

Election Commission (EC) Meeting Student Government Conference Room (SU 320) January 21, 2025 5:30 PM

EC MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 5:33 PM

2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum: 5/4

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Supervisor of Elections Luke Brown	sga_ec@ucf.edu sgec9@ucf.edu	P	P
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Commissioner VACANT	sgec2@ucf.edu	-	-
Commissioner Alyssia Wright	sgec3@ucf.edu	Е	Е
Commissioner Aneesha Nayak	sgec4@ucf.edu	Е	Е
Commissioner Amarah Presley	sgec5@ucf.edu	P	P
Commissioner VACANT	sgec6@ucf.edu	-	-
Commissioner Jessica Vitarelli	sgec7@ucf.edu	P	P
Commissioner Brianna Phillips	sgec8@ucf.edu	Р	P
Commissioner VACANT	sgec10@ucf.edu	E	Е

3. Approval of the Minutes: LAST MEETING MINUTES Approved by 5/5

4. Approval of the Agenda: Approved by 5/5



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5. Open Forum

- a. Acting Chair Collazo is the acting chair of E&A as of right now and overseeing elections, and when the position is replaced, they'll be EC's main source of contact. Attending one E&A session a semester is required, and the upcoming election is discussed there. Statutorily SG president, Vice president, Senate President, and Pro Temp are required to get EC an office. I wanted to recommend you all to begin the process of this. E&A and EC can issue non-compliance, but I believe it'd be best if you all issued it. Please vote and decide what action to take. Along with this we have a meeting tomorrow we can discuss this and will be caucusing on Thursday for Alyssia.
 - i. Phillips Where will the Office Be?
 - 1. Collazo: Theres been conversations about other parts of the union, the conference room, the pro temp's office, it is up to interpretation. Example: If they gave you a random room in the union you could try and non-compliance them and LJR could choose to do nothing and LJR could take no action or decide that isn't fair.
- b. Collazo: I just wanted to bring this to your attention and allow you to move forward
- 6. Announcements from Supervisor Brown
 - a. Important Dates/Times
 - i. Info Sessions!

1.	1/17/2025 12:30 PM	SU 220
2.	1/22/2025 5:30pm	SG Conference Room
3.	1/31/2025 1:30 PM	SU 220
4.	2/3/2025 4:00 PM	Charge on Chamber
5.	2/5/2025 1:30 PM	SU 220
6.	2/7/2025 12:30 PM	SU 220
7.	2/10/2025 1:30 PM	SU 220
8.	2/12/2025 1:30 PM	SU 223
9.	2/17/2025 12:30 PM	SG Conference Room

- 10. Zoom Sessions Based on need and availability
- ii. Declaration of Candidacy
 - 1. Feb 10th 14th
- iii. Presidential Debate!
 - 1. 2/26/2025 @ 6pm
- iv. Candidate Forum
 - 1. 3/4/2025 @ 5pm
- v. Presidential Social
 - 1. TBD (Likely to be canceled)
- vi. It's Time to Vote!



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- 1. 9 am 5pm March 10th Monday 12th Wednesday Week before spring break
- 2. 9am 5pm March 24th 26th Wednesday Week after spring break (Runoff)
- b. Statutory Requirements
 - i. Attend All EC Meetings
 - ii. You are required to contact me to be excused from a meeting
 - iii. Two unexcused absences will result in removal from the commission
 - iv. Run the SG Election tent during election week
 - v. Canvas campus to look at election materials to see if they were approved
 - vi. Participate in Violation Hearings
 - vii. Help run info sessions
 - viii. Attend at least 1 E&A Meeting every Fall, Spring, and Summer Semester
 - 1. Currently Wednesdays at 10:30am in the SG Conference Room
 - ix. Email sga_ea@ucf.edu and cc sga_ec@ucf.edu if you are unable to attend
- c. Extra Requirements
 - i. Check your SG Email & Teams often
 - ii. Help prepare for the Election at least 1 hour every week in Fall (Office Hours)
 - 1. For Spring: 2 hours outside of the scheduled meeting are required
 - 2. During the month of March, this increases to 5
 - iii. Table around campus
 - iv. Present in-front of classes & RSO's
 - v. Prepare Election Materials
 - vi. Plan for various Events
 - 1. Speaker of the House Allison's event on Feb 5th Slime with the Senators. EC has joined in on this and the tabling sessions Senate will be holding.
 - vii. Advertise the Election and the available positions in Spring to at least 3 different RSOs (Registered Student Organizations) around campus
 - 1. Luke and Brodie (SGA Advisor) discussed that if full-length presentation is presented at the RSO, this fulfills the requirement for the info session
 - 2. For proof of advertising the election at RSO, take a selfie and send it to Luke
 - 3. Nora: Is there a presentation we can use?
 - a. Luke: There is a complementary presentation for ECs to use at the meetings. We are working on completing it and it will be sent out
 - 4. Nora: Can you pair up for the RSO's advertisement



