



# Senatorial Records

*The Proceedings and Debate of the 36<sup>b</sup> Session of the  
Student Government Council – Modesto A. Maidique Campus Senate  
Summer Session*

GC 150 (SGA Chambers), Monday, September 16th, 2019

- I. Welcome & Call to Order
  - a. The Senate met at 4:00p.m and was called to order by the Speaker David Nivia
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
  - a. Senator Kelly led the Pledge of Allegiance, as follows:  
*I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.*
- III. Roll Call of Senators Present & Verification of Quorum
  - a.

ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL		
First Name	Last Name	Attendance
Angel	Algarin	P
Elizabeth	Alume	P
Santiago	Arias	P
Alejandro	Arzola	P
Matthew	Beck	P
Galina	Bogatova	A
Cornelius	Brown	P
Danny	De Leon	P
Mallory	Fortuno	P
Janelle	Fraga	P
Amy	Gonzalez	P
Ana	Hevia	A
Alexandra	Ibbaria	P
Rose	Ingraham	P
Briana	Jimenez	P
Charles	Kelly	P
Van	Le	P
Leslie	Llambias	P
Carolina	Machin	P
Michaela	Mills	P
Afsaana	Mohammad	P
Angelica	Moncada	P

Cameron	Moody	P
Marko	Nikitovic	A
David	Nivia	P
Karla	Perez	P
Gabriella	Ponce	P
Zackrey	Powers	P
Shahnwaz	Rafi	P
Maryam	Rafieifar	P
Molly	Schantz	P
Jonathan	Soufia	P
Elizabeth	Vazquez	A
Sophia	Viterri	P
VACANT	VACANT	
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<b>SENATE SEATS</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>QUORUM ESTABLISHED</b>
<b>VACANT SEATS</b>	<b>7</b>	
<b>SENATORS PRESENT</b>	<b>30</b>	
<b>AMT FOR QUORUM</b>	<b>16</b>	

b. The roll was called and Quorum was verified with 30 Senators present.

IV. Approval of the Minutes from September 9th, 2019

a. Senator Ingraham moves to approve the minutes from September 9th, 2019. Senator Llambias seconds. Motion passes.

V. Adoption of the Agenda

a. Senator Powers moves to adopt the agenda. Senator Llambias seconds. Motion passes.

VI. Invited Speakers

a. Agencies and Councils monthly report

i. Student Programming Council

1. On the 27th during Week of Welcome, SPC collaborated with the Athletics and Spirit team.

2. On Sept. 4th we SPC Painting with a Twist. Collaborated with CARTA, The American Institute of Graphic Arts, and Professor Silvia Keesh.

a. Had 204 students attendees

3. On Sep. 12 at the Engineering campus we had SPC and Homecoming Football Frenzy

a. 216 students attendees

4. Moved date for Uproar Concert to January 9th, 2020

5. In the midst of planning everything with my E-Board

6. November 7th is when we will announce the artists

- ii. Homecoming Council
  - 1. On the first day of school we had an event to countdown the days to homecoming.
    - a. We had almost 400 student attendees
  - 2. Event at Engineering Campus last Thursday in collaboration with SPC.
  - 3. Homecoming Concert- October 4th
  - 4. Pageant on Sunday
    - a. Doors open at 6pm
  - 5. BBC events on the following Monday and Tuesday Oct 7-8
  - 6. Panther Got Talent on Wednesday Oct. 9th
  - 7. Uncaging on Oct. 10th
  - 8. Last event is the Parade during the Homecoming game.
- iii. Black Student Union
  - 1. MMC General Body Meeting
    - a. Around 200 attendees
  - 2. Pajama Party on Sept. 6th
  - 3. BBC General Body Meeting on Sept. 10th
  - 4. Back to School Clothing Drive
    - a. Tabling on Sept. 9th and 12th
    - b. We were able to donate 42lbs of clothes
  - 5. The Odyssey on Sept. 12th
    - a. 55 attendees
  - 6. Annual Open Mic Night on Sept.13th with 241 attendees
  - 7. Sept. 18th Kick-Back mixer
  - 8. BBC Meet and Greet next Monday
  - 9. Annual State of the Union on Sept. 25th from 8-10pm
- iv. Council for Student Organizations
- v. Residence Hall Association
  - 1. First General Body Meeting last night
    - a. Had 45 attendees
  - 2. Events for next month
    - a. Pool Party for residence
    - b. Want to do a Fall Festival
- vi. Multi-Faith Council

## VII. Committee Reports

- a. Finance Committee
  - i. First meeting this Thursday at 5pm
  - ii. Two appropriation request pending
    - 1. 4 undergrads in the college of nursing flying to a conference
    - 2. Panther Mock Trial
  - iii. If you have any questions, please contact [sga.financecom@gmail.com](mailto:sga.financecom@gmail.com)
- b. Rules, Legislation, and Judiciary Committee
  - i. Met last week on Sept 11th and discussed 4 different rules and resolutions.
  - ii. If you have any questions, please contact [sga.rljcommittee@gmail.com](mailto:sga.rljcommittee@gmail.com)

