University of Louisville Student Senate Meeting
7:00 pm. Tuesday, November 10th, 2026
Meeting Agenda

Message from President Bradley

Call Meeting to Order

Roll Call

Approval of the Agenda

Approval of the 10/27/26 Senate Meeting Minutes

House Keeping

- Reports from exec positions and council presidents are now written out on the agenda.

Unfinished Business

AN ACT TO NOMINATE LASHAY VERA TO THE SGA ELECTION COMMISSION

Lashay Vera Statement

AN ACT TO NOMINATE PAULO CONDIE-RODRIGUEZ TO THE SGA ELECTION COMMISSION

Pablo Conde Rodriguez Statement

A RESOLUTION HONORING DEAN AMY HENLEY FOR HER DEDICATION TO THE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

A RESOLUTION APPROVING OF THE 2027-28 3.5% PARKING FEE INCREASE

RESOLUTION TO HONOR THE UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE COUNSELING CENTER

New Business

Executive Cabinet Reports

President, Yash Arabati

- Report:
- ACC Food Pantry Challenge
    - We are collaborating with SOAB to provide awards to RSOs and individuals who donate the most items.
    - Top 3 RSOs and Top 3 Individuals who donate the most will be given a prize!
    - Celebration of ACC Pantry Challenge on 11/19 with food provided
- Met with Brandon McClain to talk about expansion of partners for Food Pantries around the State.
- Interviews for Elections Commission are to begin in the next couple of days
    - Very competitive with 11 total applicants for 2 positions
- Going to WKU on Sunday for the Kentucky Board of Student Body Presidents
- Received confirmation that UK is wanting to collaborate for a mini retreat here at UofL.
    - If you are interested in meeting your counterpart at UK, please email me and I will get you on the list
- OUTREACH UPDATES:
    - Veteran's Day Event with Sergeant's Army and Ekstrom Library from 9:30 AM to 11:30 AM tomorrow
    - Thrifted Pop-Up Collab from 10-4 on Thursday
- Council Presidents: Expect an email from Christian Dempsey soon!

Executive Vice President, Riley Maddox

- Prez Bradley
- report: food next meeting
- White elephant on reading day
- Athletics week next week! Graphics for events to be posted, check SGA Instagram!
- Monday Nov 17, movie night on field behind KURZ @ 6pm
- Wednesday Nov 19, cornhole tournament @ red bard 12-2
- Friday, 5k turkey trot @ SRC, 10am

Academic Vice President, Gabriel Reed

- report:

Services Vice President, Connor Price

- Report: I am back home today, as I have been asked to help facilitate a community debate night in my hometown! Thank you to Ozy for proxying!
- Services Committee has met and recommended a resolution to the wider senate which supports Parking & Transportation's 3.5% raise on all permits. This, we felt, was the best of the three options for fee increases.
- The Campus Store Advisory Committee has not recommended the Louisville Materials Access Program to Tuition and Fees. Thank you for your support in making this happen!
- Housing costs will likely increase next year due to inflation. What would we think about reducing some of the laundry costs (currently $120 per semester for students living in buildings with shared machines) to offset some of this cost?

SGA Advisor, Dr. Quanta Taylor
- report:

Reports of Boards and Standing Committees

SGA Senate Presidents Council, Chairperson, Riley Maddox
- dev board nominations finalized next meeting
- Voted on elections commission

SGA Appropriations Committee, Chairperson, Schuyler Stone
- Holdback Process, Scheduling Inquiries, Travel Fund: 11/12.
- Travel Fund Remaining: $5612.39; Decision for Meeting: $4,500.

SGA Legislative Review & Oversight Committee, Chairperson, Ciarán Bowden

SGA Development Board, Chairperson, Kingston Painter

SAB Report, Programming Director, Karishma Arora

Upcoming Events:
- IFS Reveal going on right now!
- Tomorrow - Cardinal Cabin Fever - Red Barn 6-8pm, games and prizes!
- Next Wednesday, Nov 18th from 7-9 in MPR , Mario Kart Tournament (winner gets a Nintendo Switch)
- Next Thursday, Nov 19th from 7-9pm in Bigelow @ Miller IT - Friendsgiving free food from around the world and turkey stuff a plushes!
- All info on Engage and Instagram

ELSB Report, Executive Director, Clara Heberling
- Service at Habitat for Humanity on Friday, Nov. 13 @ 8 A.M.
- Service at Parkland of Floyd Fork on Saturday, Nov. 14 @ 12 P.M.
- Service at Americana Center's Global Gather Gala on Saturday, Nov. 14 @ various times in the evening. Free food!!
- Mindfulness workshop at the SRC on Monday, Nov. 16 @ 4:00. Free tea and prizes!
- Feel free to fill out collaboration requests for next semester!
- Apply to be a site leader for MLK Day of Service 2027!

