



Senatorial Records

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

GC 150 (SGA Chambers), Monday, February 10th, 2020

- I. Welcome & Call to Order
 - a. The Senate met at 4:01 p.m. and was called to order by the Speaker David Nivia
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
 - a. Senator Algarin 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
Alejandro	Arzola	A
Alexandra	Ibarria	P
Amy	Gonzalez	P
Anabelle	Petisco	P
Angel	Algarin	P
Angelica	Moncada	P
Bryan	Gomez	P
Cameron	Moody	P
Carolina	Machin	P
Christian	Perez	P
Cornelius	Brown	P
David	Nivia	P
Elias Castilla	Marquez	P
Elizabeth	Alume	P
Gabriella	Ponce	P
Giacomo	Natteri	P
Hiba	Khalil	P
Janelle	Fraga	P
Jocelyn	Correa	P
Jonathan	Soufia	P
Karla	Perez	P

Kiara	Mohammad	P
Mallory	Fortuno	P
Marko	Nikitovic	P
Maryam	Rafieifar	P
Matthew	Beck	P
Meena	Mohan	P
Michaela	Mills	P
Molly	Schantz	P
Rose	Ingraham	P
Santiago	Arias	P
Serena Perpetual	Correia	P
Shahnwaz	Rafi	P
Van	Le	P
VACANT	VACANT	
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SENATE SEATS	38	QUORUM ESTABLISHED
VACANT SEATS	4	
SENATORS PRESENT	33	
AMT FOR QUORUM	17	

Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Gonzalez at 4:02pm; Returned at 4:03pm

- b. The roll was called and a quorum was verified with 33 Senators present.
- IV. Approval of the Minutes from February 3rd, 2020
 - a. Senator Fraga moves to approve the minutes from February 3rd, 2020. Senator Gomez seconds. Motion passes.
- V. Adoption of the Agenda
 - a. Senator Karla Perez moves to adopt the agenda. Senator Ibarria seconds. Motion passes.
- VI. Invited Speakers
 - a. Elections Commissioner - Tatiana Aravelo
 - b. Council Reports
 - i. Multi-Faith Council
- VII. Committee Reports
 - a. Finance Committee
 - i. The Chair submitted a publications request
 - ii. We had a social media post on Friday
 - iii. We have a new policy update
 - 1. An advisor has to be on trips or they would have to get clearance from the school that takes a 2 week process.

- iv. If you have any questions, please contact sgafinance@fiu.com
 - b. Rules, Legislation, and Judiciary Committee
 - i. We just finished a meeting in which we decided to have an Ad Hoc committee to work on the Judicial Reform Act.
 - ii. ROJC meetings are at 3pm on Mondays
 - iii. If you have any questions, please contact sgarules@fiu.edu
 - c. Operational Review Committee
 - i. We have completed a few audits
 - ii. We are electing our Chair today
 - iii. We will be giving our Model UN audit report
 - iv. If you have any questions, please contact sgaorc@fiu.edu
 - d. Internal Affairs Committee
 - i. If you are tardy or absent please send in an email through panther connect both to the Speaker and myself.
 - ii. Input your meeting minutes into the SGA drive
 - iii. If you are going to an event, take a picture as proof for attendance and email the picture to both the Speaker and myself
 - iv. My committee will change the statues on the consequences of not completing office hours.
 - v. If you have any questions, please contact sgainternal@fiu.edu
 - e. Student Advocacy Committee
 - i. We had our meeting today and talked about 2 council proposals.
 - 1. Voted to dismiss SB3609 - Veterans Council
 - 2. Tabled Green Graduate proposal
 - ii. If you have any questions, please contact sgaadvocacy@fiu.edu
- Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Gomez at 4:23pm; Returned at 4:26pm*
- f. Graduate and Professional Students Committee
 - i. Planning GSAW for the week of March 30th
 - 1. Received more than 120 applications
 - 2. We need volunteers for the events
 - ii. If you have any questions, please contact GPSC@fiu.edu
- VIII. Executive Board Reports
- a. Speaker of the Senate
 - i. New Senator Orientation reschedule
 - ii. FIU DAY
 - iii. Congress will be on Feb. 17, 2020
 - iv. SGA Activity
 - 1. Feb. 22nd
 - v. WhatsApp Admin
 - vi. Deliberations tomorrow in GC355
 - vii. If you have any questions, please email sgaspeaker@fiu.edu
 - b. Speaker Pro Tempore
 - i. No report
 - ii. If you have any questions, please email sgaprotemp@fiu.edu
 - c. President Rosell

