



AGENDA  
 UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION COUNCIL  
 April 23, 2024  
 7 PM PST  
 Zoom: <https://ucla.zoom.us/j/98686577744?pwd=Zm5TeGNlVGV5PcTMxO3MzckNlZ01XZz09>  
 Password: 245694

**I. Call to Order**

Hammonds

- Naomi calls the meeting to order at 7:06pm.

**A. Signing of the Attendance Sheet**

- Signed via google docs

**II. Approval of Agenda\***

Law

- Strike ARC Allocations
- Strike BAG Allocations
- Strike GROWS Allocations
- Strike Election Board Updates
- Add Resolution in Support of Asna Tabussum and Her Right to Free Speech
- Alicia moves to make the Resolution in Support of Asna Tabussum and Her Right to Free Speech, an action item, Jonathan seconds.
- By vote 8-0-0, the motion passes and the Resolution is made into an action item.
- Nilaya moves to approve the agenda as amended, Alicia seconds.
- By vote of 7-0-0, the motion passes and the agenda is approved as amended.

**III. Approval of the Minutes\***

Law

- Nilaya moves to approve the minutes from 4/16/24, Jonathan seconds.
- By vote of 8-0-0, the motion passes and the minutes from 4/16/24 are approved.

**IV. Public Comment**

Hammonds

- Public comment is closed at 7:11pm.

**V. Funding**

- ~~A. Capital Contingency\* Yin~~
- ~~B. Contingency Programming\* Yin~~
- C. SFS Allocations# Wong
  - Allocation: \$3,129.00 to 3 non USAC entities
  - No opposition, passes as a consent item.
- D. SWC Programming Fund Allocations# Kang
  - Allocation: \$1,250.89 to 4 non USAC entities
  - No opposition, passes as a consent item.
- ~~E. Bruin Advocacy Grant Allocations# Jussim~~
- ~~F. Grassroots Organizers for Working Students Grant Allocations# Jussim~~
- G. ASRF Allocations# Sridhar
  - Allocation: \$2,010.00 to 8 non USAC entities
  - No opposition, passes as a consent item.
- H. AAC Travel Mini-Grant Allocations# Sridhar
  - Allocation: \$3,773.98 to 8 non USAC entities

- No opposition, passes as a consent item.

- I. ARC Allocations# Verdugo
- J. TGIF Kanuri
- Allocation: \$11,342.88 to 3 non USAC entities and 1 USAC entity
  - No opposition, passes as a consent item.
- K. USA/BOD Allocations\* Broukhim
- No allocations.

## **VI. Special Presentation**

- A. Election Board Updates Le

## **VII. Appointments**

## **VIII. Officer Reports**

- A. President Hammonds
- Attended EDI Networking Student Mix and Mingle
  - Student Space Sub-Committee meeting
  - Outreach, Retention, and Recruitment task force meeting
  - Met with Transfer Student Representative to discuss collaborations and future events
  - Met with the UCLA Ballet Company and scheduling a follow up meeting
  - Attended Retention Subcommittee
  - Met with student appointment and Ashe Center leadership about UCSHIP changes
- B. Internal Vice President Law
- The IVP Office Executive Team held an executive team meeting this Monday at 5PM in the IVP Office. If you would like to attend, please contact Megan or Josh to RSVP.
  - The IVP Office held our first Spring Quarter All-Staff Meeting this Monday at 6PM in the Ackerman Viewpoint Conference Rooms (Ackerman 3517)! If you would like to attend, please contact Megan or Josh to RSVP!
  - The IVP Housing Relief Fund is now open! Anyone can apply through this [link](#) by May 7th, 2024. Please share it on social media and through your organizations!
  - The Empowering Student Engagement Committee, Pre-Professional Support Committee, Supporting Students Needs Committee, and General Events Committees are collaborating with the Academic Affairs Commission in their Resource Fair tomorrow, Wednesday, April 24th, 2024 fro, 11am-2pm in Bruin Plaza
- C. External Vice President Jussim
- Local
    - Local motive
    - AB 1818 got amended
    - STC services meeting
    - In-district lobby meetings
  - State
    - scheduling for May 22 and May 23
      - Finalizing leg agenda, scheduling, lobby corps invit
  - Federal
    - Just came back from hill day.
  - Outreach team: garnering support from AB 1818, final presentation
  - Civic:
    - democracy workshop yesterday was good, another one May 21 from 6-8
    - Met with civic teams from big 10. Trying to have a big 10 general election coalition for November.
  - Student relations: BAG hearings are tomorrow, 10-1 and 3-6pm.
- D. General Representative 1 Pool
- E. General Representative 2 Lasry
- F. General Representative 3 Valenzuela Mejia

