

COUNCIL ON STUDENT AFFAIRS: Meeting Minutes

Date and Attendance

3:30 PM – 5:00 PM

September 22, 2025

Attendance: Kirsten Myers, Shaun Russell, Gabe Myers, Matt Couch, Sherri Klatt, Brittany Crall, David Miller, Ryan Lovell, Brady Condon, Mohamed El Hamahmy, Harpreet Singh, Oluwadamilola Salau, Ashley Swisshelm, Jack Meyer, Kenneth Madsen, Peter Carrera, Jeff Pellitier, Giselle Jeter-Bennett, Akua Nelson

Absent: Joe Malinger

Old Business

1. Approval of Meeting Minutes
2. Motion to approve by Gabe/Seconded by Shaun

New Business

1. Approval of Agenda
 - a. Motion to approve by Gabe/Seconded by Shaun
2. Committees: Issues & Allocations
 - a. Issues
 - i. Jack Meyer and Joe Malinger were elected as Issues Co-Chairs
 - ii. Elections happened last week and new co-chairs are working on the transition document
 - iii. Co-chairs are working on the guest presentations
 - b. Allocations
 - i. Gabe Myers was elected as Allocations Chair
 - ii. Going over Fall Programming funds
 - iii. Goal is to have all requests completed by 9/29, they must be completed by October 31st.
 1. Fall II: 174 requests have been completed.
3. Student Government Updates
 - a. USG – CFO of USG
 - i. New members joined last week
 - ii. Clean Up Columbus just happened
 - iii. Homecoming Bash – October 5th
 - iv. Election just completed – Interim Staff will transition out next week.
 - b. CGS
 - i. No updates for CGS.
 - ii. Prepping for the first Senate meeting on 9.25
 - c. IPC
 - i. First Senate meeting on 9/21
 1. New Senators were sworn in. A lot of first years.

4. Office of Student Life Updates
 - a. Biggest upcoming event: Homecoming
 - i. Buckeye Leadership Fellows – celebrating 15th year anniversary
 - b. Community Commitment went well – about 400 students participated.
 - c. Emergency Funds and Mental Health Care Grants is still available
 - d. With Winter Recess returning, Department is working on a plan for students and staff who continue on campus despite the recess.
5. Vice Chair Election
 - a. Taking another two weeks for nominations for Vice Chair.
6. Carryforward Redistribution
 - a. Fixed funds – a set amount distributed for programs
 - b. Variable areas – have more flexibility
7. Around the Oval Update on 9/22
 - a. Professional Student Affordability
 - b. Emergency and Mental Health Grants
 - c. Public Safety
 - d. Childcare
 - e. Housing Affordability
8. Open Floor/Announcements/Questions
9. Adjournment
 - a. Motion to adjourn by Gabe/Seconded by Aryav