IMPORTANT NEWS:

- USG Elections are live! Find all the information you need to run for a Senator position or as part of a presidential ticket here!

This Week's Legislation:

- Nothing this week! Check back next week for more!

USG's Underway Projects:

USG Projects are never sure things, at any moment, they may be 'nuked' as our president like to say by logistical or administrative factors beyond our control

- Student Experience Cabinet is distributing drink covers for students! Email rachel.bienstock@du.edu for more information or to get some for your club

- We reached out to HRE about Washer/Dryer situation – their contract ends in 2026 at which time upgrades and replacements to the equipment are planned. They will also want student input on finding their next laundry contract partner (currently SpeedQueen)

- We are working on setting up a Student Resource and Archive through Canvas to provide 'cheat sheets' for students to help navigate campus resources and archive communications from administration. Reach out to usgprotempore@du.edu with suggestions!

- Student Organizations Committee is facilitating RSO Re-registration starting in Week 5, so be on the lookout for more information to get your organization registered for next year!

- Diversity Committee is taking applications for new internal members – apply here

- The Sustainability Committee is working with Outdoor Education to reopen the DU Bike Shop and with facilities to get the bike pumps on campus operational again.

- The Sustainability Committee has finalized the Earth Week plan for next week! Check out all the events here

- The Academic and Intergovernmental Affairs Committee is finalizing a report to emphasize and promote the impact of the Scholar Development and Fellowship Advising Office

- Some of our senators are working on getting black out curtains in the dorms to help with sleeping and with temperature control

Call to Order

Vice President Berkeley Rebman

April 15, 2025 (6:05 PM)

Calling of the Roll

In Attendance:

Executive

President Tyler Miller

Speaker of the Executive Kania Campbell **P**

Legislative

Vice President Berkeley Rebman **P**

Freshman Senator Eli Barbour **P**
Freshman Senator Abi Newell **P**
Sophomore Senator Owen Beasley **E**
Sophomore Senator Sarah Hutchings **P**
Junior Senator Micah DenBraber **P**
Junior Senator Ethan Turner **E**
Senior Senator Kabe Aberle
Senior Senator Sidney Barbier **E**
Off-Campus Senator Noura Ali Abid
Off-Campus Senator Luke Miller **E**
On-Campus Senator Owen Mantelli **P**
On-Campus Senator Brooke Agulnek **P**
Study Abroad Senator Griffin Young **P**
Daniels College of Business Senator Maddy Lohmeier **P**
Daniels College of Business Senator Dalton Timko **P**

Fritz Knoebel School of Hospitality Management Senator Mia Collins **P**
Josef Korbel School of International Studies Senator Jagger Livengood P
Ritchie School of Engineering and Computer Science Senator Alex Terhakopian **P**
Natural Sciences and Mathematics Senator Olivia Saint **P**
Natural Sciences and Mathematics Senator Michela Schenk **P**
Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Senator Madeleine Dierking **P**
Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Senator *Vacant*
Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Senator Allison Metzler P
Lamont School of Music Senator Delaney Sutherland **E**
Diversity & Inclusive Excellence Senator Gaby Barajas **P**
Transfer Students Senator Lizzy Lingenfelter **P**
International Students Senator Clare Ayoub
Student Safety and Equity Senator Lindsay Baker

Visiting Students and Special Concerns

- Dr. Angela Parker (discussing CAHSS restructuring)

Judicial Reports:

Justice Primus Nina Morgenstein

- Office Hours: Wednesdays 5pm CCOM 3701, attend a meeting (Wednesday 6pm CCOM 3701) to share a concern, or Teams me!

Special Business:

- Transition documents!

Executive Reports:

Speaker of the Executive Kania Campbell

- Campus Climate Survey coming May 12, looking for a few people to take the survey before it is officially released, reach out to Korynne Terrio (Korynne.Terrio@du.edu)
- The Student Advocacy Cabinet USG Community Engagement Award Bingo Survey | Bingo Sheet
    - Open to all USG Members: Track Yourself, Once you have a row (5 activities in a row) qualification for one 'nomination' through the Bingo Survey. Winner will receive a plaque. Reach out to Yohana Liben (Yohana.Liben@du.edu)
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- Office Hours Mondays 2:15-3:30 PM at Beans; Calendly
- Spring Executive Meetings Mondays 5:00 – 7:00 PM Katherine Ruffatto Hall Room 134

President Tyler Miller

- Met with the Chancellor to discuss leadership round tables, students concerns around visas, progress of USG elections, BOT Dinner, and preparing transitions for next years president. I have been assured that ISSS (International Student and Scholar Services) is carefully monitoring the visa and SEVIS records of our international students. The university is working to support any impacted students.

