



Associated Students of Glendale Community College  
ASGCC Legislature Agenda  
October 13, 2025  
1:00 P.M – 3:00 PM  
Student Center 208 – Verdugo Campus

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- I. **Call to Order**
    - Meeting called to order at 1:00 pm by President/Student Trustee Nathan Andriassian
  - II. **Flag Salute**
  - III. **Roll Call**
    - Present: Nathan Andriassian, Eric Tsaturyan, Sayat Teker, Isabella Verdia, David Zakaryan, Emily Kasumyan, Katya Sarkisian, Natalie Grigoryan, Pauline Cipriano, Aline Shahbazian, Vahagn Manukyan, Masaki Sannomiya, Amy Novshadyan, Mia Marekhashvili, Lena Markosian, Karen Preciado, Chelsea Velasco, Nellie Daniel, Alec Sarkissian, Garo Kahwajian, Arevik Grigoryan, Aleksandr Rustamyan, Adonis Padilla, Ryan Avakian
    - Excused Absence: Pateel Haytayan, Maya Alchian (Institutional Planning and Coordinating)
    - Non-Voting Members: Dr. Tzoler Oukayan, Claudia Juan
  - IV. **Approval of Minutes - October 6, 2025**
    - MSC: Karen Preciado/Masaki Sannomiya
  - V. **Approval of Agenda – October 13, 2025**
    - MSC: Adonis Padilla/Pauline Cipriano
  - VI. **Report of President/Student Trustee - Nathan Andrisassian**
    - Everyone is doing good during committee meeting times but remember to be considerate of everyone's time. The generosity of being marked tardy/absent is up to the Vice President of said committee.
  - VII. **Report of Administration Committee - Eric Tsaturyan**
    - The Admin committee's educational initiative is cancelled because there are too many Prop 50 events and they're working on a new one.
  - VIII. **Report of Finance Committee - Sayat Teker**
    - Thank you to everyone for attending the financial literacy event, it went really well. 60 people attended via Zoom and 50 in person, making it 110 people in total. The Finance committee went over the FinLit event seeing what worked and what didn't, the finance code, and the November 6th Financial Literacy event in their committee meeting.
  - IX. **Report of Activities Committee - Isabella Verdia**
    - Movie Night is this Thursday at 7 PM at Plaza Vaq. Snacks, nachos, and soda will be provided at the event.
    - The Halloween Resource Fair is coming up on October 23rd, where there will be a photo booth, face painting, resources, etc.
    - The Activities committee's Halloween party is on the 30th of October. They're having a DJ and food.
  - X. **Report of Relations Committee - David Zakaryan**
    - The Relations Committee's educational initiative is tomorrow for Cancer Awareness from 12:30-1:30 PM.
    - Thank you to the Relations committee for all the work they put in for this event and all they'll be doing for the event, including the prep and maintenance.
    - They're getting started on their second educational initiative, and it will be another medical related event in collaboration with the Health Center.

- Nathan talked with the Scholars Program Cabinet for potential collaborations between ASGCC and Scholars, and decided that Scholars students will receive a credit if they attend the Cancer Awareness program that's hosted by the Relations Committee.
- Nathan also thanked Katya, Natalie, and the Relations committee for their help with the collaboration.

**XI. Report of Organizations Committee - Emily Kusumyan**

- The next IOC meeting will be on the 20th of October.
- The Organizations Committee's first educational initiative will be "Gateway to Growth". They will have different departments attending like Go Baby Go, Study Abroad, Mesa, Team Internships, and ASGCC.

**XII. Report of Officers**

**Masaki Sannomiya**

- There will be a president's meeting for vendors, and asked everyone if anyone knows of any performers to perform at an event.

**XIII. Reports of Governance/Special Committee Meetings**

**1. College Executive Committee Meeting - Eric Tsaturyan/Nathan Andriassian**

- They did a summary of the different governance meetings, the ones who submitted minutes. They talked about a stronger system for hiring committees. RTPE will work on the DEIA coordinator role. Campus development talked about the measured GCC bond and GAFCON.
- Pateel will say the pledge of allegiance for the next meeting.
- Nathan asked if there's anyone else who wants to say the pledge, it does not have to be someone from ASGCC, but any student on campus.
- Student lactation accommodations were discussed. Staff lactation policy is separate from the students.
- There have been changes made to AR53, town hall regarding SB38. For federal immigration services and if they were to be on campus and how they would notify students. They discussed how GCC will most likely not be a target of ICE.
- Tabled the academic calendar.
- RAVE: Our current emergency system. Our current emergency system is opt-in, but it's changing to opt-out. This way students will be notified through every platform.
- Dr. Oulakyan said that ICE agents have come into the GCC parking structure before so she cautioned everyone to not be too sure that they won't come onto campus.
- Gavid Newson passed a law that would require schools to notify students if ICE came on campus.
- They will soon get more information about the rules regarding locking private rooms, like Library rooms, in regards to ICE.
- The reason why the lactation policy was removed was because everyone should be able to use the lactation rooms to create a private and safe space.
- They also talked about AR550 student conduct, which talks about prohibited behaviors and discipline.

**2. Placement and Assessment Pauline Cipriano/Arevik Grigoryan**

- Cancelled

**3. Environment and Sustainability - Eric Tsaturyan/Adonis Padilla**

- They mainly spoke about planning the Earth Day event. They have one every semester near the Admin building where they bring guest speakers for issues related to the environment.
- Asked if Rachel Rigway from MESA would consider being a potential guest speaker.
- April 23, 2026 11AM - 2PM
- They're thinking of doing it in front of Sierra Vista instead of Admin due to higher traffic and more access to electrical outlets for vendors.
- They want extra engagement and more interactive activities rather than just booths for the students, community, and vendors.
- Sayat mentioned the possibility of a debate being one the activities during the event.

