University of Illinois at Chicago  
Undergraduate Student Government  
Fall 2019 – November 18th – Meeting IV

Voting Members: 13  
Quorum: 7

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Dean Annette Wright

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I. Call to Order  
II. Roll Call  
III. Reading and Approval of the Minutes  
IV. Reading and Approval of the Agenda  
V. Public Comment  
VI. Guest Speaker(s)  
   a. Rukaya Abdullah, US Census  
   b. Dr. Hermes, Counseling Center  
VII. Ex Officio Reports  
   a. Report of the Advisor  
   b. Report of the Student Trustee  
VIII. Officer Reports  
   a. Report of the President  
   b. Report of the Vice-President  
   c. Report of the Treasurer  
   d. Report of the Speaker  
   e. Report of the Chief of Staff  
   f. Report of the Diversity and Inclusion Committee Chair  
   g. Report of the Legislative Affairs Committee Chair  
   h. Report of the Public Relations Committee Chair  
   i. Report of the Student Life Committee Chair  
IX. Nominations  
   a. Webmaster  
   b. Graphic Designer
X. Unfinished Business  
   a. Resolution 2019-F8-802  
   b. Resolution 2019-F8-803
XI. Items for Discussion  
   a. USG Orientation Recap  
   b. USG Social  
   c. USG Holiday Party
XII. Announcements  
XIII. Adjournment
I. Call to Order 6:12

II. Roll Call Representative Dhillon had excused absence

III. Reading and Approval of the Minutes - Approved

IV. Reading and Approval of the Agenda
   Speaker moves to amend the agenda - Applicant presentation before unfinished business - Approved

V. Public Comment
   No public comment

VI. Guest Speaker(s)

   a. Andrew Sullender, SAC President
      Student embassy coalition which represents and advocate for students to access new opportunities
      Invited by the committee chair of Legislative Affairs
      Conversation about accessibility-directed by Taylor
      Thursday at 4:00pm Student Center East

VII. Ex Officio Reports

   • Report of the Advisor
      State of Illinois will legalize the use of recreation marijuana however UIC and all institutions are cannabis free

   • Sexual misconduct reformation
• University is developing a policy regarding safety for scooters and are requesting advice from the Undergraduate Student Government, will be attending our meeting on December 2.

• Report of the Student Trustee

VIII. Officer Reports

• Report of the President
  Wasn’t able to attend the meeting

• Vice-president read her report

• Report of the Vice-President
  Conversation went well with the Supreme Court Justices event

  Moderator for discussion with Alderman Byron Lopez-Thursday at 5:00pm

  Chief sponsoring two bills regarding the newspaper and student athletes

  Bonfire events in Announcements

  Office Hours are Friday from 2-5pm in the African American Cultural Center

• Report of the Treasurer
  Contact by the marketing association regarding a funding request

  Have received some RFF’S and as a reminder all should be sent to the treasurer with a week ahead of time

  Have been meeting with representatives for Deputy position and was assigned to representative Nidamanuri
• Report of the Speaker
   New Member Orientation-updating presentations and emailed catering
   RFF to Treasurer

   Unable to meet with Chief of Staff

   Meetings with Representative Stancheva regarding the social, end of the
   year party and agenda

• Report of the Chief of Staff
   Not present

• Report of the Diversity and Inclusion Committee Chair
   First committee meeting took place
   
   Promote event
   
   Create a conversation around the retaining of black students
   
   Two workshops coming through
   
   Sent surveys to cultural centers to see what better services we can help

  g. Report of the Legislative Affairs Committee Chair

   Attended the core meeting regarding civic engagement at UIC

   Plan to reach out to the office managing the Lobby days

   Working on assigning Census ambassadors

   Committee time Tuesdays 6:00pm

  h. Report of the Public Relations Committee Chair

   Instagram page is updates with images

   Please follow instagram

   Will sent the application soon for deputy
Application with webmaster

Committee meetings 6:00pm on Wed

i. **Report of the Student Life Committee Chair**

Sent two RFFS to the treasurer

First committee meeting regarding the goals for the year

**Applicant Presentation**

No presentation-No present

**IX. Unfinished Business**

a. Resolution 2019-F7-700

Motion Representative El-Adawe

Passed

Motion Representative Pu

Passed

Motion by the Speaker

Passed

Voting

Passed

**X. New Business**

a. Resolution 2019-F8-802

Motion by representative Pu
Passed
Motion by the Speaker of the House
Passed
b. Resolution 2019-F8-803
Motion by representative Pu-name correction
Passed

XI. Items for Discussion

a. USG Orientation
   -Saturday 16th
   -Starting 10:00 am sharp until 4:00pm
   -RFF’s were submitted
b. USG Social
   -November 19
   -6-8:00pm
   -Illinois room C
   -Fill the black sheet with fun facts
   -Games are ready
   -Fill out the form
c. USG End of the Year Party
   -Selecting location
   -White Elephant
   -Price Range $10-15
XII. Announcements

Bonfire filming event in the Arab American Event tomorrow same room, food and raffle prices
New members stay
This same room for orientation
Latinx noche the poemas
Asian American ball Cardinal room Friday
N word African American black table talk the n word
Homecoming
Last Comic Standing

XIII. Adjournment 8:00pm
### Speaker Report Meeting 9

**Last meeting:** Monday, November 11, 2019 from 9:30-10:00pm  
**Next meeting:** Monday, November 18, 2019 from 9:00-10:00pm

