



Associated Students of Glendale Community College  
ASGCC Legislature Agenda  
September 29th, 2025  
1:00 P.M – 3:00 PM  
Student Center 208 – Verdugo Campus

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- I. **Call to Order**  
Meeting called to order 1:01 P.M
  - II. **Flag Salute**
  - III. **Roll Call**  
**Present:** Eric Tsaturyan, Sayat Teker, Isabella Verdia, David Zakaryan, Emily Kasumyan, Katya Sarkisian, Natalie Grigoryan, Pauline Cipriano, Maya Alchian, Aline Shahbazian, Vahagn Manukyan, Masaki Sannomiya, Amy Novshadyan, Mia Marekhashvili, Lena Markosian, Chelsea Velasco, Pateel Haytayan, Nellie Daniel, Alec Sarkissian, Garo Kahwajian, Arevik Grigoryan, Aleksandr Rustamyan, Adonis Padilla, Ryan Avakian  
**Absent:** Karen Preciado
  - IV. **Approval of Minutes - September 22nd, 2025**
    - MSC: Nellie / Lena
  - V. **Approval of Agenda – September 29th, 2025**
    - MSC: Lena / Garo
  - VI. **Report of President/Student Trustee**
    - Nathan began by bringing up the exec meeting on Friday and how him and Sayat attended the Budget committee and how they will be reporting about it during their report
  - VII. **Report of Administration Committee**
    - Eric stated that he is working on their educational initiative event, and how their committee went over the constitution, along with some changes that need to be made to governance roster since some governances don't exist
  - VIII. **Report of Finance Committee**
    - Sayat began by mentioning his hybrid workshop and educational initiative that will take place on October 7th and how they are currently focused on marketing and getting the event organized
  - IX. **Report of Activities Committee**
    - Bella mentioned that the basic needs fair is on Tuesday, and how the halloween events will take place soon
    - The movie night is on the 16th and how there will be a halloween party
  - X. **Report of Relations Committee**
    - David began by announcing how he is working on his educational initiative on the 14th and he asked the senators in leadership academy to stick around afterwards and help out with recording a video for the event
    - David then moved on to classroom visitations and reminded the senators to sign up for visitations and assisted people in signing up for classroom visitations
  - XI. **Report of Organizations Committee**
    - Emily began with how her committee reviewed a lot of funding for OES and clubs
  - XII. **Report of Officers**
    - Masaki added his event for his club and asked if anyone is interested in helping organize his event
  - XIII. **Reports of Governance/Special Committee Meetings**

- **Budget Committee**
  - Sayat began by stating how the beginning of the meeting consisted of deciding who should be the committee chair
  - Sayat then added how the college planned to suspend 246 million and how the state budgeted 300 million for construction. Sayat then added how the college is working on getting more funding and working on getting more state funding mechanisms
  - Nathan then added how they brought up a 2.3% increase in cost of living adjustment, which is essentially adjusting the budget for inflation
- **Committee on Distance Education**
  - Vahagn began with how they talked about how they are changing the user interface for taking data to a new AI software which is far more efficient and takes more factors into consideration. More faculty is taking part in the new software and trainings for said software and AI and how there will be future workshops regarding AI and how to use different AI softwares
  - They also mentioned 8 week class training for different courses
  - They've started 8 week courses already and they are in session
- **Curriculum and Instruction**
  - Garo began with how GCC has launched a new partnership with IATC
  - Pateel and Garo, Waiting for feedback for next Igestsi meeting, arguing how they should write their honors courses, then asking for student input. Course log system would be used after March, new program proposal certifies CEC and courses progress from manual to optional, and vision 2030 focuses on equity access and success. Climate literacy and sustainability, they have 700,000 dollars being underused and need to use it on specialties and later phases like phase 3, old courses that got archived and taken out like accounting, nursing, French, and certificates were being split. Like tax fundamentals instead of tax certificates.
- **Study Abroad Committee**
  - Masaki began with the Winter 2027 New Zealand and Oceania programs and the minimum requirement of students that is subject to change
  - Masake then added the classes that will take place on these trips and the issue of underage students and their issues with underage drinking and other illegal activities
  - Masaki then added how the committee wants to make adjustments of their liability form
  - Chelsea then added how the committee wants to clear up liabilities and make information clearer to students
- **Equal Employment Opportunity**
  - Mia began with how the committee had a special guest speaker, and how they talked about applicant and hiring updates and how different applicants met certain qualifications and how the committee considered different strategies for finding people who qualify, there are also new internship opportunities
  - Mia also added how a new ai program will be added for more efficient work
  - The 4/5th rule is used as a test for unfair hiring and how the school will be implementing it to check for discriminations
- **Safety Committee**
  - Meeting Canceled