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a. Luke: If you plan on pairing up for the presentation, please do an extra meeting.



d.

f. Icebreaker:

i.Luke: Chose all the stressful and grainy options purposely and is a mix of 9 (the one pouting) because the senate meeting made him sad and 5 (the one on fire)

ii.Alyssia:

iii.Norah: 5th one (the one on fire) iv.Bri: Feeling all the options v.Amarah: A collective all

vi.Aneesha:

vii.Jessica: Is feeling like the 5th one that is also on fire

- e. Committee Directions:
 - i. Marketing- Email Blast to all students on how to apply and get petition signatures and start tabling!!!
 - 1. Luke is encouraging us to reach out to other SGA members to see if they're holding any events we can table at.
 - ii. Events Plan/Design the events
 - iii. Socials Aid with marketing efforts & branch collaboration as we are not yet ready for new socials



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1. Aid Norah!!!

- 7. Announcements from Assistant Supervisor VACANT
 - a. N/A
- 8. Committee Discussion
 - a. Commissioner Presley: I had a really cute social idea made 2 hours ago. Sorta like our potluck last semester but make it palentines. So everyone brings a board, "Board Night", get doing it before we get super busy and trying to socialize. Charcuterie Boards!
 - i. Luke Happy to support and reserve rooms. Just make sure marketing take precedent.
- 9. Announcements from Committee Members
 - a. Move to informal -5.5
 - i. ECLC Lesson Plan Presentation (It looks great)
 - b. Move to formal 5:5
- 10. Violation Hearings/Discussion
 - a. N/A
- 11. Miscellaneous Business
 - a. Luke: The current number of presidential tickets is SIX! They are legit too. 2 have already collected 50/100 signatures, the others have just started.
 - b. Nora: Forgot her thesis flyer 🙄
 - c. Luke: Be mindful of what you say inside the office and out. Also, schedule office hours between 9-5pm unless it's before EC meeting or before Senate.
 - i. Jessica: Where do we complete our office hours because we don't have an office?
 - ii. Luke: Anywhere in the office!
 - d. Discussing Acting Chair Collazo's proposition about EC having an office. Luke found records of the previous EC office being where VolunteerUCF is. Work-arounds that have been discussed include classrooms; however, this defeats the purpose of storing materials. EC's will also be assigned candidates this year because of the number of tickets this year (yay!) -- this was how it was done in past years.
 - It is EC's ability to file for noncompliance against the Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, Senate President, and the Senate President Pro Tempore for ignoring the statute.
 - ii. Informal action has already been taken by the EC Supervisor and former EC Assistant Supervisor to claim this space.
 - iii. Brianna: Wouldn't someone have to be removed from their office for them to make room for us?
 - 1. Luke: Yes, however not every position that has an office is required by the statutes to have one, whereas EC is.



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iv. Brianna: With this many tickets, an office would be nice.

v. Final Decision: Issuing the noncompliance For: 4/0/1. Giving it to E&A: 4/0/1

12. Final Roll Call: 5/513. Adjournment: 6:29 PM

Key:

P - Present

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