

# Student Government Association 2025 - 2026 General Board Meeting

Date: 09/25/2025

**Time:** 12:30pm-2:00pm

**Meeting Minutes** 

#### Call to order

Motion: Tehreem Nadeem | Second: Chery Masse Franciane < br/> Meeting called to order at 12:40 PM, all in favor.

#### Roll call

Present: Wei Chong, Tehreem Nadeem, Ousmane Diallo, Twaambo Kabosha, Anchita Fnu, Haneen Eid, Connor Kavleski, Briston Faulknor, Ayo David Johnson, Devonte Allen, Chery Masse Franciane, Silvana Genao, Mohammad Sohail

Late: Daler Djuraev, Malayial Azhar

Excused: Nazia Mahmud, Christopher Chow, Sandra Roper<br/>

Absent: Maria Hashmi

Quorum established with 13 present, 2 late, 4 excused, 1 absent.

#### Approval of last meeting minutes

Motion: Tehreem Nadeem | Second: Chery Masse Franciane

Motion approved, no discussion.

#### Approval of meeting agenda

Motion: Wei Chong | Second: Twaambo Kabosha

Motion approved, all in favor, no discussion.

# 5. Budget Committee Report (Ousmane Diallo)

- SGA Budget Approval: Motioned by Ousmane, seconded by Franciane → Approved unanimously
- Club Budget Approval:
  - \$1000 for clubs (50–100% usage last year)
  - \$500 for clubs (1–49% usage last year)
  - \$250 for clubs (0% usage last year)
  - Motioned by Ousmane, seconded by Franciane → Approved unanimously (39 clubs expected)
- Office Supplies & Snacks (\$1279.95): Motioned by Tehreem, seconded by Twaambo → Approved (Silvana raised safety concerns)
- SGA & Desktop Plaques (\$798): Motioned by Tehreem, seconded by Twaambo →
   Approved
- Mechatronics Club (\$668.30 workshops): Motioned by Ousmane, seconded by Mohammad → Approved
- **SASA Club Funding**: Requested \$5,760, Committee approved \$4,000 → Approved after discussion (Silvana asked about collaborations)
- IEEE Club: Requested \$3,362.30, approved \$2,362.30 (plus \$1,000 base) →
  Approved unanimously
- GDG x IBM Trip (\$2,304.87): Motioned by Ousmane, seconded by Tehreem → Approved unanimously
- Capture the Flag Hackathon (\$1,760.55 food sponsorship): Motioned by Ousmane, seconded by Silvana → Approved unanimously

• Craft Club: Requested \$3,960

Initial Discussion Motion:

Motion: Tehreem Nadeem

**Second:** Chery Masse Franciane

Discussion: Members questioned why the club hadn't used last semester's budget, which limited their eligibility.

Twamboo proposed \$630 for their Mario Kart Gaming Event (Nov 20). Malayial agreed.

#### Revised Motion for \$630 Mario Kart Gaming Event (Nov 20):

**Motion:** Tehreem Nadeem

Second: Chery Masse Franciane

Motion approved, all in favor (further details needed for remaining proposals)

Motion: Tehreem Nadeem | Second: Chery Masse Franciane

Motion approved, all in favor (further details needed for other proposals; Franciane asked for more information)

# 6. Event Committee Report (Haneen Eid)

1. Qawwali Night (SASA Club, \$4,000 for singers) – Proposal presented

Motion: Tehreem Nadeem | Second: Chery Masse Franciane

2. Meet & Mingle Date Change – From Oct 2 → Oct 9

# **Club Committee Report (Fnu, Anchita)**

- 1. UNA C. Club Approval
  - Discussion: Twaambo raised concerns about liability of kids.
     Recommendation to consult SLD and Student Affairs.
  - b. Motion: Wei Chong | Second: Franciane
  - c. Motion approved (14 in favor, 1 abstention Tehreem)
- 2. Club Budget Criteria
  - a. Motion: Wei Chong | Second: Franciane
  - b. Motion approved (13 in favor, 1 abstention Daler)

# **Speaker of senate (Chery Masse Franciane)**

Concered was raised regarding office safety.

Amy Bermeo resigned from the senator for professional studies.

# **Elections & Appointments**

#### 1. CAB Elections (1 elected, 2 alternates)

- a. Devonte Allen (elected), Ayo David Johnson (alternate)
- b. Motion: Wei Chong
- c. Second: Silvana Genao
- d. Motion approved, all in favor

#### 2. AEB Vacancies (2 seats)

- a. Devonte Allen & Connor Kavleski
- b. Motion: Wei Chong
- c. **Second:** Tehreem Nadeem
- d. Motion approved, all in favor

### 3. SGA College Council Seat

- a. Wei Chong nominated
- b. Motion: Tehreem Nadeem
- c. **Second:** Silvana Genao
- d. Motion approved, all in favor

#### 4. College Council (Arts & Sciences, 4 seats)

- a. Daler Djuraev nominated
- b. Motion: Wei Chong
- c. Second: Chery Masse Franciane
- d. Motion approved, all in favor

#### 5. Search Committee for College President

- a. Volunteers: Wei Chong & Daler
- b. **Motion:** Wei Chong
- c. **Second:** Chery Masse Franciane
- d. Motion approved, all in favor

#### 6. Search Committee for Deans & VPs

- a. Volunteers: Franciane, Devonte, Daler
- b. Motion: Tehreem Nadeem
- c. Second: Chery Masse Franciane
- d. Motion approved, all in favor

#### 7. USS Alternate Position

- a. Tehreem resigned → Wei Chong nominated
- b. Motion: Wei Chong
- c. **Second:** Chery Masse Franciane
- d. Motion approved, all in favor

#### 8. Library Committee

a. Volunteers: Anchita Fnu, Silvana Genao

#### 9. Ad Hoc Committee

a. Volunteers: Franciane, Daler, Devonte

b. Motion: Wei Chong

c. **Second:** Tehreem Nadeemd. Motion approved, all in favor

# 9. SLD Updates (Chandrica)

- Sept 30: Nutritional Workshop & Info Session
- Oct 7: Club Officer Meeting
- Oct 9: Game Fest
- Oct 21: Leadership Workshop
- Oct 30: Spookfest (with SGA)
- Fresh Food Bag program launching early October

#### 10. Old Business

No discussion

#### 11. New Business

- Collaboration with **College Now** (Franciane)
- Proposal for **SGA business cards** (next meeting)
- Proposal for Women's sanitary products access (Devonte)

# 12. Open Table

No discussion

# 13. Adjournment

• Motion: Twaambo Kabosha

• **Second:** Chery Masse Franciane

• Meeting adjourned at 2:25 PM

# Minutes respectfully submitted by:

Vice President

Tehreem Nadeem