

USG

Fall Meeting 1

09/09/2024

I. Call to Order

- 6:04 pm

II. Roll Call

- Members not present at the time of roll call
 - Representative Jiya Patel (excused)
 - Representative Aden Joe (unexcused)
 - Representative James Saba (unexcused)
 - Representative Mahanoor Murtaza (excused)
 - Representative Michaella Olegario (late 20 min)
 - Graphic Designer Salma Abdelhady (Late 40 min - excused)

III. Reading and Approval of the Minutes

No minutes

IV. Reading and Approval of the Agenda

- Approved

V. Public Comment

- None

VI. Guest Speakers

- None

VII. Elections

Speaker Manasvi- First, we will the new executive cabinet and newly elected representatives, to repeat after me to officially carry out the USG business and be subordinate.

‘I do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the students of the University of Illinois at Chicago; that I will serve students faithfully and truthfully; and that I will uphold, protect, and preserve the Constitution and Standing Rules of the Undergraduate Student Government.’

Now, we will move on to the elections

Each of the perspective rep wil preset give 1-2 min speech and 1 min we will no vote today but just a little discussion next meet we expect ur att as we will be voting you in, as this time id like the nominees to step outside with our vice president Dilay.

New Representative Speeches

- Speaker Manasvi Thumu-
 - VP Heybali in the hallway with prospective Representatives
 - Pick up the mic on the right and the Reps will be given 2 minute for the speech, I will hold a time sign of how much is remaining, Last 1 min will be given for the questions from the executive board and the Representatives.

VIII. Old business

- None

IX. New Business

- None

X. Items for Discussion

- None

XI. Ex Officio Reports

a. Report of the Advisor

Carlos - adviser, associate director of community staff. I am a primary advisor. You'll also see advisors Raul Fernandez, assistant dean of student relations, and another assistant for commuters. Thanks all for the speeches. I know some of you were nervous, but thank you for the speeches.

b. Report of the Student Trustee

Hello, my name is Bast. I am a UIC student. Best of luck. I'll give a formal report when all reps are inaugurated. I have a board meetup. New vendor in BSB, open to feedback—cost-efficient, lower price points, offering services for extended periods of time. Erberts Gerberts, like Jimmy John's, Harold's Chicken, Little Caesars, Wingstop, halal, pizza options, or tikka curry. Give me all the ideas; I need to get back to them very fast. Any genres interested in, let me know. I'll serve it. Thank you.

XII. Officer Reports

a. Report of the President

- Hi everyone, my name is Asa. Keeping it short—senior here at UIC, neuroscience student. Gov for 2 years. Excited to work with everyone. This school year is going to be amazing.
- Report of the president will be filed

b. Report of the Vice-President

- Hi everyone, my name is Dilay. I'm your VP. I had time to speak with all reps, and I had a great time. This year, I'm very passionate about helping with student engagement and working with student orgs. I know everyone here is a great leader. If anyone here is part of a student organization, if you need anything or have any concerns, you can come to me, and we can have a chat. Other than that, I have been part of USG for the past three years.
- Report of the VP will be filed

c. Report of the Treasurer

- Good evening everyone, my name is Michael. I am the treasurer for this year. This is my second year in USG. I'm a data science major concentrating in computer science. I'm a junior right now, and I'm a commuter. I also participate in the Fortunate instance Student Association.
- I'm really excited to work on some giveaways this year in treasury, some transparency with our budget, and then hopefully doing some bigger events, collaborating with the College of Engineering. Hopefully collaborating on a bigger career fair, and then also some more financial literacy events. And that's about it. All right, thank you.
- The report of the Treasurer will be filed.

d. Report of the Speaker

- Happy first GBM, everyone. I'm excited to see all of our returning representatives as well as our new representatives here. I'm Manasvi, I'm a senior this year, majoring in Biology and Law and Justice, double major. I've been part of USG since my freshman year, and I have worn a lot of hats so if you have any questions, feel free to ask.
- As far as for all the Representatives here, make sure to sign up for 1 on 1 meetings with me if you haven't already done so, I think that's about it.
- Report of the Speaker will be filed

e. Report of the Chief of Staff

f. Report of the Diversity and Inclusion Committee Chair

- Hello everyone, My name is Abdullah Abdul Sami. I will be your diversity and inclusion chair for this year. I am majoring in IDS, Econ and marketing. It's my third year, and I'm a junior. Being the Director of Inclusion, I aim in bridging the gap between international and the local students. On top of that, I will be working on promoting opportunities for student engagement. Thank you.
- Report of the Diversity and Inclusion Committee Chair will be filed.

g. Report of the Legislative Affairs Committee Chair

- Hi guys, I am Trish, I'm a senior, and I'm the Director of Legislative Affairs. I'm majoring in Political Science and Economics, as well as my minoring in public policy and professional writing.
- Outside of USG I am on the women's soccer team, I'm also involved Student-Athlete Advisory Board and LAS Dean's Student Advisory Board
- This year, I'm focusing on our election, getting higher education student voters involved. Yeah, that's it guys. If you have any questions, please do email me.
- Report of the Legislative Affairs Committee Chair will be filed

h. Report of the Public Affairs Committee Chair

- Hi everyone, I'm Ashley, the Public Affairs Chair. Second-year student in Neuroscience. Shout out to our graphic designers Salma and our web designer Sri. They don't have a report, so you know who they are. I hope you guys all get comfortable with me. The most important thing about me is that I carry a squishy backpack for the gym. Thank you.
- Report of the Public Affairs Committee Chair will be filed

i. Report of the Student Success Committee Chair

- Well, greetings everyone, my name is Nathan. I'm the very happy Director of Student Success. Great job to our potential representatives—it's great to see you all. Welcome to GBM 1.
- Outside of USG, I do a couple of things. I'm president of NSLS and the VP of Professional Development for Alpha Kappa Psi, an Honors College tutor, and a CS 251 TA.
- It's great to see all of you. We have a lot of things to do in Student Success this year, a bunch of initiatives. You guys can take a look at the court, but in case you have any ideas or suggestions, let me know. We have a lot to get going on. All right, thank you.

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- Report of the Student Success Committee Chair will be filed

j. Report of the Campus Life Committee Chair

- Hi everyone, My name is Pranav. I am here as your Director of Campus Life. I am a third year, I am also a Pre-med majoring in Neuroscience with a Philosophy minor. I am really looking forward to getting to know all of you and all the perspective representatives and I am very excited to work with them
- My initiative that I am pretty interested in public awareness of all resources and campus safety, mental health, advocating for student affairs.
- I am interested to any of your suggestions, so yeah feel free to contact me.
- Report of the Campus Life Committee Chair will be filed

XIII. Announcements

- Just make sure to read through the meeting packet since we couldn't go through all the reports fully. For the next meeting, make sure to keep your notes in mind because next meeting is when we will be voting. Make sure to keep those notes along with the notes that you take to the representatives. Are there any other announcements from anyone else?
- Klimek: If you want to know more, or if anyone's interested in learning a little bit more about the Treasury or just has questions about the US Treasury, I will be in the Inner Circle sitting there around 6:20 to 6:30 for about 30 minutes if anyone wants to stop by. All right, any other announcements?

XIV. Adjournment

- Motioned, seconded, accepted
 - Adjourned at 8:02