



Associated Students of Columbia University

G.S. STUDENT COUNCIL

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Meeting Location:

Lerner Hall

2920 Broadway, Satow Room, New York, NY 10027

GENERAL STUDIES STUDENT COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

October 15 2019 8:15PM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the **General Studies Student Council of Columbia University** will hold a **REGULAR** meeting on **October 15** at **8:15PM**. The meeting information is noted below. The General Studies Student Council reserves the right to suspend the orders of the day if necessary to conduct business. All General Studies Student Council meetings are held in locations that are wheelchair accessible. Other disability-related accommodations will be provided to persons with disabilities upon request. Persons requesting such accommodations should notify the General Studies Student Council Chair at crt2144@columbia.edu no less than three (3) working days prior to the meeting. The General Studies Student Council will make efforts to meet requests made after such date, if possible. Please also contact the General Studies Student Council Chair for any agenda related questions.

I. ORDER OF BUSINESS

A. Call To Order

B. Roll Call (* → indicates non-voting | ~ → indicates Interim Position)

OFFICERS	STATUS	OFFICERS	STATUS
*President Christopher Thompson	P	VP of Finance Nadia Vaso	P
Chief of Finance Dynah Vidaurre	P	VP of Policy Joshua Lefkow	P
Chief of Policy Max Waldroop	P	VP of Campus Life Megan Calderazzo	P
Chief of Campus Life Carolyn Christenson	E	VP of Communications Luisa Dacroce	P
Chief of Communications Lenny Ciotti	P	Veteran Student Rep Kevin Petersen	P
Int'l Student Rep Piragathesh Subramanian	E	Senator Jonathan Criswell	P
Senior Class President Matthew Linsky	P	Senior Class VP Alexa Boncimino	P
Senior Class Treasurer Eric Lunzer	P	1st Year Class President Serengeti Timungwa	E
1st Year Class VP Paul Lee	P	Health & Wellness Representative Caroline Clifford	U
Special Events Chair Chantel Hover	P	Family and Working Students Rep	vacant
Alumni Affairs Rep Karla Puga	E	Dual B.A./Joint Program Rep Antony Rossi	E
Community/Sustainability Rep Mackenzie Collins	P	Treasurer Joshua Brown	P

JTS Rep Daniela Bernstein	P	Student Services/Academic Affairs Rep Jeremy Wahl	P
Equity & Inclusion Chair Jane Jeong	P	Students w/Disabilities Rep Nicole Lyons	P
Tech Chair Arjun Vairavan	P	Social Media Rep Paola Duran	P
*Advisor Sean Trulby			29
*Advisor Ashley Johnson		Voting Members: 28 / Quorum: → 20 Quorum reached	

C. Adoption of the Current Agenda for October 15th, 2019-passes

D. Adoption of Meeting Minutes for October 8th, 2019-passes

II. REPORTS

A. President

1. Homecoming Days

On Friday and Saturday alumni affairs and administration will have a lot of events. Including a lunch.

B. Policy Committee

No updates

C. Communications Committee

Website photos

D. Finance Committee

E. Campus Life Committee

1. Snack Attacks this week in the GS Lounge!

a) Breakfast 9am, Lunch 12:30pm

b) Bring non-perishable goods and you may cut the line!

2. Homecoming tabling on College Walk

a) 10/19, 12-2pm the first 500 will receive a rally towel. Ice cream will be served.

3. Basketball Mania 10/24 in Levien Gym

a) Doors open at 7:45pm and the first 500 guests receive a Columbia tumbler exclusive to this event

b) DRM will judge the dunk contest with the other undergraduate Deans

c) Cardia Summers '22 will be representing GS as our 3pt contestant

4. Early Halloween Party-Oct. 30 7 pm @ Mel's

a) Get ready for a fun night put on by your GSSC and PMA!

b) There will be limited tickets available for Post-Bac students to purchase that will be distributed from their student council and GS students will receive tickets from their student council

c) Subsidized tickets are available for GS students through the Student Life office and the application was emailed earlier this week, due by Thursday, 10/17 at 9am

5. Senior Class updates

a) Senior Cruise

Last year we spent over \$31k, which is 65% of the budget.

Each ticket will be priced at \$30 Includes dinner and open bar.

Motion to put down 25% of the cost \$6,567.24 from senior class

Eric-how do you think the raising of the price will be a problem

Matt-at \$30 is still a great deal.-

MOTION PASSES

6. Stay tuned for more initiatives for the month of November - your CL team is hard at work!

7. International students please submit your email to put you on our listserve.

F. University Senator

III. NEW BUSINESS

A. Indigenous Peoples' Day Resolution

The Naative American Council group is asking GSSC to support their effort to have Columbia recognize Indifgenous People's Day and the dispossession of Native American lands

MOTION TO FORMALLY SUPPORT THE NATIVE AMERICAN COUNCIL'S INITIATIVE-PASSES

IV. STANDING BUSINESS

V. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE FLOOR

This time is reserved for any General Studies Student Council Members to make announcements on items not on the agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and (25) twenty five minutes total shall be observed. **NO** action will be taken and the total time limit for this item shall not be extended.

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT

This segment of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the General Studies Student Council on any matter of concern that is not stated on the agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and ten (10) minutes per topic shall be observed. The law does not permit any action to be taken, nor extended discussion of any items not on the agenda. The General Studies Student Council may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed, however, for further information, please contact the General Studies Student Council Chair at crt2144@columbia.edu for the item of discussion to be placed on a future agenda. (Brown Act §54954.3)

VII. EXECUTIVE SESSION

This closed session is reserved for any General Studies Student Council Members to discuss and possibly take action on voting in the nominees for various, posted, council vacancies. The public, and the nominees, will be asked to step out of the room while the council conducts this business.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT
Motion to adjourn-passes