- c. Operational Review Committee
  - i. In the process of auditing CSO
  - ii. If you have any questions, please contact [fiusga.orc@gmail.com](mailto:fiusga.orc@gmail.com)
- d. Internal Affairs Committee
  - i. Senator Requirement Document
  - ii. If you have any questions, please contact [sgainternal@fiu.edu](mailto:sgainternal@fiu.edu)
- e. Student Advocacy Committee
  - i. Officially booked for Outreach event
  - ii. If you have any questions, please contact [sga.sacommittee@gmail.com](mailto:sga.sacommittee@gmail.com)
- f. Graduate and Professional Students Committee
  - i. Today in our meeting we discussed budget
  - ii. Discussed about the 1st Grad Scholar
  - iii. Discussed the problems the graduate students have on filling out the travel fund application.
    - 1. Decided to amend the application
  - iv. If you have any questions, please contact [GPSC@fiu.edu](mailto:GPSC@fiu.edu)

#### VIII. Executive Board Reports

- a. Speaker of the Senate
    - i. Committee chairs are responsible for making sure your committees understand what Senators have to do after the email I sent.
    - ii. Senators: Add on the “Meet your SGA” PowerPoint your slide with the platform that you ran on and add your picture.
      - 1. [https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/10j1RlBlyYWlIE1eHh7n1WXtnD0fdXyhT/edit#slide=id.g33dc21de56\\_0\\_5](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/10j1RlBlyYWlIE1eHh7n1WXtnD0fdXyhT/edit#slide=id.g33dc21de56_0_5)
    - iii. Add committee meeting times on the SGA calendar
    - iv. Senate Retreat on Sept. 28th
- Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Ponce at 4:44pm; Returned at 4:47pm*
- v. No Food in SGA Chambers. It was left dirty last time.
  - vi. #FIUSTRONG breakfast Monday Sept. 23 10 AM - 11AM GC 243



- vii.
- viii. For Senate Absences:  
<https://fiu.campuslabs.com/engage/submitter/form/start/205149>
- ix. “I Love My Major” Event
- x. If you have any questions, please email [sgaspeaker@fiu.edu](mailto:sgaspeaker@fiu.edu)
- b. Speaker Pro Tempore
  - i. We had a Leadership meeting today
  - ii. Helped out Elizabeth for the tailgate
  - iii. If you have any questions, please email [sgaprotemp@fiu.edu](mailto:sgaprotemp@fiu.edu)
- c. President Rosell
  - i. If you have any questions, please email [sgapres@fiu.edu](mailto:sgapres@fiu.edu)
- d. Vice President Ojeda
  - i. Working with FIU Health in terms of promoting health and services here on campus.
  - ii. Oct. 5th Panther Block Party
  - iii. If you have any questions, please email [sgavp@fiu.edu](mailto:sgavp@fiu.edu)
- e. Comptroller
  - i. Right way to pass an appropriation
  - ii. Reminder senators have \$150 to spend on events
  - iii. If you have any questions, please email [sgacomptrol@fiu.edu](mailto:sgacomptrol@fiu.edu)
- f. Chief Justice
  - i. Had another interview for the justice position
  - ii. If you have any questions, please email [sgajud@fiu.edu](mailto:sgajud@fiu.edu)

Senator Ingraham moves to suspend rules. Senator Soufia seconds. Motion passes.

Senator Ingraham moves to bypass Rules, Legislation and Judiciary Committee. Senator Arzola seconds. Motion passes.

Senator Ingraham moves to bypass Finance Committee. Senator Kelly seconds. Motion passes.

Senator Ingraham moves to add appropriation 3601 to new business Item A. Senator Kelly seconds. Motion passes.

IX. Special Orders

- a. There were none.

X. Vetoed Legislation

- a. There were none.

XI. Second Readings

- a. There were none.

*Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Powers ; Dismissed at 5:01pm*

*Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Llambias at 5:01pm; Returned at 5:06pm*

XII. Unfinished Business

- a. SR 3601

- i. Senator Ingraham moves to bypass second reading. Senator Arzola seconds. Motion passes.

- ii. Senator Arzola moves to go into voting procedure. Senator Fraga seconds. Motion passes.

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Angel	Algarin	P	Y	
Elizabeth	Alume	P	Y	
Santiago	Arias	P	Y	
Alejandro	Arzola	P	Y	
Matthew	Beck	P	Y	
Galina	Bogatova	A		
Cornelius	Brown	P	Y	
Danny	De Leon	P	Y	
Mallory	Fortuno	P	Y	
Janelle	Fraga	P	Y	
Amy	Gonzalez	P	Y	
Ana	Hevia	A		
Alexandra	Ibbaria	P	Y	
Rose	Ingraham	P	Y	
Briana	Jimenez	P	Y	
Charles	Kelly	P	Y	
Van	Le	P	Y	
Leslie	Llambias	P	A	Not present for presentation
Carolina	Machin	P	Y	