- i. If you have any questions, please email sgapres@fiu.edu
 - d. Vice President Ojeda
 - i. Shirts have been ordered
 - ii. FIU Day was a success
 - iii. Recharge Preview - Monday March 2nd
 - 1. Will leave a doodle link
 - iv. If you have any questions, please email sgavp@fiu.edu
 - e. Comptroller
 - i. If you have any questions, please email sgacomptrol@fiu.edu
 - f. Chief Justice
 - i. Meeting on Wednesday at 6:30pm
 - ii. If you have any questions, please email sgajud@fiu.edu
- IX. Special Orders
 - a. There were none.
- X. Vetoed Legislation
 - a. There were none.
- XI. Second Readings
 - a. There were none.
- XII. Unfinished Business
 - a. ORC MODEL UN Audit

Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Gonzalez at 4:42pm; Returned at 4:45pm

- b. ORC Chair Nominations
 - i. Senator Fraga moves to open the floor for nominations for ORC Chair. Senator Schantz seconds. Motion passes.
 - 1. Senator Schantz nominates Senator Karla Perez. Senator Karla Perez accepts.
 - 2. Senator Fraga moves to close the floor for nominations. Senator Ibarria seconds. Motion passes.
 - ii. Karla Perez
 - 1. Presentation
 - 2. Questions and Answer Period
 - a. Senator Gomez moves to close question and answer period. Senator Ibarria seconds. Motion passes.
 - 3. Senator Alгарin moves to vote by unanimous consent. Senator Ibarria seconds. Motion passes.
 - 4. Senator Karla Perez confirmed as ORC Chair
- Senator Alгарin moves to add SA3623 as Item A in New Business. Senator Schantz seconds. Motion passes.
- Senator Alгарin moves to add SR3621 Microwave Resolution to Item B of New Business. Senator Schantz seconds. Motion passes.

Senator Algarin moves to add SA3624 to Item C to New Business. Senator Schants seconds. Motion passes.

XIII. New Business

a. SA3623

- i. Senator Algarin moves to amend to say that \$150 will come from Senator Rafiefar semester allocation and \$50 will come from general legislative line item. Senator Fraga seconds. Motion passes.
- ii. Senator Gomez moves to amend to copy the formal title to the bottom where the signatures are. Senator Algarin seconds. Motion passes.
- iii. Senator Algarin moves to bypass second reading. Senator Ibarria seconds. Motion passes,
- iv. Senator Ibarria moves to go into voting procedure. Senator Brown seconds. Motion passes.

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VOTE ON				
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Alejandro	Arzola	A		
Alexandra	Ibarria	P	Y	
Amy	Gonzalez	P	Y	
Anabelle	Petisco	P	Y	
Angel	Algarin	P	Y	
Angelica	Moncada	P	Y	
Bryan	Gomez	P	Y	
Cameron	Moody	P	Y	
Carolina	Machin	P	Y	
Christian	Perez	P	Y	
Cornelius	Brown	P	Y	
David	Nivia	P	Y	
Elias Castilla	Marquez	P	Y	
Elizabeth	Alume	P	Y	
Gabriella	Ponce	P	Y	
Giacomo	Natteri	P	Y	
Hiba	Khalil	P	Y	
Janelle	Fraga	P	Y	
Jocelyn	Correa	P	Y	
Jonathan	Soufia	P	Y	
Karla	Perez	P	Y	
Kiara	Mohammad	P	Y	

Mallory	Fortuno	P	Y	
Marko	Nikitovic	P	Y	
Maryam	Rafieifar	P	Y	
Matthew	Beck	P	Y	
Meena	Mohan	P	Y	
Michaela	Mills	P	Y	
Molly	Schantz	P	Y	
Rose	Ingraham	P	Y	
Santiago	Arias	P	Y	
Serena Perpetual	Correia	P	Y	
Shahnwaz	Rafi	P	Y	
Van	Le	P	Y	
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VACANT	VACANT			
QUORUM ESTABLISHED		YAY	33	PASS
		NAY	0	
		ABSTAIN	0	

