

GENERAL STUDIES STUDENT COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
October 4th, 8:15PM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the *General Studies Student Council of Columbia University* will hold a *REGULAR* meeting on *September 27th, 8:15 PM*. 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 President 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 Executive Board 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 Emily Robinson		Treasurer Kris Packauskas	
VP of Policy Nasser Odetallah		Senior Class Treasurer Rebekah Cornish	
VP of Finance Simas Chacar-Palubinskas		Chief Negotiator Jennifer Odum	
VP of Communications Catherine Sun		Technology Chair Raymond Yoon	
VP of Campus Life Maya Platek		Social Media Representative Faith Grady	
Chief of Policy Kyle Gordon		*Outreach Associate Haya Fine	
Chief of Finance Su Lee		Senior Class President Garrett Gregor-Splaver	
Chief of Communications Jessica Beisser		Senior Class VP William Grugam	
Chief of Campus Life Evan Rork		First Year Class President Robert Mueller	
University Senator Bruce Goumain		First Year Class VP Jule Boudreaux	
Veteran Students Rep		JTS Rep Joshua Brunnlehrman	
Diversity and Equity Rep Marie Febrillet		International Students Rep	
Family & Working Students Rep		Dual BA & Joint Program Rep Ann Mizrahi	
Health and Wellness Rep Allison Darne		Alumni Affairs Rep Katherine Zimmerman	
Students with Disabilities Rep Rachel Papirmeister		Community Service & Sustainability Rep Ranni Wekselman	
Student Services & Academic Affairs Rubaab Poonawla		External Events	
*Legislative Assistant Maria Monzon		*Campus Life Coordinator Lily Penn	
*Legislative Assistant Savanah Shulkin		*Commuter Students Representative Sean Reilly	
*Policy Coordinator Daniel LaFata			
*Advisor Sean Trulby		*Advisor Jawad Cipriani	
		Voting Members: 26 / Quorum: → 18 / Total: 25	

C. Adoption of the Current Agenda for October 4th , 2022

1. Motion Passes/Fails- **Motion**

D. Adoption of the Meeting Minutes from September 27th, 2022

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II. REPORTS

A. President

1. General Remarks
2. Open Positions
 - a) 3 open positions
 - (1) Veteran Students Representative
 - (2) Family and Working students Representative
 - (3) International Students Representative
 - b) Applications Due Thursday

B. Policy Committee

1. New Policy Initiatives
2. GSSC Office Hours Announcement and Sign-Ups

C. Communications Committee

1. Instagram Posting + “Quote”
2. GSSC Podcast Announcement

D. Finance Committee

1. How to request an FTF?

E. Campus Life Committee

1. Halloween Co-Sponsorship

F. University Senator

1. No Updates

III. NEW BUSINESS

- A. GS Alliance Co-Sponsorship
- B. Midterm MetroCards

IV. STANDING BUSINESS

- A.

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 all non-Council members desiring to address the General Studies Student Council on any matter of concern. 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. (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