**XIV. Guest Speakers**

**XV. Old Business**

**XVI. New Business**

- **Approval of \$ 350.00 for Advisors Orientation - AS Leadership**
- **MSC: Chelsea / Aline**
- **Approval of \$8,000 for IDEA Student Leadership Conference - Leadership Orientation Account**
- **MSC: Nellie / Pateel**
- **Approval of \$400.00 for GCC Healing Hearts SOS Application - AS Special Organizational Support Account**
- **MSC: Masaki / Vahagn**
- **Approval of \$400.00 for GCC Clinical Skills SOS Application - AS Special Organizational Support Account**
- **MSC: Katya / Lena**

- **Approval of \$400.00 for Hearts In Action SOS Application - AS Special Organizational Support Account**
- **MSC: Maya / Sayat**
- **Approval of \$400.00 for Pre-Health Sciences Club SOS Application - AS Special Organizational Support Account**
- **MSC: Aleksandr / Adonis**
- **Approval of \$400.00 for Bilingual Club SOS Application - AS Special Organizational Support Account**
- **MSC: Masaki / Aline**
- **Approval of \$575.00 for Black Student Union OES Application - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
- **MSC: Nellie / Chelsea**
- **Approval of \$400.00 for Philosophy Club OES Application - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
- **MSC: Nellie / Chelsea**
- **Approval of \$750.00 for Mock Trial Club OES Application - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
- **MSC: Nellie / Vahagn**
- **Approval of \$750.00 for GCC Hidden Road Initiative Chapter OES Application - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
- **MSC: Lena / Arevik**
- **Approval of \$750.00 for Bilingual Club OES Application - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
- **MSC: Lena / Masaki**
- **Approval of \$750.00 for GCC Vaquero Band OES Application - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
- **MSC: Isabella / Amy**
- **Approval of \$250.00 for Alpha Gamma Sigma Honors Society OES Application - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
- **MSC: Sayat / Aline**
- **Approval of \$703.00 for Armenian Pre-Health Society OES Application - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
- **MSC: Sayat / Katya**
- **Approval of \$728.00 for GCC Scholars Program OES Application - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
- **MSC: Vahagn / Masaki**
- **SSCCC Special Election - Discussion Item**
  - **Bella began by how the special election took place last week and how she voted for Alicia Nakpal out of three candidates for VP of Legislative Affairs**
  - **Nathan then added context on how the SSCCC elections took place in march and how one of the people who won dropped out for certain reasons, so this election took place to replace this position**
  - **Dr. Tzoler Oukayan added how important the students money that is collected is towards**

**SSCCC and how the money that we pay goes towards the resources we receive on campus**

**XVII. Reports of Advisors**

- **Dr. Tzoler Oukayan:**
  - **Dr. Oukayan began by thanking the committee for participating in the idea conference and how all the work from the students are going towards a great cause and how she would appreciate the attendance of ASGCC, as well as how RSVP is required**
  - **Claudia Juan added how the event is in collaboration with student equity**
  - **Dr. Oukayan then moved on with how the governance reports were great and how senators will slowly learn to report their governances in a more efficient manner, although the information provided was very thorough and informative**
  - **Dr. Oukayan then thanked the Organizations committee on their work for the approvals for all the different clubs and how important the money is for each club for them to promote and spread educational information for recreational use on campus**
- **Claudia Juan:**
  - **Claudia Juan began with how the IOC orientation went very well and how the advisors are there for the senators if they need any help and that they are an open resource**
  - **Claudia Juan then announced the leadership academy and how it will be starting this Wednesday for new senators**

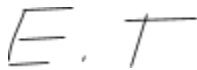
**XVIII. Announcements/Information**

- **Pauline added how her filipino american student association is going to hold a club event that will occur October 2nd**

**XIX. Adjournment**

- **MSC: Eric / Sayat**
- **Adjourned at 2:23**

**Submitted by Eric Tsaturyan**



**Vice President of Administration**

**October 6, 2025**