- Meet with the DU forward committee today and discussed how we will go through the large quantity of project proposals we expect to receive.
- There is a Story Mosaic Committee event on Wednesday from 12-1:30 discussing lessons learned early on in employment.
- I will be presenting to the BOT about the progress of USG next Wednesday, April 23rd .
- Working on notes from Leadership Roundtable on Wednesday, next one will be held with newly elected USG Leadership.
- Working with Senator Denbraber and Exec Chair Bienstock to address impact of federal decisions on student life and campus climate.
- E-Sports lounge is up and running and ready to be tested, will be scheduling a time next week to try it out. Let me know if you are interested.

Unfinished Business:

New Business:

Legislative Reports

Vice President Berkeley Rebman

- Office hours and committee meeting times here (committee chairs—please fill out ASAP)
- Let's work on transition docs—the new senate comes in 28 days!!!
- Campaigning officially started last week! Encourage friends, classmates, roommates, etc to run! Candidate qualification closes this Sunday, April 20
- Met with an international student today—be on the look out for potential action items next week
- Senate meetings will end Tuesday, May 13, but if you have any monthly recurring meetings set up after that, please consider keeping it on your calendar and taking the new person elected in your position with you so they can easily make connections
- Survey started earlier this week about student experience (potential prizes!)

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- New wellness coaching!
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President Pro-Tempore Kabe Aberle

- Please sign up to table during elections or voting if you can! Linked here
  - Shout out Michela and Lizzie Lesoing for putting that together
  - You can table for USG before the voting period as long as you do not promote your platform
- Maddy and Zoe – thanks for running with the Canvas page idea so well, let them know if you have further ideas
- USG BBQ/Awards - May 13th or 14th? 7:30 start time(ish)
- Elections Rule Clarification – help us promote that

- Senior week registration stuff is live (for anyone graduating in the 2025 calendar year) at this link
- Ellie on Exec and I reached out to HRE about SpeedQueen/washer dryer situation and found out that DU's current contract will end in 2026 and they are planning on upgrading facilities/equipment then
    - They said they will want student feedback as a part of the search for a new contractor
- Gonna have stuff next week so please be here!
- https://crimsonconnect.du.edu/usgelections/spring-2025-election/
- RSVP Link for BoT Dinner
- Weekly gratitude(s):
    - Senator Barbier for being the absolute best, working so hard, and picking up my slack
    - Senator Young for being a good sport and for usually making me laugh

Committee Reports:

Finance Committee

- Operations **$4,492.03**
- Supplemental **$13,179.46**

Senate Affairs Committee / Elections Commission

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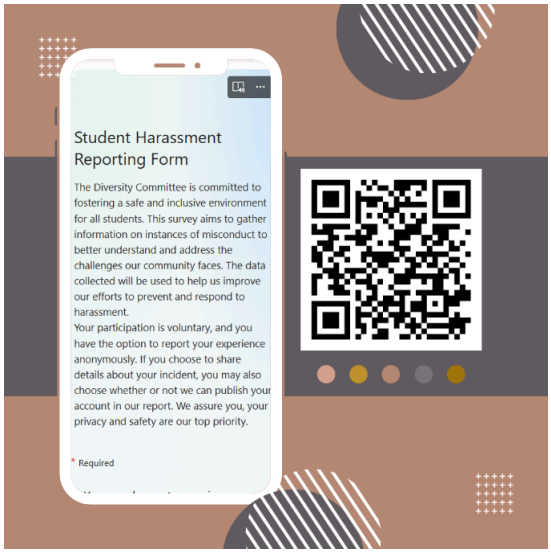
Student Living Safety and Well-being Committee

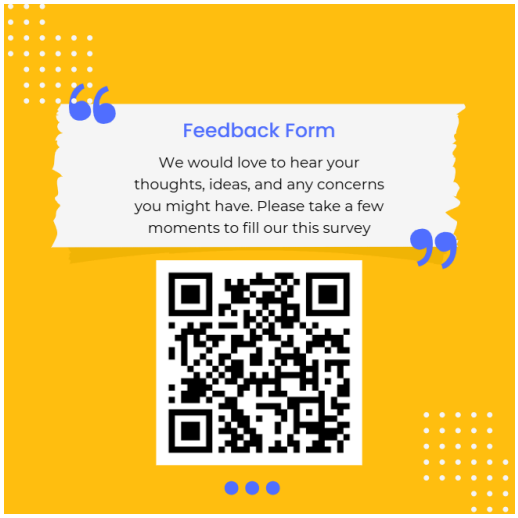
- Office hours Thursdays 6-7 CCOM 4th floor
- Committee Meeting tomorrow 9pm

