



Associated Students of Santa Monica College

A.S. Board of Directors Regular Meeting

March 3, 2025, 3:00 p.m., Cayton Center Computer Lab (2nd Floor)
Santa Monica College, 1900 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90405

The Public may join via: Zoom/Telephone
<https://cccconfer.zoom.us/j/98941154407>

Associated Students Office Phone Number: (310) 434-4250

Minutes

I. Call to Order at 3:04 pm

II. Roll Call

President, David Duncan P
Vice-President, Michael Helfand P
Secretary, Tiffany Lee P
Budget Management, Jordan Davis P
Basic Needs, Stefani Hernandez P
Instructional Support, Brenda Carrasco P
Student Outreach, Louisiane Marie Tardon P
Equity and Diversity, Valeria Castillo Salgado P

External Affairs, Semia Beji P
Activities, Andrea Giraldo P
Publicity, Vacant
Sustainability, Julia Kowalski P
ICC Chair, Ireedui (Ike) Munguntsatsralt P
ICC Vice-Chair, Nora Ibrahim P
ICC Communications Officer, Megan Menez P

Student Trustee, Vacant

Associate Dean, Thomas Bui P

Counselor/Advisor: Benny Blaydes P

III. Public Comments (2 Minutes Per Speaker)

- Romell
- Delphine

IV. Approval of Minutes – 2/19/2025, 2/24/2025

- Minutes for 2/19/2025 and 2/24/2025 have been approved without objection.

V. Committee Reports & Informational Items

VI. Minor Action Items (Under \$1,000) – Consent Agenda – None.

VII. Major Action Items (\$1,000 and over)

7.1 Proposal 540, Approval for Sip and Jewelry by Associated Students

(Cost \$1,921.56. Requesting \$1,921.56 from Activities – Director of Activities, Andrea Giraldo)

- Item 7.1 has been approved unanimously.

7.2 Proposal 541, Approval for Club Awareness by Associated Students

(Cost \$3,900.00. Requesting \$3,900.00 from ICC Allotment – ICC Chair, Ike Ireedui Munguntsatsralt)

- Item 7.2 has been approved unanimously.

VIII. Other Action Items

8.1 Cayton Center Remodeling

IX. Discussion Items

9.1 DPAC Budget

- Motion to add as emergency Discussion Item, motioned by ICC Vice Chair, Seconded by Equity & Diversity
 - Motion approved without objection.

X. Director Reports (2 Minutes Each)

- Valeria, Equity & Diversity
 - Tabling has great potential for more effective student engagement.
- Michael, Vice President
 - Directors, please attend your committee meetings and send your commissioners in case of schedule conflicts.
- David, President
 - The 134 is up and running with limited service; public transportation to the Malibu campus is available.



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XI. Student Trustee Report

Advisor Reports

- Benny
 - May 9th
 - Cal Grant deadline extended to **April 2nd** due to various reasons (wildfire, conflicts within Department of Education)
 - Personal Finance workshops incoming starting from March 27th.
 - Incoming first-time students for the upcoming fall will have to face information for the new Cal-GETC.
- Thomas
 - Election Packets are open and available on SMC website; Directors, please spread word and recruit candidates to apply for Director of Publicity!

XIII. Adjournment at 3:59 pm, Motioned by Activities, Seconded by Sustainability