

STUDENT SENATE MINUTES

April 19th, 2022

The Senate President called the Senate meeting to order at 4:01pm and announced that the meeting may be filmed or audio recorded and may be available to the public. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

ROLL CALL:

Roll was called and quorum was established with a total of 59 senators present.

Not there for roll call:

- **Ali**
- **Berger**
- **Cable**
- **Cuello**
- **Damera**
- **Flores**
- **Gay**
- **Graham**
- **Gray**
- **Johnson, Quinlyn**
- **Johnson, Tyson**
- **Karim**
- **Koukos**
- **Marcus**
- **Mbua**
- **Mikhaylov**
- **Partridge**
- **Pearce**
- **Perez**
- **Ramos**
- **Riklan**
- **Rocker**
- **Rudas**
- **Stevenson**
- **Unland**
- **Urbenz**
- **Verville**
- **Zepeda**

PUBLIC COMMENT:

- Jonathan Stephens:
 - Hi, I am here for summer replacement.
 - I hope through this summer term I can have a term of love and laughter.
 - I hope for your approval as a block. Thank you!
 - Go Gators!

*****If you wish to hear any speeches given during public debate please request the recordings from senatesecretary@sg.ufl.edu*****

AMENDMENTS TO THE MINUTES:

- There were none.

AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA:

- Chairman Brinkman: I move to add the nomination of Ryan Wiele to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to the agenda under Replacement and Agenda Committee Recommendations by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Chairman Brinkman: I move to approve Ryan Wiele to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Chairman Brinkman: I move to add the nomination of Kendall Runyan to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court to the agenda under Replacement and Agenda Committee Recommendations by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Chairman Brinkman: I move to approve Kendall Runyan to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Chairman Brinkman: I move to add the nomination of David Allen to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court to the agenda under Replacement and Agenda Committee Recommendations by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Chairman Brinkman: I move to approve David Allen to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Chairman Brinkman: I move to add the nomination of Ethan Halle to be Supervisor of Elections under Replacement and Agenda Committee Recommendations by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Chairman Brinkman: I move to approve Ethan Halle to be Supervisor of Elections by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Chairman Brinkman: I move to add Janelle Rolle to be the Elections Commission under Replacement and Agenda Committee Recommendations by unanimous consent
- Chairman Brinkman: I move to approve Janelle Rolle as Elections Commissioner by unanimous consent. That motion passes.

- Majority Party Pecora: I move to approve the block of absences by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Majority Party Pecora moves to approve the block of Replacement and Agenda committee recommendations by unanimous consent. That motion passes.
- Senator Montes moves to approve Student Senate Bill 2022-1008: Recognizing May as Mental Health Awareness Month 2022 by unanimous consent. That motion passes.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

EXECUTIVE BRANCH:

- Vinny Saverino:
 - I served as chancellor this past year for the student honor code administration.
 - During this semester, we held GBMs for our members.
 - We met with faculty and staff and told them about opportunities to help proctor in the future, as we turn away from Honorlock.
 - We had discussions with faculty about ways SHCA could partner with people on campus to ...
 - We are working to create promotional items that will be here in the fall semester.
 - Thank you for a great year! I had a great time serving as chancellor.
- Gator Innovators Kierra Marquis:
 - This past semester, we secured new sponsorships.
 - We revamped Gator tank this year and it was a very successful event.
 - We also collaborated with Innovation Academy.
 - If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at ...

SENATE PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

- Senate President Hartzog:
 - Thank you to senators from this spring, I will miss you over the summer but look forward to the fall.
 - To all the new senators here for the summer, welcome! This is an exciting and great opportunity.
 - The first senate meeting will be May 10th.
 - Please text or email me if you would like to set up a meeting before summer starts.
 - Keep care of yourself during the final season.
 - If you need anything, please reach out to me.

REPLACEMENT AND AGENDA COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS:

- There were none.

REPLACEMENT AND AGENDA:

- Pro-Tempore Green welcomes the senators.
 - All summer replacement emails were sent out today.
 - There will no longer be a Hume replacement seat this Summer B, Senator Panish will remain here.
 - The open seats will close on May 6th.

Open Summer Replacements

- Summer A:
 - Freshman
 - District C
 - Hume
- Summer C:
 - District A
 - District C (2)
 - District D
 - Murphree
 - Graham
 - Infinity
 - Jennings
 - CALS
 - Building Construction
 - Business (2)
 - Education
 - Law
 - CLAS (4)
 - Nursing
 - Pharmacy
 - Sophomore (2)
 - Health and Human Performance
- Open Permanent Senate Seats:
 - District D (5)
 - District B
 - District A
 - Graduate and Family Housing
 - Graduate (3)
 - Tolbert
- Open Committee Seats:
 - Rules and Ethics
 - Information and Communications (2)
 - Judiciary
- The replacement and agenda committee will not be meeting this week.

- Good luck with finals!

JUDICIARY:

- Chairman Brinkman:
 - I know I made a lot of motions, and I am here to put them on your voter records.
 - The Judiciary committee will be meeting the Sunday before the first summer meeting on May 8.
 - The legislation will be due by May 6th, and please email that to

BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS:

- Chairwoman Giordano:
 - The Budget and Appropriations meeting will be meeting today at 4:30pm.
 - We're going to be compiling and writing the bill this week. Hopefully this will come out by this week or next week for signatures.

RULES & ETHICS:

- Chairwoman Thompson:
 - Thank you for all of your hard work and patience for turning in your constituency.
 - We are meeting tomorrow at 3pm in the SG Conference room.
 - If you are on probation, you will be notified in the next few days.

INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION:

- Chairwoman Funai:
 - If the Budget committee and R&E committee stay after the meeting, that would be good, since I need to take a picture for the Instagram.
 - Good luck with exams and good luck with the summer!

FIRST READINGS:

- There were none.

SECOND READINGS:

- There were none.

BILLS PENDING SIGNATURES:

- There were none.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Senator Gorelick: There is a new dean in the college of public health, and she will be on campus until the end of this semester and formally joining us on July 11th. Introduce yourself!

- Senator Santiago: If you haven't gotten the meningitis vaccine, please do so

ROLL CALL:

- Senator Thompson motions to use voter record as final roll call by unanimous consent.
That motion passes.

ADJOURNMENT:

- The meeting was adjourned at 4:22pm.