:04 p.m.
    - Borges 9:57 p.m.
    - Capozzi 10:06 p.m.
- **Approval of the Minutes** – [1/19/2023](#); **Approved by GC**
- **Approval of the Agenda** – [1/26/2023](#); **Approved by GC**
- **Open Forum**
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- **Announcements from the Student Body President (Daniella Lopez, [sga\\_pres@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_pres@ucf.edu))**
  - Hello all!
  - This week, the Cabinet have been working with their ELC mentees and will not start their Black and Gold Challenge.
  - Today members of our Cabinet lobbied with the Florida Student Association on priorities such as the Hunger Free Campus Grant and HB33.
  - Today we hosted a meet and greet with the Military and Veteran Student Success Center.
  - Next Friday, we will be hosting our Minority Leadership Summit.
  - We have a contract under review for charging stations in the Student Union and RWC.
  - Appointments:
    - Chief Justice- Lisyibet Silva
- **Announcements from the Student Body Vice President (Xelayris Martinez, [sga\\_vp@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_vp@ucf.edu))**
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- **Comptroller's Report (Steven Erched, [sga\\_comp@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_comp@ucf.edu))**

CRT Current Account Balance:	FAO Current Account Balance:
\$321,018.66	\$129,120.42
Reversion: 1.12%	Reversion: 1.76%
- **Cabinet Forum-**
  - **Attorney General (Caitlin Moore, [sga\\_ag@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_ag@ucf.edu))**
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- **Announcements from the Chief Justice (Sage Kehr, [sga\\_cjus@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_cjus@ucf.edu))**
  - Hope you all had a great week!
  - Hats off to the Justices as we heard all appeals submitted over winter break this past Friday morning.
  - JLC had their mentor speed dating today and they'll have their reveal next Thursday.
  - Next week will be my last meeting, be prepared for the fit!
- **Announcements from the Supervisor of Elections (Caroline McGregor, [sga\\_ec@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_ec@ucf.edu))**
  - Hello Senators
  - I spoke to SLC about Senate Elections today
  - Our next Information Session will be tomorrow at 11am in SU room 220
  - If you would like to come table with EC please fill out this form!
  - [EC Tabling Form](#)
- **Announcements from the Activity and Service Fee Committee Chair (Katrina Wangen, [sga\\_asf@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_asf@ucf.edu))**
  - I will be stepping down from Senate tonight, Vice Chair McClellan will be acting Chair for the remaining time of the budget committee.
  - Dr. Frame, Dr. Welch, Dr. Ekern, Jim, Rick, and Shane all joined us in our meeting today to go over the reasons for the \$2.9 million budget cut and understand what this will mean for the future of the A&SF budget committee & budget. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to me or Vice Chair McClellan. I am also trying to get a copy of the powerpoint used today and will be adding it to the minutes from the meeting, which are linked below.
    - [1/26 Minutes](#)
- **Announcements from the Scholarship Committee Chair (Jonathan Greenip, [sga\\_scholarship@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_scholarship@ucf.edu))**
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- **Announcements from the Senate President (Dylan Hall, [sga\\_spkr@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_spkr@ucf.edu))**
  - Hello everyone!
  - If you would like to schedule a meeting with myself, ELA Damarla, ILA Yalamanchili, or any combination of us, please fill out this [form](#)!
  - If you still need to change committees or caucuses, please speak to me or email me before the end of the meeting tonight so that the change can be made!
    - E&A in particular is looking for a couple more members as well as our Caucuses are always accepting new Senators.
  - Support Programming on Campus
  - Applications for Day at the Capitol will be open from January 30th to February 17th! Be sure to apply via Knight Connect!

