



MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 3:05 PM
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum (8): 12/12

Name	Email	Initial	Final
1. Acting Chair – President Luci Blanco	sga_pres@ucf.edu	P	P
2. Senior Student Affairs Officer Designee – Phong Ngo	phong.ngo@ucf.edu	P	P
3. Office of Student Financial Assistance – TBD	TBD	V	V
4. Senate President Kirsten Courts	sga_spkr@ucf.edu	P	E
5. Student At Large - Kyle Harris	ky747174@ucf.edu	P	P
6. Student At Large - Carson Mullen	ca857427@ucf.edu	P	P
7. Student At Large - Marianna Cratem	ma618186@ucf.edu	P	P
8. Student At Large - Savanah Gonzalez	sa747239@ucf.edu	P	P
9. Student Body Senator - Annia-Gabrielle Beneche	sga_sci2@ucf.edu	P	P
10. Student Body Senator - Nghi Chau	sgacie1@ucf.edu	P	P
11. Student Body Senator - Juan Varela	sgsci14@ucf.edu	P	P
12. Academic Affairs Coordinator - Shivani Vakharia	sgaacademics@ucf.edu	P	P

3. Approval of the Minutes –
 - a. None
4. Approval of the Agenda –
 - a. Moved by GC
5. Open Forum –
 - a. None

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6. Announcements from the Acting Chair, President Blanco –
 - a. Blanco: Welcome! Excited to welcome new committee, being a part of this committee in my time was a true highlight of my SG experience in the way you touch students' lives.
 7. Announcements from Committee Members –
 - a. None
 8. Announcements from Non-Committee Members –
 - a. None
 9. New Business –
 - a. Chair Elections
 - i. Speaker Courts: Nominate Senator Varela, declined
 - ii. Senator Varela: Nominate AAC, accepted
 - iii. Motion for Speech, Questioning, Debate: 5-10-10, second by SV
 - iv. Speech: [Scholarship Committee presentation.pdf](#)
 - v. Question:
 1. Senator Varela: Do you think this outreach would expand to connect campuses?
 - a. AAC – open to hearing to see ways to expand outreach, opportunities should be open to all UCF students
 2. Senator Chau: What is your leadership style when handling conflict?
 - a. AAC – open communication is key, support, one team trying to put forth initiative, common goal in providing students
 - vi. Debate:
 1. Speaker Courts: voting in favor, amazing initiatives, works well with position, happy to see what she does
 2. Senator Varela: appreciate other campus inclusion/connect campuses, very important that every student has fair opportunity, voting in favor
 - vii. Vote: Favor – 9, Negation – 0, Abstain 2
 - viii. Congrats Chair Vakharia!
 - b. Vice Chair Elections
 - i. Nominations
 1. Senator Varela: Nominate Senator Chau, declined
 2. Speaker Courts: Nominate Senator Beneche, declined
 3. Gonzalez: Self nomination
 4. Senator Chau: Motion for Speech, Questioning, Debate: 5-10-10, seconded by Blanco
 5. Speech:

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- a. Gonzalez: I go by Aralyn, sophomore, learned about position through SGLC/ELC, passionate about the work this committee does, served as Knight Thon Vice Chair
 - b. Initiatives: Outreach, filtering system for A20 update
- 6. Questioning:
 - a. Senator Chau: How do you plan to support committee initiatives?
 - b. Gonzalez: Communication is key, reach out to UCF IT and appropriate parties
 - c. Speaker Courts: Move to debate
- 7. Debate
 - a. Speaker Courts: Voting in favor, happy to see previous SGLCers involved, motion to vote
- 8. Vote: Favor - 8, Negation - 0, Abstain - 2,
- 9. Congrats Vice Chair Gonzalez!
- 10. Miscellaneous Business –
 - a. Ice Breaker
- 11. Member Discussion –
 - a. Senator Chau: Congratulations to new leadership, excited to work in committee with you and everyone here
 - b. Vice Chair Gonzalez: Thank you everyone!
- 12. Final Roll Call –
 - a. Vice Chair Gonzalez: Same as initial minus 1
- 13. Adjournment – 3:38 PM

Key:

- P - Present
- A - Absent
- V- Vacant
- MTD - Move to Debate
- MTV - Move to Vote
- MTA- Move to Amend
- MSQD – Motion for Speech, Questioning, & Debate Time
- MTIF – Move to Informal
- MTF – Move to Formal
- PP - Postpone
- PPI - Postpone Indefinitely

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Student Government Conference Room
8/29/2025
3:00 PM

GC - General Consent

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