



The 39th Session of the Student Body Senate

Meeting Agenda

Date: October 10, 2022

I. Call to Order

A. Meeting called to order at 4:00 p.m.

B. The Pledge of Allegiance

1. "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."

C. Alma Mater

1. "We pledge to thee dear FIU, with voices loud and true. Alma Mater falter never, shine forever Gold and Blue. We fly our banners high, every culture we embrace. All our love and Panther spirit, young and old we make this place. We hail together FIU, every scholar side by side. And we hail to Alma Mater, Alma Mater be our guide!"

II. Roll Call

Attendance

Senator Name	Senators Position	Attendance Status	Additional Note on Senator
Vacant	BBC Housing	Vacant	
Tiara Campbell	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Absent	
Sergio Morizot-Leite	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	
Nathalie Mendoza-Salas	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	
Delano Cicconi	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	
Nicolas Marquez	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	
Kaitlyn Coll	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Absent	
Scott Ahlren	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	

Alessandra Gonzalez	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present
Brian Fogel	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present
Samuel Morales	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present
Alexandra Miqueli	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present
Adrian Rodriguez	College of Business	Present
Aleck Estrada Arzamendi	College of Business	Present
Martyna Reiban	College of Business	Present
Ian Lares-Chacin	College of Business	Present
Matthew Gaynor	College of Business	Present
Isabel Quintanilla	College of Communication Architecture and the Arts	Absent
Rafael Moya-Palacios	College of Communication Architecture and the Arts	Absent
Fernando Melara Barahona	College of Engineering and Computing	Present
Francesca Casanova	College of Engineering and Computing	Absent
Karina Hernandez	College of Engineering and Computing	Present
Vacant	College of Engineering and Computing	Vacant
Grace Mccullough	College of Hospitality and Tourism Management	Absent
Cole Sebastian	College of Law	Present
Shebin George	College of Medicine	Absent
Kenrik Chirinos	College of Nursing and Health Sciences	Absent
Matthew Micalizzi	College of Public Health and Social Work	Present
Ahmend Soliman	University Graduate School	Absent
Morida "MJ" Johnson	University Graduate School	Present
Haley Dawson	University Graduate School	Present
Arturo Barahona	University Graduate School	Present

Nick Kukuk	University Graduate School	Present
Cassandra Soriano	Honors College	Present
John Boris	Lower Division BBC	Present
Zachary Stangl	Lower Division MMC	Present
Mia Rodriguez	MMC Housing	Present
Sofia Castillo	MMC Housing	Present
Vacant	MMC Housing	Vacant
Vacant	Online Student Senator	Vacant
Alexander Sutton	School of International and Public Affairs	Present
Kaily LaChapelle	School of International and Public Affairs	Present
Manuel Soltero	School of International and Public Affairs	Present
Vacant	Upper Division BBC	Vacant
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Iara Raggio	Upper Division MMC	Present
Nathalie "Naty" Jusino	Upper Division MMC	Absent
Quorum is Established	Present	31
	Absent	10
	Vacant	6

III. Correction and Approval of Last Meeting's Minutes

- A. Senate president Sutton moves to approve last meetings minutes.

IV. Adoption of the Agenda

- A. Senator Gaynor moves to enter 3 minute discussion on MMC housing senator position, pro temp stangl seconds. Motion passes
- B. Senator Gaynor moves to table mmc housing senator for 2 weeks, senator rodriguez seconds. Motion passes

V. Invited Speakers

- A.

VI. Committee Reports

- A. Appropriations Committee
 - 1. Allocated for senate retreat at BBC next week

B. International Student Affairs Ad-Hoc Committee

1. Starting to work on amendment for international student senator as well as making legislation for DACA dreamer act

C. Graduate and Professional Student Committee

1. Met last week to discuss tax event, we'll be working with the law school on this
2. Updating graduate student funding so other graduate students are aware of the possible funding opportunities.

D. University Sustainability and Innovation Committee

1. Spoke about textmate

Kaitlyn Coll is present at 4:18pm

E. Health and Well-Being Committee

1. Spoke about hurricane Ian legislation

F. Student Life and Academic Concerns Committee

G. Committee on Rules and Administration

1. Discussed two resolution that passed unanimously: hurricane ian and "curving down" legislations were passed.

VII. Executive Board Reports

A. Student Body President Cristhofer Lugo

1. Deputy chief of staff is going up for election today, their role will be assisting me so please lean your questions toward things involving my position
2. If you know anyone who is interested in being in the election board please let us know so we can strengthen our election board
3. October 12th will be a pop up event from 11am-2pm
4. Presidential search committee will be going on from 11am-1pm. Having an SGA presence would show we are dedicated to holding our new university president accountable.
5. Ill be meeting with the Vice President of the united states this week to discuss legislation and effects of florida!