- **Internal Legislative Assistant Report (Vihan Yalamanchili, [sgaila@ucf.edu](mailto:sgaila@ucf.edu))**
  - Today, SLC met here at 4:30 to learn about Robert's Rules of Order. They asked good questions and learned a lot about parliamentary procedure. I thank the Supervisor of Elections for giving a detailed presentation on the work of the Election Commission and the upcoming SG elections. Here is the form for Senators wishing to seek mentees in SLC - [SLC Mentorship Form for Mentors](#)
- **External Legislative Assistant Report (Akhila Damarla, [sgaেলা@ucf.edu](mailto:sgaেলা@ucf.edu))**
  - Hi guys! I'm alive! I have just been following up dean meeting initiatives, and will be reaching out to individuals about these.
- **Senate President Pro Tempore Report (Nick Foster, [sga\\_pro@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_pro@ucf.edu))**
  - Headshots update- will get make up dates for those who did not get a headshot this week
  - Minutes- Thank you for sending in your minutes
  - Caucus leadership will be meeting tomorrow at 4pm in the conference room
- **Deputy Pro Tempore of Legislative Affairs Report (Ryan McClellan, [sga\\_dleg@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_dleg@ucf.edu))**
  - Good evening everyone. Tonight we will be seeing two Fiscal Bills, one Internal Bill, one Resolution, and one Proclamation on First Reading tonight.
  - As always, all internal legislation needs to be submitted **by Wednesdays at 5:00 PM** to both PT Foster **and** myself to be considered. Once you submit legislation, I will be in contact with you to make sure that everything is all good before I approve it. If you do not respond after submission, it may not be approved.
  - If you ever have any questions or would like any help concerning any piece of legislation, please reach out!
- **Deputy Pro Tempore of Senate Relations Report (Ajay Patel, [sgadsr@ucf.edu](mailto:sgadsr@ucf.edu))**
  - Good evening senate,
    - Shoutout to Chair Modha for saving us today, she did a professional job of taking senator headshots with an iPhone 14 while we were left stranded. The photos came out amazing so if you took one and want to use it for your linkedin or something, definitely reach out to her for them.
    - I am currently in the midst of helping out Chair Almenar recruit more members into E&A so please be advised that you will be receiving an absurd amount of memes in the coming weeks.
    - Additionally, I've started on a new project with Vice-Chair Nimbargi. We are creating a shareable calendar with everyone here where you will be able to see every public event that FAO funds. It will be called "Fun Activities On-Campus" (FAO). You will be able to see future dates of events, along with names, location, Hosting RSO, and also what activities or food will be available. With this calendar, as a senator you'll be more than welcome to attend events on behalf of SG, or if you just want something fun to do and take some friends with you, that is also an option.
    - On the other hand, We don't talk about our soccer team, but if anyone asks, we're all currently in rehab.
    - This last week our Volleyball team had an amazing game on Monday. While we did lose, I must say I have never been prouder of my team. We performed so well and I could write a page of compliments for each player on how well they played. We scored more points than the other team in total but we lost when it came to sets. We won the first set 25-16. We lost the second set 24-25. And we lost the last set 10-15. But nonetheless, the serves and blocking were absolutely amazing and I was smiling through the whole game. However, I was the only crowd there. Our first game we had the largest and loudest crowd. I'm convinced if our team had a whole cheer crowd, like last time, it would've been enough spirit to make a difference. So I'm asking you all, please come out and support our team.
- **Caucus Reports**
  - **Asian/Pacific Islander American Caucus (Ajay Patel, [sgapiacaucus@ucf.edu](mailto:sgapiacaucus@ucf.edu))**
    - We did not reach quorum <3, we will meet next Tuesday instead.
  - **Black Caucus (Sierra Holmes, [sgblackcaucus@ucf.edu](mailto:sgblackcaucus@ucf.edu))**
    - We need volunteers for our Black Business Showcase! If you or anyone you know needs hours m- you can sign up on this [google form](#).
  - **Disability Caucus (Elle Campbell, [sgdisabilitycaucus@ucf.edu](mailto:sgdisabilitycaucus@ucf.edu)); (Vice Chair Tyler Borges, [sga\\_hm1@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_hm1@ucf.edu))**
    - Evening everyone! Started work on sorting possible funding options for a Disability Commons, I'll be meeting with Dr. Meyer soon to continue discussions with him.