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| New Member Orientation        | Jocelyn Bravo        | • It took place this past Saturday (finalized Catering with Crystal, printed handouts, picked out giveaway items)  
• Please provide me with feedback (both what you liked/didn’t like) during Items for Discussion                                                                                              | Completed|
| Student Success Center w/ LARES | Jocelyn Bravo       | • Meeting with other LARES Leaders today at 5pm to discuss what we want to bring up to the Chancellor                                                                                                      | In Progress|
| Meeting with Daisy            | Jocelyn Bravo        | • Discussed USG Social logistics, possible locations for Holiday Party and writing agenda                                                                                                                      | Completed|
| Meeting with Jocelyn          | Daisy Stancheva      | • Met on Monday at 9:30 pm, discussed the USG Social and worked on possible activities  
• Considered options for possible locations for the End of the Year Party                                                                                                                      | Completed|
| USG Social                    | Daisy Stancheva      | • Tomorrow! Tuesday, November 19th, 6-8 pm, Illinois Room C  
• Created the Kahoot game, still waiting on a few responses  
• Solidified the agenda and the activities we will be doing  
• Picked up the items we ordered from SSB                                                                                              | In Progress| Completed| Completed|
| Holiday Party                 | Daisy Stancheva      | • Created a list of possible locations and other information  
• Will be working with Jocelyn to reserve the location                                                                                                                                         | Completed| In Progress|

**Comments for the Cabinet/Advisors/Representatives:**

- Office Hours: Monday from 5:00-6:00pm and Tuesday from 2:00-3:00pm
- Email: usgspeaker@uic.edu
  - Please use this email to contact me and CC my UIC one (jbravo7@uic.edu)
- Representatives: Orientation quiz is due on Sunday, November 24th at 11:59pm for representatives that didn’t attend.
Hello everyone. I hope you all had a decent start to your week. The advocacy training day in Springfield is taking place on Wednesday, January 29th. I will meet with Andrew this week and speak more about it to my committee at our committee meeting. I am participating in the census volunteering Rukaya was talking about, so I will meet with her this week to talk more about it. Our committee meetings are Tuesdays as 6 PM and hour office hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:30-1:30 PM.
Good evening everyone,

I hope you all had a great weekend and a great Monday.

**Updates from last week:**

- My Committee and I met last week on Wednesday and we all got to know each other!
- We talked about our initiatives for this semester and divided jobs and tasks.
- As of right now, I am working on updating our social media pages and planning for a possible event that we might be doing at the end of the term before finals.
- Aitanna, (one of my 2 members), is working on setting up a Youtube channel for USG and she will work on vlogging us and taking videos of USG body for online!
- Deepah, (my 2nd member), is working on designing the board in front of our USG office since this is one of our initiatives and we will be taking pictures of you all with your committees to print and hang up on the wall so students can see who are the members of USG and in what committees they are, etc…

Our second PRC Meeting will be this week will be on Wednesday at 6-7 PM. Feel free to join us if you would like!

One last thing, my office hours will be this week on Wednesday from 4-5 PM. Feel free to come in and chat or ask me any questions. Thank you and I yield for questions.

Nada Marei
PRC
# Student Life Committee Report

## Meeting #9

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## Committee Members

- Michelle Zhou
- Anna-Maria Atsor

## Action Items

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| “Securing Your Health” Event | Marian          | 1. Thank you to everyone who came out  
2. Students have started to pick up their prizes | 1. Complete  
2. In Progress |

| [If applicable] | [In Progress/Pending/Complete] |
| "Beat Those Winter Blues" Interactive event | Marian | 1. Sent RFFs to treasurer  
2. Will happen Nov. 20 from 3:30-4:30 | 1. Complete  
2. In Progress |
Resolution 2019-F8-802

Independent Student Newspaper

The Undergraduate Student Government
Legislative Body
First Reading: November 11, 2019
Second Reading/Voting: November 18, 2019

Chief Sponsor(s): Taylor Holmes, Vice President
Co-Sponsor(s): Representative Nifemi Akande

WHEREAS, The Undergraduate Student Government has already allocated funds for the establishment of the Independent Student Newspaper (ISN) on snosites (a platform designed to run student newspapers), and
WHEREAS, ISN has absorbed graphic designers that are able to design a website that has more capabilities and interactive options than snosites
WHEREAS, the funding for ISN snosite website has not yet been released from the Undergraduate Student Governments account
WHEREAS, a URL domain is $95.97 and
WHEREAS, a hosting site is $196.20 and
WHEREAS, a theme cost is $199, so
LET IT BE RESOLVED, that the Undergraduate Student Government repeals Resolution 2019-F1-801
LET IT FURTHER BE RESOLVED, the Undergraduate Student Government allocates funds for the URL domain, hosting site and theme cost for $491.17.
President, Speaker of the House,
Aliemah Bradley Jocelyn Bravo
Resolution 2019-F8-803

Support for HB 3904

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Co-Sponsor(s): Ariej Mohamed, Chairwoman of Legislative Affairs

WHEREAS, Student Athletes at the University of Illinois at Chicago deserve to be compensated for their hard work
WHEREAS, Student Athletes devote all of their time to school and their sport
WHEREAS, the athletic director of UIC did not sign onto the support letter for HB3904
WHEREAS, the NCAA has agreed to let student athletes receive compensation for endorsements
LET IT BE RESOLVED, The Undergraduate Student Government of the University of Illinois at Chicago supports letting student athletes receive compensation for endorsements

President, Speaker of the House,
Aiemah Bradley Jocelyn Bravo