



Student Government
Association

The 39th Session of the Student Body Senate

Meeting Agenda

Date: November 14, 2022

I. Call to Order

A. Meeting called to order at 4:11 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	Absent	
Nicolas Marquez	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	
Kaitlyn Coll	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	
Scott Ahlren	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present	

Alessandra Gonzalez	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Absent
Vacant	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Vacant
Samuel Morales	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Present
Alexandra Miqueli	College of Arts Sciences and Education	Absent
Adrian Rodriguez	College of Business	Absent
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	Present
Rafael Moya-Palacios	College of Communication Architecture and the Arts	Present
Fernando Melara Barahona	College of Engineering and Computing	Present
Francesca Casanova	College of Engineering and Computing	Present
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	Absent
Shebin George	College of Medicine	Present
Kenrik Chirinos	College of Nursing and Health Sciences	Absent
Matthew Micalizzi	College of Public Health and Social Work	Absent
Ahmend Soliman	University Graduate School	Present
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
Alexander Stone	MMC Housing	Present
Vacant	Online Student Senator	Vacant
Alexander Sutton	School of International and Public Affairs	Present
Kaily LaChapelle	School of International and Public Affairs	Absent
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	Present
Quorum is Established	Present	31
	Absent	10
	Vacant	6

III. Correction and Approval of Last Meeting's Minutes

A. Senate president moves to approve last meetings minutes, senator moya seconds.

Motion passes

IV. Adoption of the Agenda

A. Senate president moves to adopt today's agenda, senator moya seconds, motion passes

V. Invited Speakers

A. Comptroller Gabriela Alvarez

VI. Committee Reports

A. Appropriations Committee

1. Need committee to continue looking over legislation so we can be educated for our meetings

B. International Student Affairs Ad-Hoc Committee

- 1. Discussed DACA assistance act, amended it as well
- C. Graduate and Professional Student Committee
 - 1. No report
- D. University Sustainability and Innovation Committee
 - 1. Really need to discuss committee member attendance
- E. Health and Well-Being Committee
- F. Student Life and Academic Concerns Committee
 - 1. Meeting Wednesday to discuss meet your dean bill
- G. Committee on Rules and Administration
 - 1. Met last week and will be meeting again this week
- VII. Executive Board Reports
 - A. Student Body President Cristhofer Lugo
 - B. Senate President Alexander P. Sutton
 - 1. Next week there is still senate even though thanksgiving is on Thursday
 - C. Senate President Pro-Tempore Zachary Stangl
 - D. Senate Floor Leader Fernando Melara
 - E. Student Body Vice President Valentina Casanova
 - 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.
- IX. Unfinished Business
 - A. Second Reading of SR 03 011, The Panthers with Disabilities Act
- X. New Business
 - A. Confirmation of Gabriel Rondon as Engineering Senator
 - 1. Senator soltero moves to vote by unanimous consent, senator moya seconds.
Motion passes
 - B. Confirmation of Genesis Moreno as CASE Senator
 - 1. Senate pro temp move to close discussion, senator rodriguez seconds. Motion passes

2. Senator rodriguez moves to vote by unanimous consent, pro temp stangl seconds. Motion passes

C. Confirmation of Kelvin Bencosme as Elections board member

1. Pro temp stangl moves to vote by unanimous consent, senator rodriguez seconds. Motion fails

2. Senator gaynor moves to enter 5 minute discussion, pro temp stangl seconds. Motion passes

3. Senator ahlgren moves to vote by placard vote, senate pro temp stangl seconds. Motion passes

XI. Public Forum

A.

XII. Senate Forum

A. Senator stone moves to take the hurrican ian legislation from the table and discuss it and possibly vote, senator reiban seconds. Motion fails

XIII. Announcements

A. Free film screening directed by a graduate student filmmaker from croatia! The event is tomorrow at 2pm in GC 150

XIV. Advisor Reports

A. Larissa: please finalize your HR paperwork! The deadline to forfeit your stipend is approaching!

1. Party allocations for elections have come up today

XV. Meeting Adjournment

A. Meeting adjourned at 5:29 p.m.