    - We removed YDSA from their ex-officio chair, and started the process of creating a list of RSO's to possibly offer the position to.
    - We meet on Wednesdays at 1:30 if anyone wants to sit in! We do hybrid meetings
  - **Hispanic/Latinx Caucus (Mel Saucedo, [sglatinxcaucus@ucf.edu](mailto:sglatinxcaucus@ucf.edu))**
    - Caucus meeting tomorrow at 12:00 p.m. in the conference room!
    - The Hispanic/Latinx has written two pieces of legislation that are going to be introduced tonight. The resolution is advocating for community IDs, specifically for non-citizens and homeless people. The proclamation is to honor the Mexican Consulate for the amazing work and resources they provide to our local communities, including UCF students. If you would like to contribute to these, please come to our caucus meeting tomorrow!
    - We will see [Resolution 54-26](#) Changing The Name of the Hispanic/Latinx Caucus tonight!
  - **LGBTQ+ Caucus (Vacant, [sglgbtqcaucus@ucf.edu](mailto:sglgbtqcaucus@ucf.edu))**
    - Jason sent a when2meet for next week in the groupme.
  - **Women's Caucus (Yashica Modha, [sgwomxncaucus@ucf.edu](mailto:sgwomxncaucus@ucf.edu))**
    - Hi everyone! We met this past Monday and discussed what we want to do for Women's History Month which is March. We want to host an event such as a Women's Business Showcase or a General Career Fair to bring women together! If you are interested in helping out please reach out to me or Vice Chair Castillo.
    - In addition, some events that D&I Coordinator Collins has provided are a Minority Leadership Summit happening on February 3rd, SG will be tabling at the event. Alumni in Government Conference is happening on February 17th. Please reach out to her or me if you have any questions.
- Pro (Objection / Wangen) // Con (Motion to move to Resolution 54-27 / Urea) **11-16**
- **Unfinished Business**
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- **Fiscal Committee Caucus Time**
  - CRT 10 minutes
    - Senate recesses at 8:05, to reconvene at 8:15 p.m.
      - Senate reconvenes at 8:16 p.m.
- **Fiscal Committee Reports**
- **CRT Committee (Chair Ashley Tribble, *sga\_crt@ucf.edu*); (Vice Chair Annabelle Perry, *sga\_cecs4@ucf.edu*)**
  - We've officially impacted over 900 students and allocated over \$300,000!
  - In Committee:
    - Old Business
      - Allocations:
        - Approved:
          - 54-297, 6-0-1
          - 54-307, 6-0-1
          - 54-317, 7-0-0
          - 54-318, 8-0-0
        - Denied:
          - 54-319, 0-5-2
          - 54-322, 0-6-0
        - Postponed:
          - 54-256 by GC
          - 54-309, by GC
      - New Business
        - Allocations:
          - Approved:
            - 54-330, 6-0-0
            - 54-332, 6-0-0
            - 54-333, 6-0-0
            - 54-334, 8-0-0
            - 54-335, 7-0-0
            - 54-339, 7-0-1
            - 54-340, 7-0-0
            - 54-341, 8-0-0
            - 54-342, 6-0-0
            - 54-344, 8-0-0
            - 54-345, 8-0-0
            - 54-346, 8-0-0
            - 54-347, 8-0-0
            - 54-348, 6-0-1
            - 54-349, 7-0-1
            - 54-350, 8-0-0
          - Postponed:
            - 54-331, by GC
            - 54-336, by GC
            - 54-337, by GC
            - 54-338, by GC
          - PPI'd
            - 54-343, by GC
        - Bills:
          - Approved:
            - Fiscal Bill 54-37, 8-0-0
            - Fiscal Bill 54-38, 8-0-0
            - Fiscal Bill 54-40, 8-0-0
        - Perry's Pastries
          - This week my roommate made some delicious cookies! Shoutout to her!