B. Senate President Alexander P. Sutton

1. Next senate will be at BBC, we will have a working senate with presentations on how to be an effective senator
2. We will also be going kayaking and making smores! Please confirm attendance with me

C. Senate President Pro-Tempore Zachary Stangl

1. Popping with sga pop up event will be happening October 12th at the SGA office! It would be great to see as many senators as possible!
2. We have begun reaching out to the deans who will be involved in the meet your dean event
3. If you are still interested in helping for the event please reach out!

D. Senate Floor Leader Fernando Melara

1. Id like to reiterate what pro temp stangl said because having the senates support for meet your dean will make this event amazing

E. Student Body Vice President Valentina Casanova

1. If you can come in your SGA polo please do so for the pop up event!

F. Comptroller Gabriela Alvarez

G. Executive Administrator Mariana Machado

H. Governor of the Biscayne Bay Campus Ava Barnd

I. Chief of Staff Kyomi Cabral

J. Chief Justice Sebastian Aviles

VIII. Vetoed Legislation

- A. none

IX. Unfinished Business

A. Second Reading of SB 03 004: The Fang-tastic Feast Bill

1. Senator lachapelle moves to enter roll call vote, senator cicconi seconds.
Motion passes

Vote on SB03-004

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Vacant	BBC Housing	Vacant	Vacant	
Tiara Campbell	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Absent		
Sergio Morizot-Leite	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	Yes	
Nathalie Mendoza-Salas	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	Yes	
Delano Cicconi	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	Yes	
Nicolas Marquez	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present		

Kaitlyn Coll	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Absent	
Scott Ahlren	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	Yes
Alessandra Gonzalez	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	Yes
Brian Fogel	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	Yes
Samuel Morales	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	Yes
Alexandra Miqueli	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	Yes
Adrian Rodriguez	College of Business	Present	Yes
Aleck Estrada Arzamendi	College of Business	Present	Yes
Martyna Reiban	College of Business	Present	Abstention
Ian Lares-Chacin	College of Business	Present	Yes
Matthew Gaynor	College of Business	Present	Yes
Isabel Quintanilla	College of Communication Architecture and the Arts	Absent	
Rafael Moya-Palacios	College of Communication Architecture and the Arts	Absent	
Fernando Melara Barahona	College of Engineering and Computing	Present	Yes
Francesca Casanova	College of Engineering and Computing	Absent	
Karina Hernandez	College of Engineering and Computing	Present	Yes
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Cassandra Soriano	Honors College	Present	Yes
John Boris	Lower Division BBC	Present	Yes
Zachary Stangl	Lower Division MMC	Present	Yes
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Manuel Soltero	School of International and Public Affairs	Present	Yes
Vacant	Upper Division BBC	Vacant	Vacant
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Iara Raggio	Upper Division MMC	Present	
Nathalie "Naty" Jusino	Upper Division MMC	Absent	
Vote Count			
Yes	No	Abstention	Vacant
28	0	1	6

X. New Business

A. Confirmation of Melanie Perez to Deputy Chief-of-Staff to the President

1. Senator rodriguez moves to enter 3 minute discussion, senator Gaynor seconds. Motion passes
2. Pro temp stangl move to close discussion and vote by unanimous consent, senator Rodriguez seconds. Motion passes. Melanie Perez is confirmed
- 3.

B. Election of MMC Housing Senator (1 seat) [TABLED TO NEXT WEEK]

1. Alexander Stone

2. Joshua Campos

C. 20 minute discussion on Standard Operating Procedures

Senator Cicconi moves to read piece of legislation, senator Gaynor seconds. Motion fails.

- XI. Public Forum
 - A. none
- XII. Senate Forum
 - A. Senator Gaynor: I would like clarification on why student health and wellbeing voted down the hurricane Ian legislation
- XIII. Announcements
 - A.
- XIV. Advisor Reports
 - A.
- XV. Meeting Adjournment
 - A. Meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.