- Meeting with Mike Bunker Friday
    - DU safe app accessibility
- Working on transition docs

Gratitude: Allie

Diversity and Inclusive Excellence Committee

- Diversity Commitee Applications are now open for the 2025-2026 academic School year, Form will be closing Monday Week 5. here is the link https://forms.office.com/r/Gr6Bu3sXBN
- We will be tabling This week, so Voting info or QR codes would be nice to put out as well.
- Admin meeting with SAIE anyone is welcome to come i will give more updates when its in place
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- Workshops as we transition for the Summer
- ISS help with students loosing thier visas
- Office Hours 12-2 pm SIB suite CCOM
- Meeting time 6pm on sunday through teams, if youd like to join and see what we do. Lmk

Sustainability Committee

- Sus Com Meeting on Thursday from 1-2p.m
- Lots of funding requests!
    - Supported funding Eco-Conscious Retreat at YMCA (I will share resources on how to sign up for this once the details are confirmed!)
- Working on getting the Rollover request submitted for the DU Bike Shop
    - Met with Matt Jensen today and the Chancellor is on board and supportive of the bike shop!
    - Touring new locations in the next week or so

- Earth Week is Next Week!
    - It would be amazing if everyone attended at least 1 of these great events!!
        - SusCom has provided funding for many of these events
    - https://www.du.edu/sustainability/opportunities





Please come to the Earth Day Concert next Sunday!

Register Here! https://cglink.me/2fC/r2269298

- Looking to plan and assess the future of the Generation Conscious project
    - Anyone interested in helping take over this project next year let me know!
    - Also, huge shout out to Ahfaz for helping me to troubleshoot the dispenser while I have been out for my surgery!
- Office Hours this week will be Wednesday from 1-2p.m via Teams

Student Organizations Committee

- Reregistration opens in Week 5! Start promoting this and keeping it on your radar.
    - Happy to answer any questions!
- Working with student group on transition doc project
- Office hours 4-5 Mondays USG Lounge
- Transition doc incoming!

Academic and Intergovernmental Affairs Committee

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Special Committee Reports:

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Senator Reports:

Freshman Senator Eli Barbour

- Meeting this Friday with Abi to discuss blinds in the community spaces in freshman dorms with facilities
- Double checking Dimond for number of common rooms
- Been talking to some freshmen peeps to see what they're trying to get out of their 2nd year

Freshman Senator Abi Newell

- Like Eli said. Specifically meeting with James Stoup and Jule Rich.
- Scouting Halls tomorrow to count common rooms for our project.

Sophomore Senator Owen Beasley

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Sophomore Senator Sarah Hutchings

- Meeting with Roo Hiremath from HRE on Thursday
- Went to go talk to first year music classes at Lamont about USG and running in the election

Junior Senator Micah DenBraber

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Junior Senator Ethan Turner

- Hey everyone! So sorry I am missing my first full meeting of the term already – case comp time for the Colorado Financial Planners Association. Really appreciate everyone's hard work and hope you're having a nice week 3!

- I ~~hopefully~~ have a meeting with Dalton & Maddy to discuss what projects I can work with them on for Daniels.
- **I am looking to join a committee**... Not sure how helpful I'll be in one month, but if your committee needs some extra eyes or hands, I am there – just Teams me!

Senior Senator Kabe Aberle

- Retweet

Senior Senator Sidney Barbier

- Senior week events have been launched and advertised!
    - Register here!
- Meeting with KMC to discuss the logistics of the upcoming KMC Senior Trip
    - Due to the weather and not enough people registered, we decided to cancel the trip this weekend and pivot to joining the KMC Weekend on May 9th!
        - We will be promoting this throughout Senior Week with hopes of getting 25-30 seniors registered
        - Funding is all settled
- Focused on getting through Earth Week next week
- Recovery has been taking a bit longer than expected, but I will be back on campus Friday!