  - **FAO Committee (Chair Lessi Millington, *sga\_fao@ucf.edu*) (Vice Chair Seth Nimbargi, *sga\_ba3@ucf.edu*)**
    - In Committee:
      - Old Business:
        - Allocations:
          - Approved:
            - 54-80, 8-0-0
        - New Business:
          - Allocations:
            - Approved:
              - 54-85, 9-0-0
              - 54-86, 9-0-0
              - 54-87, 9-0-0
              - 54-88, 9-0-0
              - 54-89, 9-0-0
              - 54-90, 9-0-0

- 54-91, 9-0-0
  - 54-92, 9-0-0
- **ORS Committee (Chair Katrina Wangen, [sgaors@ucf.edu](mailto:sgaors@ucf.edu)); (Vice Chair Victor Uchoa, [sgamed3@ucf.edu](mailto:sgamed3@ucf.edu))**
  - Post-Funding Reviews
    - Postponed by GC
      - FAO 54-034
      - CRT 54-056
  - Verification of Purchases Forms
    - SB 54-17; Approved (8-0-0)
  - Hey y'all, ORS will be holding Chair elections on Tuesday, as I am resigning from Senate tonight, so if you're interested in the position, please feel free to join and let me know if you have any questions.
  - Victor's Visuals
    - None tonight :(
- **Fiscal Legislation**
- **Notice of Legislation on First Reading**
  - Bills
    - [Fiscal Bill 54-41](#) [Funding for 12 members of the Society of Physics Students to travel to the APS April in Minneapolis, Minnesota from April 15th, 2023 to April 18th, 2023][Chair Castillo] **Remanded to CRT**
    - [Fiscal Bill 54-42](#) [Funding for Knight Riders Motorcycle Club to host the Knight Riders Easter Track Weekend on April 8th, 2023][Vice Chair Hurrell] **Remanded to FAO**
  - Resolutions
  - Special Acts
- **Notice of Legislation on Third Reading**
  - Bills
  - Resolutions
  - Special Acts
- **Notice of Legislation on Second Reading**
  - Bills
    - [Fiscal Bill 54-37](#) [Funding for 25 members of Pre-Med American Medical Student Association to travel to the MedLife Service Learning Trip in Tena, Ecuador from May, 6th, 2023 to May 14th, 2023][DSR Patel] **Postponed**
    - [Fiscal Bill 54-38](#) [Funding for 7 members of UCF Daytona Student Nursing Association to travel to the National Student Nursing Association in Nashville, Tennessee from April 12th, 2023 to April 16th, 2023][Chair Wangen] **Passed 30-0-0**
    - [Fiscal Bill 54-40](#) [Funding for 49 members of Student Professionals for Industrial/Organizational Psychology to travel to the Annual Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology Conference in Boston, Massachusetts from April 19th, 2023 to April 22nd, 2023][Senator Kostis] **Passed 29-1-0**
  - Resolutions
  - Special Acts
- **Internal Committee Caucus Time**
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- **Internal Committee Reports**
- **E&A Committee (Chair Juan Carlos Almenar, [sga\\_ea@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_ea@ucf.edu)) (Vice Chair Connor Cantrell, [sga\\_ecs3@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_ecs3@ucf.edu))**
  - Good Evening Senate,
  - Today in committee we saw our first confirmation that we will see later tonight.
  - Linked here is [EC Tabling Form](#)
  - I attended the EC meeting earlier today as well.
  - Lastly the committee shared the memes we made for the committee and DSR Patel made some bangers (They are posted in Senate Wide).
  - Our Next meeting will be next week on Thursday at 11 AM where we will be going through Chief Justice confirmations.
- **GAP Committee (Chair Ethan Temple, [sgagap@ucf.edu](mailto:sgagap@ucf.edu)) (Vice Chair Juan Carlos Almenar, [sga\\_sci1@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_sci1@ucf.edu))**
  - Good day, or perhaps good evening everyone!