**4. Governance Review - Alec Sarkissian/Nellie Daniel**

- The mission statement is that they control the governances, how the information flows through them. It moves from the board of trustees to the college execs.
- The cabinet is new and they've completely dissolved the Low Textbook governance committees.
- They want to create a website to replace BoardDocs, called SharePoint to host all of their meetings. Student representative opinion was asked for their and they said that they want it to be more accessible for students and easier to navigate.

5. **Curriculum and Instruction - Garo Kahwajian/Nellie Daniel (Proxy for Pateel Haytayan)**
  - Oversees all changes to courses and academic programs.
  - They're making the process faster for curriculum changes.
  - A new management system called CourseDoc. If outlines aren't updated by the due date it won't go through.
  - Common Course numbering project to make transferring credits easier and faster.
  - Discussing how CNI members are compensated. The curriculum is considered full-time faculty unit. Leads are encouraged to talk to their department chairs about it.
  - Curriculum approvals - the committee approved a lot of new courses and short-term vocational certificates. Some courses were tabled for revision. Like Mass Communication, if it should be AS or AA.
  - They want smoother communication between divisions for more efficiency.

**XIV. Guest Speakers**

- None.

**XV. Old Business**

- None.

**XVI. New Business**

1. **Approval of Finance Report #6 - Action Item**
  - **MSD: Karen Preciado/Arevik Grigoryan**
    - 2 Abstentions
2. **Approval of Finance Report #7 - Action Item**
  - **MSC to table for next meeting: Sayat Teker/Adonis Padilla**
3. **Approval of \$400.00 for D&D Club - AS Special Organizational Support Account**
  - **MSC: Lena Markosian/Karen Preciado**
4. **Approval of \$400.00 for Backpacks For Armenia Club - AS Special Organizational Support Account**
  - **MSC: Arevik Grigoryan/Masaki Sannomiya**
5. **Approval of \$210.00 for Book Club - AS Special Organizational Support Account**
  - **MSC: Nellie Daniel/Chelsea Velasco**
6. **Approval of \$400.00 for Space & Rocketry Club - AS Special Organizational Support Account**
  - **MSC: Karen Preciado/Aleksandr Rustamyan**
7. **Approval of \$720.00 for MCAT Prep Club - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
  - **MSC: Arevik Grigoryan/Aline Shahbazian**
8. **Approval of \$400.00 for Culinary Arts Club - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
  - **MSC: Karen Preciado/Lena Markosian**
9. **Approval of \$750.00 for Space & Rocketry Club - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
  - **MS: Nellie Daniel/Masaki Sannomiya**
    - **MSC to table to next meeting, waiting on more information: Karen Preciado/Sayat Teker**
10. **Approval of \$750.00 for Veterans Club - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
  - **MSC: Maskai Sannomiya/Pauline Cipriano**
11. **Approval of \$750.00 for Japanese Culture Club - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
  - **MSC: Vahagn Manukyan/Ryan Avakian**
12. **Approval of \$750.00 for Red Cross Club - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
  - **MSC: Masaki Sannomiya/Karen Preciado**
13. **Approval of \$250.00 for SACNAS Club - AS Organizational Event Support Account**
  - **MSC: Karen Preciado/Nellie Daniel**

14. Approval of \$250.00 for GCC Psychology Club - AS Organizational Event Support Account
  - MSC: Aleksandr Rustamyan/Ryan Avakian
15. Approval of \$250.00 for Fiber Friends Club - AS Organizational Event Support Account
  - MSC: Lena Markosian/Nellie Daniel
16. Approval of \$750.00 for GCC Clinical Skills - AS Organizational Event Support Account
  - MSC: Katya Sarkisian/Aleksandr Rustamyan
17. SSCCC Resolution Webinar - Discussion Item
  - Bella said that this is a great opportunity if anyone is interested in policy and how bills are passed. It's on Zoom, and to let her know if anyone wants to attend.
  - Dr. Tzoler Oukayan said a resolution, a position that someone is recommending for policy purposes. They will accumulate all of these resolutions and at the General Assembly they vote to see which ones will take place.

#### Reports of Advisors

##### Dr. Tzoler Oukayan

XVII.

- Everyone is doing great governance reports and it's important to not have a lot of repetition and to ask questions if there are any.
- The IDEA conference is in two weeks and there are 140 RSVP's. Everyone should try and promote it if given the opportunity.
- Most of the presenters are already set and a few are still in the works.
- Only a very few colleges host leadership conferences for their students and this will be a great opportunity for everyone.
- If anyone's available to help before and during the conference, that would be appreciated.
- Educational initiatives are supposed to be finished before the first half of the semester. It's required and a part of each committee's responsibilities. Make sure to get those going and done and to ask for help with Dr. Oukayan and Ms. Claudia Juan when and if needed.

##### Claudia Juan

- Remember to be mindful of everyone's time, especially with the committee meetings. It's also important to attend different events, regardless of the committee because of the time and effort that is put into them. It's important to help each other out, even if someone isn't in that specific committee.
- Leadership is still cancelled this week and remember to attend a workshop in its place. Next week, there will be a guest speaker at Leadership.

XVIII. Announcements/Information

##### Arevik Grigoryan

- HRI is having a movie night in Kreider Hall if anyone is interested in attending.

##### Nathan Andriassian

- In addition to being respectful to both senators and Vice Presidents, please give everyone your attention while they speak during Legislature and all other meetings.

XIX. Adjournment at 2:02 P.M

- MSC: Arevik Grigoryan/Pauline Cipriano



Submitted By: Katya Sarkisian  
Senator Of Administration  
October 13, 2025