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I. Call to Order

• 6:06 pm

II. Roll Call

- Members not present at the time of roll call
 - Representative Arsen Peredruk (excused)
 - President Asa Asad (excused)
 - o Campus Safety Commissioner Jiya Patel (unexcused)
 - Representative Jacob Maduakolam (unexcused)
 - Representative Kamran Shafi (excused)
 - Representative Teja Lebaka (excused)
 - Representative Mohammed Sawas (unexcused)
 - o Graphic designer Stephanie Williams (excused)

III. Reading and Approval of the Minutes

Approved

IV. Reading and Approval of the Agenda

- Motion to remove Bill 2025-S4-1007 from the agenda
 - o Motioned, seconded, accepted
- Motion to add an Item of discussion to the agenda EPC guidelines
 - o Motioned, seconded, accepted
- Motion to add Bill 2025-S5-5003 to the agenda
 - Motioned, seconded, accepted
- Motion to remove the Guest Speakers from the agenda
 - o Motioned, seconded, accepted
- Approved

V. Public Comment

None

VI. Old business

- a. Bill 2025-S4-1008
 - Approved
- b. Bill 2025-S4-1009
 - Approved
- c. Bill 2025-S4-1010



Questions?

- A lot of student showed up at last tailgate, attendance at this tailgate is going to be the same and is it marketed enough to have same student crowd? Yes, we are collaborating with athletics team, Sodexo so it should be a pretty big event. We also incentivised student orgs like last year, so whoever shows with the most people from their student org wins a prize.
- Enough time to order the catering? Its already ordered, just waiting for us to pass the Bill.
- When will the tail gate begin? Its from 1pm to 2pm, kind of like a pre-game to socialize.
- Motion to amend the amount to \$3000 to \$3400
 - Motioned, seconded, accepted
- Approved

d. Bill 2025-S4-3008

- Questions?
 - Workshop will be beneficial to international students? Yes, we are hoping it does help all the international students too and is open to everyone.
 - Can there be a fully a remote option? This can actually be an option this year, we keeping it hybrid so everyone has an option to choose what they personally prefer.
 - How many days is it? It is supposed to be, one class weekly or biweekly either ways lasting for 6 months
 - How are we promoting it? It is going to be through flyers and also with the help of campus partners once we successfully
 - Is it a structured course in each workshop? Still figuring out, but yes is going to be kind of structured like LAS but more made for upperclassmen, like interview and resume help.
- Approved
- e. Bill 2025-S4-3009
 - Approved

VII. New business

- a. Bill 2025-S5-1011
 - Ouestions?
 - What time are having it? Once we get a date we will finalize the time and let everyone know



- Specific reason why we doing it again and earlier this semester? We are trying to be ahead of time and it was kind of a successful event last semester, so we are doing it again.
- Collaborate with people who created the app? We already had a meeting with them to see how we can do that, will keep everyone updated
- o Is it similar to the one we did with sandwiches? Yes
- How many people attended this event last year? We ordered 300 sandwiches last year and were completely out in 27 mins, also just a incentive to keep going in the semester.
- Can we find a way for food to last longer? Maybe have half at the start of
 the event and then rest at the end of then event? We doubled the budget
 to have more food this time around, we will also give the distribution idea
 a thought.

Suggestions

- Volunteered last time, event was over very soon, even before I got to the
 event. So, may be we can put up a story on instagram so people don't have
 to come all the way and find nothing.
- Also for Reps that are volunteering the event, the planning committee could text and let them know the event is over, for convenience.
- Bill will be voted on March 3rd, 2025

b. Bill 2025-S5-3010

- Ouestions?
 - What is this actually the purpose of it? This is actually going to add a stepping stone for students who has an upcoming class related to it. Kind of tailored to freshmen to help them with it.
- Bill will be voted on March 3rd, 2025

c. Bill 2025-S5-5003

- Questions?
 - Can USG members participate in the game? Yes anyone who goes to UIC can participate.
 - How would we see who wins? We can put the names in a wheel to randomly pick the winner.
- Bill will be voted on March 3rd, 2025

VII. Items for Discussion

a. EPC Guidelines - Open discussion if anyone has any queries about nomination signature and elections



Questions?

- O How do we ask students to vote and when will we know about the counts of our votes? Can't physically touch their phone but can make a QR code or just something for them to scan and vote. Everyone will hear final count by Friday and won't say who nominated who.
- Can we post on social media as a campaign? You can ask in person, put a link up on ur story, or send a personal message but cannot hold their phone and do it for them
- How does the ballot works for Reps? For president and VP, only one vote
 is allowed and we have 25 spots for Representatives to be voted in and
 should pretty much be everyone in the ballot and you can vote for
 everyone and you can also find the guidelines on the DOS website.
- Once your name comes up as a nominee and you have your slate, you cannot campaign during the meeting as its a place of business, you can do it outside of USG's time.

VIII. Ex Officio Reports

- a. Report of the Advisor
 - Last day for EPC application is on this Monday
 - As a reminder, President needs 150, Representative needs 50 and Senate just needs 5 votes.
 - Filed
- b. Report of the Student Trustee
 - None

IX. Officer Reports

- a. Report of the President
 - Filed
- b. Report of the Vice-President
 - Filed
- c. Report of the Treasurer
 - Filed

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- d. Report of the Speaker
 - Filed
- e. Report of the Chief of Staff
 - Filed
- f. Report of the Diversity and Inclusion Committee Chair
 - Filed
- g. Report of the Legislative Affairs Committee Chair
 - Filed
- h. Report of the Public Affairs Committee Chair
 - Filed
- i. Report of the Student Success Committee Chair
 - Filed
- j. Report of the Campus Life Committee Chair
 - Filed

X. Announcements

• Everyone, please go to the Quinn's event and take your friends to the event on March 2nd. If you have a org, you can still register for the challenge and win the prize.

XI. Adjournment

- Motioned, seconded, accepted
 - o Adjourned at 7:14 pm