Michaela	Mills	P	Y	
Afsaana	Mohammad	P	Y	
Angelica	Moncada	P	Y	
Cameron	Moody	P	Y	
Marko	Nikitovic	A		
David	Nivia	P	Y	
Karla	Perez	P	Y	
Gabriella	Ponce	P	Y	
Zackrey	Powers	P	A	Not present for presentation
Shahnwaz	Rafi	P	Y	
Maryam	Rafieifar	P	Y	
Molly	Schantz	P	Y	
Jonathan	Soufia	P	Y	
Elizabeth	Vazquez	A		
Sophia	Viterri	P	Y	
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<b>QUORUM ESTABLISHED</b>		<b>YAY</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>PASS</b>
		<b>NAY</b>	<b>0</b>	
		<b>ABSTAIN</b>	<b>2</b>	

2. Passed with 28-0-2

*Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Ingraham at 5:13pm; Returned at 5:15pm*

b. SB 3601

- i. Senator Arzola moves to go into a 5 minute discussion period. Senator Beck seconds. Motion passes.

*Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Arzola at 5:28pm; Returned at 5:36pm*

c. UB 3601

- i. Senator Kelly moves to bypass second reading. Senator Arzola seconds. Motion passes.
- ii. Senator Kelly moves to go into voting procedure. Senator Arzola seconds. Motion passes.

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Santiago	Arias	P	Y	

Alejandro	Arzola	P	A	Not present for presentation
Matthew	Beck	P	Y	
Galina	Bogatova	A		
Cornelius	Brown	P	Y	
Danny	De Leon	P	Y	
Mallory	Fortuno	P	Y	
Janelle	Fraga	P	Y	
Amy	Gonzalez	P	Y	
Ana	Hevia	A		
Alexandra	Ibbaria	P	Y	
Rose	Ingraham	P	Y	
Briana	Jimenez	P	Y	
Charles	Kelly	P	Y	
Van	Le	P	Y	
Leslie	Llambias	P	Y	
Carolina	Machin	P	Y	
Michaela	Mills	P	Y	
Afsaana	Mohammad	P	Y	
Angelica	Moncada	P	Y	
Cameron	Moody	P	Y	
Marko	Nikitovic	A		
David	Nivia	P	Y	
Karla	Perez	P	Y	
Gabriella	Ponce	P	Y	
Zackrey	Powers	A	A	
Shahnwaz	Rafi	P	Y	
Maryam	Rafieifar	P	Y	
Molly	Schantz	P	Y	
Jonathan	Soufia	P	Y	
Elizabeth	Vazquez	A		
Sophia	Viterri	P	Y	
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<b>QUORUM ESTABLISHED</b>		<b>YAY</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>PASS</b>
		<b>NAY</b>	<b>0</b>	



ABSTAIN

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2. Passed with 28-0-1

XIII. New Business

a. SA 3601

- i. Senator Arzola moves to bypass second reading. Senator Beck seconds. Motion passes.
- ii. Senator Arzola moves to go into voting procedure. Senator Beck seconds. Motion passes.
  - 1.

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Santiago	Arias	P	Y	
Alejandro	Arzola	P	Y	
Matthew	Beck	P	Y	
Galina	Bogatova	A		
Cornelius	Brown	P	Y	
Danny	De Leon	P	Y	
Mallory	Fortuno	P	Y	
Janelle	Fraga	P	Y	
Amy	Gonzalez	P	Y	
Ana	Hevia	A		
Alexandra	Ibbaria	P	Y	
Rose	Ingraham	P	Y	
Briana	Jimenez	P	Y	
Charles	Kelly	P	Y	
Van	Le	P	Y	
Leslie	Llambias	P	Y	
Carolina	Machin	P	Y	
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Angelica	Moncada	P	Y	
Cameron	Moody	P	Y	
Marko	Nikitovic	A		
David	Nivia	P	Y	
Karla	Perez	P	Y	
Gabriella	Ponce	P	Y	
Zackrey	Powers	A		

Shahnwaz	Rafi	P	Y	
Maryam	Rafieifar	P	Y	
Molly	Schantz	P	Y	
Jonathan	Soufia	P	Y	
Elizabeth	Vazquez	A		
Sophia	Viterri	P	Y	
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<b>QUORUM ESTABLISHED</b>		<b>YAY</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>PASS</b>
		<b>NAY</b>	<b>0</b>	
		<b>ABSTAIN</b>	<b>0</b>	

2. Passed with 29-0-0

- b. 5 Minutes to meet with Committees
- c. 5 Minutes to Meet with Delegation

Senator Perez moves to add discussion on an appropriation for College of Business. Senator Ponce seconds. Motion passes.

Senator Ponce moves to extend the senate by 10 minutes. Senator Alume seconds. Motion failed.

Senator Ingraham moves to adjourn senate. Senator Brown seconds. Motion passes.

XIV. Advisor Report

- a. If you have any questions, please email [mimcast@fiu.edu](mailto:mimcast@fiu.edu)

XV. Public Forum

XVI. Senate Forum

XVII. Announcements

XVIII. Adjournment

- a. The Chair adjourned the meeting at 6:05pm