SOAB Report, Executive Director, Darini Nagarajan
- SOAB is collaborating with SGA on the ACC Pantry challenge, going on throughout this week up until this saturday
- So please please help us collect canned goods to donate to the cardinal cupboard before the holidays. All canned goods are to be turned into the SOAB RSO suite in the red barn
- RSOs can participate, individual students and student councils can participate. We have top 3 prizes for each of these categories

Reports of Councils

College of Arts and Sciences, President, Olivia Flanagan
- report:
    - Preparing for our last event of the year, Finals Week Goodie Bags
    - Freshman Council is preparing more events for the semester, the next upcoming

one is November 20, it's a service project to write cards for Nursing homes.
- We are preparing for next semester events and would like to do some collaboration with other councils/colleges, so if you are interested, please contact me: oaflan01@louisville.edu

College of Business, President, Cordelia Fleitz
- report: our flu shot clinic with UofL Health was today
- Our speed bingo event is tomorrow starting at 5pm in the CoB where we have some fun prize baskets
- Next semester we will be making an RSO Showcase series where RSOs can come to our council meetings and tell students about what they do

School of Nursing, President, Zoe Scipio
- Report:
- Yesterday was our last meeting of the semester!
- We are beginning discussions with our administration to implement engaging Family Weekend Activities for next fall. (If you have any ideas let me know!)

College of Education and Human Development, President, Emma Rahm
- Report:
- Finished Boo Bash with successful numbers
- Working to utilize our Instagram more and brainstorming ideas for engagement
- Planning end of semester events; mainly finals events

School of Music, President, Allie Hughes
- report: Search for the new dean has officially started with the provost coming and hosting a town hall for all students, staff, and faculty
- Our new music festival has just finished and was a huge success with numerous premieres of pieces composed by both current and former UofL students
- We are planning our reading day events and hoping to have a day of relaxation in the SoM for students

Kent School of Social Work, President, Charlia Merritt
- Report:
- Paint and sip event recap that was on Monday Nov. 9
- Planning a meeting with the Kent school Dean to discuss concerns that students have
- Planning end of semester

School of Public Health and Information Sciences, President, Olivia Cecil
- Planning meeting with Dean Walsh-Buhi to discuss Academics and AI
- More SPHIS SGA Sponsorships that benefit students, faculty, and staff
- Class Representative Elections coming soon!

J.B. Speed School of Engineering, President, Bella Saalfeld
- Attended RLS this weekend, won an award for Engineers' Week
- Dean Search is wrapping up and students have been invited to meetings for this week and next
- Event Planning & Sponsorship for our big events underway (E-Ball, E-Expo, ELS, Re-Expo, E-Weel)
- Working on Alumni Board & Industry Engagement across initiatives
- FSSSC mentorship and student programming - RSO Highlight month, Society Picnic, pumpkin and power tool event, FSSSC mentoring program

School of Medicine, President, Andrew Rader

- Report: Operations chair launching fully automated common space request system. Medical school RSOs start leadership applications soon,
- Massage chair added to our wellness room (oh yeah…)
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Graduate Student Council, President, Chandrima Chatterjee

- Halloween Party held on November 7, and it was a very enjoyable one, with students arriving in costumes, scary, funny and "like their programs."
- GSC Regional Research Conference on March 25 and 26, 2027. The call for abstracts is open till December 31, 2026.
- We are planning to recognize the graduate representatives who are graduating this semester at the next representative meeting on November 24. The deans will also attend so representatives can ask questions or discuss any concerns.
- The Graduate Students Appreciation Week is ongoing. GSC will hold its event to appreciate the grad students on Friday at both the HSC and Belknap campuses.

School of Dentistry, President, Anita Ahmadi

- report:

School of Law, President, Hannah Reese

- Preparing transition documents ahead of the spring elections.
- Planning our final two events: Late Night Breakfast and a fundraiser after finals.
- Heard a presentation on accessible parking at the law school.

<u>Announcements</u>

Next meeting: October November 17th, Strickler 102

- Dinner before @ 6:30

Sunshine Chair

<u>Adjourn</u>