



Senate Minutes

Thursday, December 11th, 2025

The Senate Chamber, Salomon Hall, University of San Diego

1. Call to Order - 12:30 pm
2. Land Acknowledgement
3. Roll Call
4. Approval of the agenda for December 11th, 2025
 - a. Speaker pro tempore - motion to amend the Q2 reports to include the approval of the Finance Committee allocations for Spring 2026. Seconded. Motion passes
 - b. Speaker pro tempore - motion to approve the agenda. Seconded. Motion passes.
5. Approval of the minutes from November 18th, 2025
 - a. Senator Jameson - motion to approve the minutes. Seconded. Motion passes.
6. New Business
 - a. Confirmation vote of ASG appointments
 - i. TPB 3rd Vice Chair (Ofure Ologbosele), Finance Chair (Paola Flores-Fuentes), Clerk (Lexi Boyd), Controller (Kaila Nguyen)
 - ii. Senator Sophia - motion to confirm ASG appointments. Seconded. Motion passes.
 - b. Swearing-in of ASG appointments, led by Chief Justice Annalise
 - c. Approval of new/returning student organizations
 - i. Organizations: Chinese Cultural and Language Association, Pre Occupational Therapy Club, Hiking Club, Black Student Athlete Committee
 - ii. Senator Abigail - is the hiking club re-registering? Student Org Chair - yes.
 - iii. Senator Sophia - I move to approve new and re-registering organizations for the 2025-26 academic year. Seconded. Motion passes.
 - d. Q2 Reports & Spring 2026 Allocations from Finance Committee, presented by Chief Justice

- i. Re-allocation: CHWP, Women's Commons
 - ii. Additional allocation: ASGBC
 - iii. Q2 budget reports: Changemaker Hub's Design Lab
 - iv. New Spring 2026 allocation budget: \$891,758.34
 - v. Requested rollovers: Creative Zone, ASG Vice President
 - vi. Funds requested Spring 2026: \$910,750.05 (\$18,991.71 could not be accommodated)
 - vii. *Funds allocated for Spring 2026: \$888,215.35*
 - viii. Academics Chair - motion to approve the Q2 budget reports with follow ups and the Spring 2026 allocations. Seconded. Motion passes.
7. Report from The Speaker of the Senate
- a. When you miss Senate, you are expected to find a proxy and get them approved.
 - b. Please communicate absences at least 48 hours in advance.
 - c. Interested Senators for ad hoc parking committee: Cassidy, Jameson, Stella, Wyatt
8. Reports from The Senate Leadership Team
- a. Speaker pro tempore - attendance is very important as part of this role
 - b. Clerk - trained the new Clerk, \$20k for Senate Initiatives Fund next semester, Update Senate Initiatives sheet now!!
 - c. Parliamentarian - bonding was really fun, make sure you go next semester if you missed it!
9. Reports from The Committee Chairs & Coordinators
- a. The Academics Committee Chair
 - i. Finished academic grant meetings
 - ii. Attended Q2 finance committee meeting
 - iii. Pre-finals academic support tabling was successful on Tuesday
 - iv. Good luck on finals!
 - b. The Student Org Committee Chair
 - i. Worked with Finance Committee to finalize Q2 budget
 - ii. Planning Spring mixer for student organizations
 - c. The IDEA Committee Chair
 - i. Attended Q2 finance committee
 - ii. Spring initiatives: tabling for Black History Month, Women's History Month, AAPI Heritage Month
 - iii. Attended VGM
 - iv. Angel Unawares Mass & Sculpture Dedication next Thursday on International Migrants Day
 - d. The Student Life Committee Chair
 - i. Guest speaker at Student Life Committee presented on food

insecurity; identified main concerns and potential campus partnerships

- ii. Holiday Lyft codes going out this weekend!
- iii. Big shoutout to Annalise for running Q2 finance meeting so efficiently!!

e. The Athletics Coordinator

- i. Thanks to everyone who came to the tailgate
- ii. Meeting with Cara from Athletics tomorrow
- iii. Shout out rugby for winning Founders Cup

f. The Health and Wellness Coordinator

- i. Gave out all the tote bags at tailgate
- ii. \$2,590 spent on STI testing
- iii. Helping with Nourish to Flourish
- iv. Take care of yourself during finals!

g. The Sustainability Coordinator

- i. Talked to USD Vista and Charles Ramos about sustainability in dining areas and excess newspapers
- ii. Planning tabling events for commuters

10. Reports from The ASG Executive Board

a. President

- i. Congratulations to new Finance Chair and Controller!
- ii. Shout out to current Controller Ivy for stepping up this semester
- iii. Met with VP Johnson & Pres. Harris yesterday
- iv. Met with Director of Parking & Mobility Services last week

b. Vice President

- i. Allocated all of the \$18,000 budget for research and travel grants for next semester; all applicants have been notified of decisions

c. Chief Justice

- i. All parking appeals dates for next semester have been finalized
- ii. Brainstorming ways to improve parking court efficiency
- iii. Election timeline finalized
- iv. Chaired Finance committee and completed it in record time

d. TPB Chair

- i. Thanks to those who helped at Winter Wonderland
- ii. Currently in the process of hiring 2 new event coordinators

e. PR Chair

- i. Taking headshots after Senate today
- ii. New Marketing Request Form; due 2 weeks prior to your event
- iii. Contact her about abroad experience

f. Chief of Staff

- i. Bonding was so much fun!

- ii. Attended academic calendar meeting and finance committee
 - iii. Update GCal with class schedule and office hours
11. Final Business and Hearing of the Public. *At this time, any Senator may take from the table any motion previously laid on the table in the meeting the week before or present urgent business; any member of the public may voice any concerns to the assembly on non-agenda items.*
- a. President Lily - office hours are not required next week, but please clean up after yourselves in our shared space!!
 - b. Advisor Manda - interim Director for Graduate Student Life next semester; will continue to advise Student Life committee but will be stepping down from undergraduate ASG next semester; check in with Jen for everything you need
12. Adjournment
- a. Athletics Coordinator - motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded. Motion passes. Senate adjourned at 1:16 pm.

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