2. Passed with 33-0-0

Senator Alгарin moves to discharge SR3621 from ROJC. Senator Brown seconds. Motion passes. Senator Alгарin moves to add SR3621 to Item B of New Business. Senator Fraga seconds. Motion passes.

b. SR3621

- i. Senator Arias moves to close question and answer period. Senator Castilla seconds. Motion passes.
- ii. Senator Arias moves to bypass second reading. Senator Castilla seconds. Motion passes.
- iii. Senator Ibarria moves to go into voting procedure. Senator Castilla seconds. Motion passes;
- iv. Senator Fraga moves to vote by unanimous consent. Senator Karla Perez seconds. Motion passes. (resent)

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QUORUM ESTABLISHED		YAY	33	PASS

	NAY	0	
	ABSTAIN	0	

2. Passed with 33-0-0

Point of Personal Privilege for Vice President Ojeda at 5:15pm; Returned at 5:18pm

c. SA3624

- i. Senator Algarin moves to amend that says that \$150 will come from Senator Algarin semester allocation and \$200 from general legislative line item.
- ii. Speaker Nivia and Senator Brown asks to become sponsors. Confirmed
- iii. Senator Gomez moves to close questions and answer period. Senator Ibarria seconds. Motion passes.
- iv. Senator Gomez moves to bypass second reading. Senator Fraga seconds Motion passes.
- v. Senator Gomez moves to go into voting procedure. Senator Fraga seconds. Motion passes.

Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Van le at 5:26pm; Returned at 5:29pm

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Angel	Algarin	P	Y	
Angelica	Moncada	P	Y	
Bryan	Gomez	P	Y	
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Meena	Mohan	P	Y	
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Molly	Schantz	P	Y	
Rose	Ingraham	P	Y	
Santiago	Arias	P	Y	
Serena Perpetual	Correia	P	Y	
Shahnawaz	Rafi	P	Y	
Van	Le	P		Not present for presentation
VACANT	VACANT			
VACANT	VACANT			
VACANT	VACANT			
VACANT	VACANT			
QUORUM ESTABLISHED		YAY	32	PASS
		NAY	0	
		ABSTAIN	0	

2. Passed with 32-0-0

d. U-Wide: Congressional Rules of Procedure

- i. Senator Ingraham moves to go into discussion for 5 minutes. Senator Gomez seconds. Motion passes.

Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Rafi at 5:44pm; Dismissed

Senator Alгарin moves to go into next order of business. Senator Castilla seconds. Motion passes.

e. U-Wide: Making Rape Kits Accessible to the students of FIU

- i. Senator Alгарin moves to go into a 5 minute discussion period. Senator Brown seconds. Motion passes.
 - 1. Senator Castilla moves to close discussion period. Senator Gomez seconds. Motion passes.
- ii. Senator Castilla moves to go into the next order of business. Senator Gomez seconds. Motion passes.

f. U-Wide: Increasing ENG Funds for Veteran & Military Affairs

- i. Senator Arias moves to go into a 2 minute discussion period. Senator Ingraham seconds. Motion passes.

Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Fortuno at 6:00pm; Dismissed

Senator Brown moves to extend senate meeting by 5 minutes. Senator Petisco seconds. Motion passes.

Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Machin at 6:01pm; Dismissed

Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Fraga at 6:01pm; Dismissed

Point of Personal Privilege for Senator Khalil at 6:04pm; Dismissed

g. Working Senate

XIV. Advisor Report

- a. Last chance for composite photos on February 19th from 11am-1pm
- b. If you have received an email from Cathy for paperwork, please respond as quickly.
- c. With regards to any purchases that needs the University card please inform us in a timely matter as there has been a change in policy.
- d. If you have any questions, please email mimcast@fiu.edu

XV. Public Forum

a.

XVI. Senate Forum

a.

XVII. Announcements

a.

XVIII. Adjournment

- a. The Chair adjourned the meeting at 6:09pm