  - GAP had a very intensive and productive meeting this week, wherein we began our Day At The Capitol Legislative Priority Resolutions, which will hopefully be introduced next Thursday! Following this, we will dive into the legislation and policy issues and draft briefs on them for the Committee and for anyone wishing to join DATC
  - Speaking of which, to echo the Speaker, DATC applications will open on 30 January, which is this coming Monday!!! When they do go live, please spread this opportunity out to your constituents, Comms released an amazing graphic for it earlier this week!
  - If you have any questions about GAP's role in DATC, feel free to reach out to me at any point!
- **LJR Committee (Chair Brianna Urea, [sga\\_ljr@ucf.edu](mailto:sga_ljr@ucf.edu)); (Vice Chair Brianna Hurrell, [sgacreoll@ucf.edu](mailto:sgacreoll@ucf.edu))**
  - Hey Senate. Sorry I couldn't be here long tonight! This week in LJR we saw 7 absence requests. We passed 6 favorably and postponed one.
  - We have committee reps open if anyone is interested!
- **SBA Committee (Chair Ayden Traynor, [sgasba@ucf.edu](mailto:sgasba@ucf.edu)) (Vice Chair Alyisia Spaulding, [sgacie4@ucf.edu](mailto:sgacie4@ucf.edu))**
  - Hello everybody!
  - SBA normally meets on Thursdays, but after countless hours spent sleepless, haunted by when the committee should meet, I decided that we will now meet on Fridays at 2pm. Very excited to see everybody here tomorrow for SBA; we have quite a lot more people that will be able to attend which is pretty great.
- **Confirmations**
  - Annie Le - Election Commission Seat #3 **Confirmed 30-1-0**
    - [E&A Minutes](#)

- **Internal Legislation**
- **Notice of Legislation on First Reading**
  - Constitutional Amendments
  - Bills
    - [Internal Bill 54-30](#) [Updates to Title VIII][DLeg McClellan] **Remanded to ORS**
  - Resolutions
    - [Resolution 54-29](#) [Resolution in Support of ID's for Unauthorized Immigrants and Homeless People][Hispanic/Latinx Caucus] **Remanded to GAP**
  - Proclamations
    - [Proclamation 54-17](#) [Proclamation Honoring the Consulate of Mexico in Orlando][Hispanic/Latinx Caucus] **Remanded to SBA**
  - Special Acts
- **Notice of Legislation on Third Reading**
  - Constitutional Amendments
  - Bills
  - Resolutions
    - [Resolution 54-15](#) [Updates to Senate Rule 2: Standing, Ad Hoc Committees, and Caucuses][Senator Parmar] **Not Passed 5-23-3**
    - [Resolution 54-18](#) [Resolution Advocating for the University of Central Florida to Improve Parking Garage Access][Pro Tempore Foster] **Passed 29-1-0**
    - [Resolution 54-22](#) [Resolution to expand and redevelop bicycle lanes at UCF][Chair Almenar] **Passed 28-1-0**
    - [Resolution 54-26](#) [Updates to Senate Rule 2: Changing The Name of the Hispanic/Latinx Caucus][Hispanic/Latinx Caucus] **Passed 29-1-0**
  - Special Acts
- **Notice of Legislation on Second Reading**
  - Constitutional Amendments
  - Bills
  - Resolutions
    - [Resolution 54-26](#) [Updates to Senate Rule 2: Changing The Name of the Hispanic/Latinx Caucus][Hispanic/Latinx Caucus] **Passed 31-0-0**
      - [Caucus Discussions](#)
    - [Resolution 54-27](#) [Updates to Senate Rule 7][Chair Urea] **Passed 23-5-3**
    - [Resolution 54-28](#) [Resolution to State Opposition and Address Implications of the Stop W.O.K.E Act in Florida][Vice Chair Castelin] **Passed 28-1-2**
  - Proclamations
  - Special Acts
- **Senate Forum**
  - Kostis: Hi everyone! Today the FPEP donated 2,248 books to a variety of prisons across the state of Florida! This is only the beginning, and many more books will be distributed soon. If you'd like to volunteer or spread the word to someone you know who can or may want to help, use this link!: [FPEP Volunteer Application Form](#)
  - Damarla: The Annual Women in Surgery Career Symposium is near in Florida this year! If you are interested or know people who would be, scholarships for travel are available for everyone who goes with 3 others. Rsvp form: [13th Annual Women in Surgery Sponsorship Form](#) , research competition: [Women In Surgery Poster Session Abstract Submission](#) , more questions email [Kaitlyn.Crespo@AdventHealth.com](mailto:Kaitlyn.Crespo@AdventHealth.com)
    - MSAS Symposium
    - <https://www.obama.org/voyager-scholarship/> ← for people entering the field of public service
  - Hurrell
- **Senate Deliberations**
  - None
- **Advisor's Report**
  - Brodie: Wow wouldn't it be cool if Brodie put his announcements in before Senate like everyone else?
