



Senate Meeting

Official Meeting Agenda

October 6th, 2023

10:00AM – 10:45AM

To be held hybrid in University YMCA (UWY) 103

<https://washington.zoom.us/j/7815568372>

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Agenda
- IV. Approval of the Minutes
- V. Open Public Forum
- VI. New Business
- a. Bylaw Voting
 - a. Title 1
 - b. Title 2
 - c. Title 3
 - d. Title 4
 - e. Title 5
 - f. Title 6
 - g. Title 7
 - h. Title 8
 - i. Title 9
 - j. Title 10
 - k. Title 11
- VI. Working Group Updates
- VII. Advisor Updates

VIII. Adjournment

Call To Order:

Director Song called the meeting to order at 10:12 AM

Position	Name	Status	Notes
Internal Affairs	Jamie Song	Present	
Milgard Senator	Evan Campbell	Present	
Milgard Senator 2	Cesia Amaya	Present	
SIAS Senator 1	Norah Duncan	Present	
SIAS Senator 2	Kate Allred	Present	
Healthcare Leadership Senator	Kahlea Velasco	Present	
Education Senator	Santino Wong		
SET Senator 1	Jon Angel	Absent	Excused
SET Senator 2	Buruk Yimesgen	Present	
Urban Studies Senator	Ryan Wicklund	Present	

Approval of the Agenda:

Moved by Senator Duncan and seconded by Senator Wicklund. Passed with a 8-0-0 Vote.

Approval of the Minutes:

Moved by Senator Duncan and seconded by Senator Yimesgen.

Passed with a 8-0-0 vote.

Small error accounted for by Senator Wong after the approval. Correction will be made.

Open Public Forum:

Public member named Reese at the meeting. Reporter for the ledger.

New Business:

-

-

- **Bylaw Voting**

A. Title I

Motioned by Senator Duncan seconded by Senator Wicklund. Passed with a 8-0-0 vote.

B. Title II

Motioned by Senator Campbell and seconded by Senator Duncan 6-2-0 motion passes.

Senator Wong spoke about his disagreement with the credit requirement of graduate students to be a member of ASUWT.

Dissenting: Speaker Wicklund and Senator Wong

C. Title III

Motioned by Senator Duncan and seconded by Senator Amaya 8-0-0 motion passes.

D. Title IV

Motioned by Senator Duncan and Seconded by Senator Yimesgen 8-0-0 motion passes.

E. Title V

Motioned by Senator Duncan and Seconded by Senator Wong. 8-0-0 Motion passes.

F. Title VI

Motioned by Senator Duncan and Seconded by Senator Wicklund. 7-0-1 Senator Campbell abstained due to some information in the office manager portion of Title VI

G. Title VII

Moved by Senator Duncan and Seconded by Senator Yimesgen 8-0-0 motion passes.

H. Title VIII

Moved by Senator Duncan Seconded by Senator Amaya 8-0-0 Motion passes.

I. Title IX

Moved by Senator Duncan and Seconded by Senator Yimesgen 8-0-0 vote motion passes.

J Title X

Moved by Senator Duncan and Seconded by Senator Amaya 8-0-0 vote motion passes.

K. Title XI

Moved by Senator Duncan and Seconded by Senator Yimesgen 7-0-1 vote motion passes. Senator Allred abstained because the reasoning on why title XI needed to change wasn't clear as it would automatically change anyways.

- **Working Group Updates**

Due to time constraints, Director Song has asked one person from each group to discuss what they have been doing in their respective

initiatives.

Senator Duncan (Health and Wellness): Mentioned how the health and wellness group is working on defining health and wellness as well as meeting with specialists on campus. The group is currently becoming acclimated with resources currently on campus. They also discussed how to pose good survey questions.

Senator Campbell (Student Safety): Senator Campbell mentioned how the safety group is focused on updating current campus safety initiatives. He expanded upon cameras on campus as well as UW notify. He mentioned how the group is drafting a campus safety survey. The first step to helping campus safety is establishing a connection with students to tell us how safe they feel. Other items on the radar are reviewing of the campus safety website. He mentioned how the website is notorious for having errors, and that the group is following up with them to make sure the site is updated.

Senator Yimesgen (Food Equity): Senator Yimesgen mentioned how he is currently the only member of the food equity group, but that the group is still active. They are focused on reaching out to west coast grocery as well as the food pantry here on campus. Senator Yimesgen further elaborated by asking the vice chancellor of finance for information regarding suppliers and finance.

Speaker Wicklund (Outreach): Senator Wicklund mentioned that the group is doing specific outreach to establish community connections. He as well as the rest of his group have begun drafting emails to professors to push current survey and petition efforts. The group is focused on event planning and tabling to make ASUWT more transparent and retention focused.

Director Song reminded the senate to be responsive and respect deadlines. She also congratulated and praised the senate for their hard work.

- **Advisor Updates**

Conor mentioned that this is a very busy week on campus. Specifically, he noted day of caring as well as involvement fair. He also mentioned that the VSA will be having a costume dance as well as other welcome days activities. He mentioned being excited for the senate to survey, and encouraged them to keep in mind that there are appropriated and more efficient ways to make sure that surveys get filled out.

- **Adjournment**

Director Song mentioned that a name badge email will be sent out to make sure that the senators get their name badges. Director Song adjourned the meeting at 10:44 am.