- Overall Office
  - Weekly meeting as always
    - Will be conducting exit interviews with staff and help them find their next steps in USAC if that is what they choose to do so.
  - Collaborated with CAC and ISR on a variety of resolutions related to the various situations locally and nationally.
  - Attended the meeting with VC Michael Beck this Monday alongside other USAC members such as EVP and FAC
- Platforms:
  - Bruin Health
    - Get masks! Kerckhoff 313
    - Will be meeting with the DSU soon to discuss ways to support their initiatives and work to push for better support for disabled students.
  - Bruin Representation
    - Latine Caucus tomorrow 8-10! Latinx students and allies interested in discussing issues impacting the community are welcome! Kerckhoff 417
    - Attended a variety of meetings related to the HSI projects such as the Town Hall planning, which is being worked on with other Latine orgs as well. Also attended a meeting to discuss the Latine Student Center and the resources most needed for it.
    - Toured the future Latine Student center on Thursday with important student and non-student stakeholders which is in De Neve, under Birch and near the dining hall.
    - Sending the surplus to HSI soon!
  - Bruin Worldwide
    - Met with Adam the current ISR to discuss creating a framework for the next ISR to take over the Bruin Buddies program and ensure it happens next week in a more established and direct manner.
  - Bruin Resources
    - Helping out with AAC's Spring Resource Fair tomorrow! Will be handing out drinks and refreshments to students during the fair itself from 10-2!
    - Internship and Resume Presentation event next Monday the 29th at Ackerman 2412! From 4-6pm. Food and refreshments will be available! A collaborative event with IVP
  - Bruin Convenience
    - No updates for this week

G. [Academic Affairs Commissioner](#)

Srihar

H. [Campus Events Commission](#)

Miller

I. [Community Service Commissioner](#)

Wong

- **CALLING FOR WORKSHOPS AND SHOWCASE PARTICIPANTS !!!**
  - CSC is organizing our annual Service Impact Summit, an opportunity to celebrate the amazing change-makers at UCLA that are improving the lives of the campus, local, and greater communities we are all a part of. SIS features engaging workshops focused on strengthening the advocate or service leader and a showcase of different service impact events, research, and success over the year.
  - Friday, May 24th, 11am-4pm, Luskin Conference Center
  - Calling for individual students and student groups to either present their work or lead a workshop! Applications at <https://tinyurl.com/showcaseSIS> and <https://tinyurl.com/workshopsis>. All participants get free catered lunch, free merch and stand to win attractive raffle prizes! Follow @uclasc for more updates.
  - Applications for Robert S Michaels Scholarship Award are out and due Sunday April 28th (\$1000 for the individual disbursed through financial aid + \$250 for each organization sponsored)
    - <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1lgleXllJpSlcIS7C4VefcVhk1cq0ZJvwbCZWHvD4nA4/edit>
  - Our internship team is reaching out to team behind Bruin Day to hopefully table to transfers.
  - Our outreach team is conducting 1:1 meetings with service organizations to share more about CSC and resource guides for service organization

- Last week, our staff volunteered with Water Drop LA to distribute water to the unhoused community along skid row.
- Our SCBN director worked with organizations in Student Coalition for Basic Needs to put on the basic needs event today and it was a great success
- Our advocacy team organized our Equity In Mind Conference on Sunday in collaboration with DiverSWC :)
- Tabling at the AAC Spring Resource Fair tomorrow

J. [Cultural Affairs Commissioner](#)

Verdugo

K. [Facilities Commissioner](#)

Kanuri

***The Green Initiative Fund (TGIF): \$11,342.88 allocated to 3 non-USAC entities and 1 USAC entity.***

**Upcoming Events:**

- OSAC is still hiring committee members for 1- and 2- year terms! Please advertise <3 (they're not stipended!)
- On 05/19, from 11 am - 3 pm, STC4All will have space at the UCLA booth at the [Pick Pico Street Fair](#), located near the intersection of Overland Ave. and W Pico Blvd. This is a fun event with great local food, activities, and opportunities to learn about your local government and non-profit organizations. If you would like to volunteer for this tabling opportunity, please fill out [this form](#).