Off-Campus Senator Noura Ali Abid

- Attended faculty senate on Friday and had some convos with faculty about the chancellor and CAHSS
- Mike Bunker and Campus Safety are coming to next FacSen meeting, please let me know if there are any questions that you have for them that I can vocalize !!
- Still working with Jagger on Alumni event :)

Off-Campus Senator Luke Miller

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On-Campus Senator Owen Mantelli

- Working on FAQ sheet for students :)

On-Campus Senator Brooke Agulnek

- Working on FAQ sheet with Sen. Mantelli!
- Food Festival work
- Feedback about school issues, link here

Study Abroad Senator Griffin Young

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Daniels College of Business Senator Maddy Lohmeier

- Meeting with Zoe tomorrow to work on canvas page building!!! Reach out with any thoughts/ideas to include if you haven't yet- no
- DZ big man week! Use this link to donate and buy tickets to the pageant if you are interested https://dz.crowdchange.co/46784
- Meeting with Boyd week 5
- Hoping to revamp finance club - teams me if interested
- Meeting with Dalton and Ethan this week to collaborate on DCB projects

Daniels College of Business Senator Dalton Timko

- Meeting with Maddy and Ethan to try and find some collaborative opportunities
- Meeting with Boyd week 5!
- Abi and I finished our SDFA summary
- Joining Maddy to look into Finance club revamp
- Not much really going on this week, finalizing abroad and going through some interviews for internships

Fritz Knoebel School of Hospitality Management Senator Mia Collins

- Continue to work on prospective student outreach to get students to “commit” to the University of Denver, specifically joining the hospitality school. We currently have 23 “commits”
- Dr. David Corson wants to double this admission number by next week so working with Lauren Sepulveda and ambassadors to try to make that happen.
- Du Vin May 17th

Josef Korbel School of International Studies Senator Jagger Livengood

- Networking event planning is well underway! Alum and Student registration will open this week! On May 10th!
    - Alumni ran roundtables, school specific connection breakouts, Alumni networking opportunities, and most importantly, free breakfast and lunch for the day. Will be from 9-2:30
    - Now coined DU Network: Student and Alumni Networking Summit
    - Open to all majors, years, schools, ANYONE!
    - Partnered with Alumni Council and Burwell Center
    - When registration releases, I'll spam Teams so we can promote this!



Ritchie School of Engineering and Computer Science Senator Alex Terhakopian

- The last update I received was that negotiations for gender neutral bathrooms were still ongoing as of several weeks ago from the Dean of Engineering and Computer Sciences, and that the building manager is currently on break and is unable to provide a more recent update as of now.
- I am looking to join a committee, so let me know through teams or after senate if you are looking for an additional member

Natural Sciences and Mathematics Senator Olivia Saint

- Met with Mark Nussbaum from Burwell and Senator Schenk on Friday on resume workshop, getting an idea of who all is going to be involved for that and the logistics of what its looking like
- Earth week! First event is the Road Ahead conference this Thursday at 8:30 -11:30 am (early I know), it is on the future of housing and transportation in Denver, so if you're available check it out!

Natural Sciences and Mathematics Senator Michela Schenk

- Last Friday, I met with Senator Saint and Mark Nussbaum about the NSM Resume Workshop.
- Tabled this morning in ECS building this morning to encourage people to run for senate positions.
- Check out that form Kabe linked to help table this week or in two weeks. (I'll be outside Sturm 4/16 10am-12 and on the CCOM Bridge 4/18 10am-12)
- Met some faculty in the Geography Department of NSM last Friday... it was lovely... good people.

Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Senator Madeleine Dierking

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Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Senator Vacant

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Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Senator Allie Metzler

- We scheduled our meeting with Facilities on Friday to start the conversation about blinds and are planning to go into every Freshman dorm hall to see what will work in each building. (Yippie!) I'm checking Jmac yippie!
- Been meeting with some students in my grade to see what they want to see in and around campus!
- The Housing Project was an EPIC FAIL! But we have other resources for students we will start promoting: https://studentaffairs.du.edu/student-resource-list This link has awesome off campus resources that are vetted by Student Outreach & Support! Thanks, SOS!
- I feel it would be illegal & evil of me to not remind y'all of Munch Week (Apri; 28th –May 2nd) Lemme know if you wanna know what each day is I've got you
- Working on campaigning, so that's all I've done!

Lamont School of Music Senator Delaney Sutherland

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Diversity & Inclusive Excellence Senator Gaby Barajas

- Working on transition docs for all my members
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Transfer Students Senator Lizzy Lingenfelter

- Happy election week 2!!
- Not much going on for me!!

International Students Senator Clare Ayoub

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Student Safety and Equity Senator Lindsay Baker

- Still working on CCRT interviews

General Announcements:

- Last day for RSOs to use P-Card is May 16th (permission for later use must be submitted to studentcomptroller@du.edu by that same date)
- RSO Re-Reg opens week 5 (so does CCOM room lottery for regular meetings)
- I promise I'll try and get a Java w/Jessie on the calendar soon (sorry!!)

Adjournment
Vice President Berkeley Rebman

April 15, 2025 (X:XX PM)