

STUDENT SENATE MINUTES

May 20th, 2025

Senate President Seifer called the Senate meeting to order at 7:02 pm and announced that the meeting may be filmed or audio recorded and may be available to the public. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. A land acknowledgment was given.

ROLL CALL:

Roll was called and quorum was established with a total of 61 senators present.

Not there for roll call:

- Kruger
- Kugler
- Mahadevan
- Mirabel
- Ricci
- Smith, Audrey
- Smith, Thomas

PUBLIC COMMENT:

- There was one member of the public that gave public comment including Tyler Sklar.

AMENDMENTS TO THE MINUTES:

- There was none.

AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA:

- Majority Party Leader Khan moves to approve the bloc of Executive Nominations by unanimous consent. The motion passes.
- Majority Party Leader Khan moves to approve Katherine Finfrock for the open Information and Communications Committee Chair by unanimous consent. The motion passes.
- Majority Party Leader Khan moves to approve Zachary Wolsonovich for the open Budget and Appropriations Committee Seat by unanimous consent. The motion passes.
- Majority Party Leader Khan moves to approve SSB 2025-1104 by unanimous consent. The motion passes.
- Senator Larsen moves to adopt the agenda by unanimous consent. The motion passes.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

- Senate President Seifer thanks senators for their attendance and provides information on committee applications.
- Senate President Seifer presents a QR code with information on Dr. Santa Ono, the sole finalist in the UF presidential search.

REPLACEMENT & AGENDA:

- Senate President Pro-Tempore Rubaii reminds senators to fill out affiliation forms at their earliest convenience.
- **Open Permanent Seats:**
 - Veterinary Medicine
 - Education
 - Graduate (2)
 - Off-Campus (3)
- **Open Summer A Replacements:**
 - Lakeside
 - Off-Campus
 - Accounting
 - Graduate
 - CLAS
 - Infinity
 - Yulee Area
- **Open Summer C Replacements:**
 - Honors Village
 - Hume
 - Off-Campus (5)
 - Tolbert Area
 - CALS (2)
 - Building and Construction
 - Graduate (3)
 - Law
 - Nursing
 - Pharmacy
 - Sophomore
- **Open Summer Committee Seats:**
 - Information and Communications (7)
 - Judiciary (5)
 - Rules and Ethics (5)
 - Budget (3)

JUDICIARY:

- Chairman Bravo encourages senators to apply for the committee.
- Chairman Bravo announces there are templates for legislation and shares an upcoming legislation workshop.

BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS:

- Chairwoman Idiculla encourages senators to apply to the committee and announces that Reitz and RecSports budgets will be approved from June 30th to July 3rd.
- Chairwoman Idiculla explains upcoming traditions for their committee.

RULES & ETHICS:

- Chairwoman Filoramo explains constituency and clarifies senator requirements.

INFORMATION & COMMUNICATIONS:

- Chairwoman Finrock encourages senators to apply to the committee and announces Senator Zervoudakis as their Vice Chair.
- Chairwoman Finrock presents a QR code for senators to sign up for constituency tabling.

FIRST READING:

- There were none.

SECOND READING:

- There were none.

THIRD READING:

- There were none.

BILLS PENDING SIGNATURE

- There were none.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- There were none.

ADJOURNMENT:

- Chairman Bravo clarifies the voter record.
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:23 pm.