**Access & Infrastructure:**

- 04/17: Met with STC4All Coalition & Working Group for project team presentations from folks like Michael Hoghooghi, Yusef Robbs, etc. We discussed the merits of the different alternatives and why Metro should eliminate Alternatives 1 and 2.
- 04/18: We successfully hosted the “Mobilizing for Mobility” event in coordination with UCLA Institute of Transportation Studies and Move LA. Other folks in attendance included: Bruins Public Health Group, UAW representatives, etc. It was a great collaborative effort to reduce labor and improve efficacy in advocacy spaces.
- We’ve reserved the Pauley Pavilion Club space Sunday-Wednesday of Finals Week for this quarter in order to host one last Study Nights for this academic year! (Thank you Lorrie <3)

**Sustainability:**

- 04/19: I participated in our weekly Sustainable Move-Out meeting. The project is moving along – graphics and maps will be distributed soon. We also plan to highlight the project in a Daily Bruin article, at the upcoming First Thursdays, and at the Westwood Farmers Market.
- Blaze Pizza Waste signage (for the pizza box compost bin) has been printed, laminated, and is ready to be placed around South Campus Eatery!

**Internal/Administrative/Miscellaneous:**

- 04/18: I met with the East Afrikan Student Association in order to plan an event highlighting afro-environmentalism.
- 04/22: I attended the USAC Monthly Meeting with AVC Michael Beck. We discussed the potential changes to the Time Place Manner policies and AVC Beck let us know that they are reconsidering sign size restrictions, policy expression zone locations/connections, and emergency organizing guidelines for receiving a permit.

L. [Financial Supports Commissioner](#)

Broukhim

M. [Student Wellness Commissioner](#)

Kang

- Commissioner Updates
  - Just working on getting surplus to the right entities and wrapping up giveaway stuff from our bruin health week!
- **SWC Updates**
  - Successful Bruin Health Week last week!
  - Beginning recruitment for new SWC Committee Directors for next year

- Active Minds collaboration with LGBTQ Center on Campus event tomorrow night, with resources from the center, safe sex supplies, and a giveaway!
- Student Coalition for Basic Needs Fair with our Bruin Necessities Committee was today, great turnout
- Bruin Consent Coalition is collaborating with CARE on campus tomorrow from 11am-2:30pm at Dickson court
- SEARCH is conducting a survey on imposter syndrome
- Event w PPLA sex educator happening May 10 4-550 pm in Ackerman
- Foodie Fair tentatively scheduled for 5/20 in Wilson Plaza

N. Transfer Student Representative Harmon

- My directors and I tabled at the 25th annual STOMP Conference on the 19th and I also spoke on their panel
- Filmed a collaboration video on the 19th with two of my directors and Charlie (Good Morning UCLA). The video was posted on Sunday and has nearly 700 likes and 23,000 views
- Filmed a Transfer Admit Welcome video for the Transfer Student Center
- Mentorship Applications have closed and mentees/mentors are being paired this week
- Transfer Appreciation Week is Week 7 (transfer panels, workshops, resource fairs, community service drive, dinner, etc.)
- Gabby and I released applications for Graduation Packages yesterday at 7:15 PM and we have received over 170 applications so far
- Met with Sarah Mo earlier today to discuss logistics for the Staff Appreciation Night
- Some of my directors are in Sacramento for Transfer Lobby Day and they will return tomorrow
- Working on finalizing the details and dates of the free graduation pictures with Willa

O. International Student Representative Tfayli

- Helped organize and attended AIWA x LSA x MESA dabke night
- Held Bruin Walk event
- Began working on transition documents for future ISR office
- Met with USAC 2024-2025 ISR candidates and discussed the position expectations, work we've done, among other topics.

P. Administrative Representatives Luna, Alexander, Moran, Klimoski, Wisner

## **IX. Old Business**

A. A Resolution Calling on Chancellor Gene Block to Demand Nike Pay Hong Seng Workers\* Jussim

- Eva moves to approve a Resolution calling on Chancellor Gene Block to Demand Nike Pay Hong Seng Workers, Alicia seconds.
- By vote of 10-0-0, the motion passes and the resolution is approved.

## **X. New Business**

A. A Resolution in Support of Asna Tabussum & Her Right to Free Speech\* Verdugo

- Jonathan moves to approve a Resolution in Support of Asna Tabussum and Her Right to Free Speech, Adam seconds.
- By vote of 10-0-0, the motion passes and the resolution is approved.

## **XI. Adjournment**

- Naomi adjourns the meeting at 7:53pm.

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\* Indicates Action Item  
# Indicates Consent Item  
@Indicates Executive Session Item