    - Do your classwork
    - Elections are coming
      - Keep discussion about campaigns out of the office + out of the Union as a whole
        - "Take a walk and gossip" - Brodie 2023
      - Reach out to your RSOs pls
        - Specifically RSOs that pertain to minoritized students
      - Senator shoutouts (rip):
        - Senator Kostis (bday boy) (x3)
        - VC Castelin (icon) (x4)
        - Chair Modha (x2)
        - Chair Temple (x3)
        - Chair Wangen
        - DLeg McClellan (trumpet king ?) (x2)
        - PT Foster (x2) (wearing the Scrooge silk pj shirt special) and the gucci belt (major slayyy)
        - Everyone (Cantrell is a sap)
        - Brodie
        - Alo
        - NEDAAAAAAA <333333333333 (x1000000)

- Speaker Hall (x3) (bday boy #2????)
  - VC Cantrell (x2)
  - DSR Patel (meme maker) (x2)
  - VC Borges
  - Senator Duke
  - VC Perry
  - Chair Tribble
  - The advising trio >:))))))
  - Supervisor of Elections McGregor
  - CRT (dang 3 hours??? Guys come on)
  - GAP (ofc)
  - ILA Yalamanchili
  - Chair Campbell (being called chair is weird)
  - Senator Donovan
  - Ethan's friends???
  - All of SLC (ethan is a cheeseball)
  - Chair Wangen (gets a second bullet bc Ethan is gonna hype her up so much) (ethan is a cheeseball x100000) (oh my god ethan keep it together) (heart eyes temple over here)
  - Aquariuses (questionable shoutout)
  - Capricorns (absolutely not)
- Neda:
  - Great work as always (esp since it's only 10:00 let's do this more often), some of y'all may have exams coming up so be sure to study and remember you're a student first
  - I'm here if you need help with anything :)
- Alo:
  - Web updates
  - Open Mics in the Orlando Area
    - Austin's Coffee - Wednesday nights @ 7:30
    - CREDO Downtown - Tuesdays @ 7:30
  - The education system in Florida and the responsibility of representing students
    - Resources (more to come soon):
      - [What is Critical Race Theory?](#)
      - [Which states are taking action against CRT?](#)
      - [Florida State Colleges recent statements](#)
      - [The importance of teaching CRT](#)
- **Miscellaneous Business**
  - Resignations:
    - Wangen
  - Elections:
    - FAO
      - Spaulding
  - Appointments:
    - ORS
      - Borges
    - Latin/Hispanic Caucus
      - Yalamanchili
  - Foster's Fit Check
    - Honorable mention: Chair Campbell
    - 3: Chair Traynor
    - 2: Senator Kostis
    - 1: Chair Temple
- **Final Roll Call**
  - 33/41
- **Adjournment**
  - 10:15 p.m.