



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

September 26 2017 8:15PM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the **General Studies Student Council of Columbia University** will hold a **REGULAR** meeting on **September 26** 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 sd3021@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 contact the General Studies Student Council Chair for any agenda related questions sd3021@columbia.edu

I. ORDER OF BUSINESS

A. Call To Order

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

OFFICERS	STATUS	OFFICERS	STATUS
*President Sam Demezieux		Chief of Finance Jessica Kim	
VP of Finance Tanveer Bhuiyan		VP of Policy Raisa Flor	
Chief of Policy Justin Deal		VP of Campus Life Dennis Zhao	
Chief of Campus Life Hana Joy		VP of Communications Nicole Rodgers	
Chief of Communications Cassidy Zhang		Veteran Student Rep Joey Jackson	
Int'l Student Rep Sophie Nielson		Senator Raymond Curtis	
Senior Class President Roya Hegdahl		Senior Class VP	Vacant
Senior Class Treasurer Cesar Idarraga		1st Year Class President Corie Hahn	
1st Year Class VP Biao Huan Foo		1st Year Class Treasurer Dan Cao	
Social Chair	Vacant	Family and Working Students Rep	Vacant
Alumni Affairs Rep Chris Durham			
Community Service Rep Pawal Maslag		Treasurer	Vacant
JTS Rep Hanna Weiss		Student Services Academic Yona Kornsgold	

Equity & Inclusion Chair Jennifer Tessier		Students w/Disabilities Rep Jonathan Criswell	
*Tech Chair SiLin Huang		Social Media Rep	Vacant
Dual B.A./Joint Program Rep Irina Liu			
*Advisor Sean Trulby			
*Advisor Jawad Cipriani		Voting Members: 24 / Quorum: 13 →	

C. Adoption of the Current Agenda September 26, 2017

D. Approval of Previous Minutes from September 19, 2017

E. 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 jal2293@columbia.edu for the item of discussion to be placed on a future agenda. (Brown Act §54954.3)

II. REPORTS

A. President Sam Demezieux

1. Collaboration with presidents from other GS groups

B. Policy Committee

1. Faculty Mentorship Program
2. Mental Health Task Force

C. Communications Committee

1. Website update
2. Tech Team Open Positions
3. Tripod/Mic (\$150)
4. Banner (\$300)
5. Administrative Aids

D. Finance Committee

1. Budget Presentation

E. Campus Life Committee

1. MRE Picnic debrief
2. Welcome Back Party
3. Latinx Block Party
4. Apple Picking sponsored by GS

F. University Senator

G. GS Student Life Advisors

1. Sean Trulby (Advises President, Policy, and Communications)
2. Jawad Cipriani (Advises Campus Life and Finance)

III. NEW BUSINESS

A. Nominations

1. The council will discuss and possibly take action on the nomination of council vacancies. Including, but not limited to:
 - a) Family and Working Students Rep
 - (1) The Executive Board puts forth nominee Julia Dewey Hewitt
 - b) Social Media Representative
 - (1) The Executive Board puts forth nominee Sitara Herur
 - c) Treasurer
 - (1) The Executive Board puts forth nominee Eric Philip Lunzer
 - d)
 - (1) The Executive Board puts forth nominee

B. Roles and Duties: The Council will address roles, responsibilities, and accountability of officers

IV. STANDING BUSINESS

A. Interschool Collaborations and Events

1. The council will discuss and possibly take action on the working with other schools/departments for student engagement and events

B. Vacancies/Interviews for Council(s) Position(s)

1. The council will discuss and possibly take action on interviewing and possibly appointing any other General Studies Student Council vacancies

C. Meetings

D. Office Hours

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 (27) twentyfive 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

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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