87th Session of the
Senate of the Associated Students

Agenda for Wednesday, September 18th, 2019 at 5:30 P.M.
Rita Laden Senate Chambers, Third Floor of the Joe Crowley Student Union

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER*
Call Meeting to Order must be listed by Senate Secretaries

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE*

3. ROLL CALL*
Roll Call must be listed by Senate Secretaries

4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

a. The Senate will consider the approval of the minutes from April 24th, 2019. The Senate will discuss the minutes of April 24th, 2019 and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion, the Senate may choose to approve the minutes.
b. The Senate will consider the approval of the minutes from May 15th, 2019. The Senate will discuss the minutes of May 15th, 2019 and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion, the Senate may choose to approve the minutes.
c. The Senate will consider the approval of the minutes from May 29th, 2019. The Senate will discuss the minutes of May 29th, 2019 and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion, the Senate may choose to approve the minutes.
d. The Senate will consider the approval of the minutes from June 12th, 2019. The Senate will discuss the minutes of June 12th, 2019 and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion, the Senate may choose to approve the minutes.
e. The Senate will consider the approval of the minutes from August 7th, 2019. The Senate will discuss the minutes of August 7th, 2019 and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion, the Senate may choose to approve the minutes.
f. The Senate will consider the approval of the minutes from August 28th, 2019. The Senate will discuss the minutes of August 28th, 2019 and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion, the Senate may choose to approve the minutes.
g. The Senate will consider the approval of the minutes from September 11th, 2019. The Senate will discuss the minutes of September 11th, 2019 and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion, the Senate may choose to approve the minutes.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT*
Items heard under public comment may be for items either on or off the agenda. Action may not be taken on items raised under public comment. The Speaker may elect to take public comment on action items on this agenda. The Speaker may impose reasonable limits on the length members of the public may speak.

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a. Associate Vice President, Romando Nash
b. Director of Pack Provisions, Wei Deng

6. RECEIPT OF PETITIONS AND CORRESPONDENCE TO THE SENATE AND REFERRAL

The Senate will receive communications addressed to the Senate and, if necessary, refer each to the appropriate committee. No action will be taken on communications other than referring them to committee unless placed on the fast-track agenda.

a. Nomination of Justin Baiocchi to the office of Associate Justice.
b. Senator Intern Agreement, Keegan Murphy

7. REPORTS OF ASUN OFFICERS

The Speaker shall recognize any senior officer of the Association, including the Secretary, to offer a report on his or her official activities since the previous meeting and make any summary announcements he or she deems necessary for no longer than two minutes.

a. President of the Associated Students, Anthony Martinez
b. Vice President of the Associated Students, Nicole Flangas
c. Chief of Staff, Austin Brown
d. Director of Clubs and Organizations, Davis Florence
e. Director Event Programming, Gabrielle Lew
f. Director of Legislative Affairs, Joko Callies
g. Director of Diversity and Inclusion, Ayanna Releford
h. Director of Sustainability, Zachary Green
i. Director of Campus and Public Relations, Kristen de Guzman
j. Director of Campus Wellness, Claudia Feil
k. Attorney General, Omar Moore
l. Chief Justice, Payton Hart
m. Speaker of the Senate, Savannah Hughes

8. REPORT OF THE SENATE COMMITTEES*

The Speaker shall recognize the chairperson of each standing committee, in alphabetical order, and then each special committee, in alphabetical order, to report for no longer than five minutes on the committee's activities since the previous meeting

a. Chair, Committee on Academics-Senator Harvey
b. Chair, Committee on Budget and Finance-Senator Prempeh
c. Chair, Committee on Civic Engagement-Senator Doyle
d. Chair, Committee on Government Operations-Senator Supple
e. Chair, Committee on Public Affairs-Senator Westerman
f. Chair, Committee on University Affairs-Senator Rogers
g. Chair, Committee on Safety, Sustainability and Wellness-Senator Komanduri
h. Speaker Pro-Tempore, Senator Murphy
i. Chair, Committee on Oversight-Speaker Hughes

9. COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS*

The Speaker shall recognize in turn senators requesting the floor for a period not to exceed two minutes. The total time for Comments and Announcements before the first reading of legislation shall not exceed fifteen minutes.

10. APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT OF SENATORS AND ASUN OFFICIALS

The Senate will consider the following nominations for Association office. When the Senate has concluded its deliberations, the Senate may approve the nomination, reject the nomination, or take no action upon the nomination.

a. **The following nominations were submitted to the Speaker of the Senate on August 29th, 2019:**

   i. **NOMIATION OF JUSTIN BAIOCCHI TO THE OFFICE OF ASSOCIATE JUSTICE**
   The Senate will consider the above-named nomination to Association office. The Senate may consider the character, professional competence, physical or mental health, or other matters permissible under NRS 241.033 during consideration of this item. Under NRS 241.031, the meeting may not be closed. When the Senate has concluded its deliberations, they may approve the nomination, reject the nomination, or take no action.

11. VETO MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

The Senate may reconsider acts vetoed by the ASUN President if they are returned by the President with his objections.

There are no veto messages at this time.

12. CONSENT AGENDA

The Speaker shall sequentially proceed through such acts of legislation that have been previously been placed on the consent agenda. Such acts shall be considered adopted by consent, unless a single senator rises in objection thereto. All acts so objected are immediately placed on the end of the agenda for second reading.

There was no legislation filed for the Consent Agenda.

13. FIRST READING OF LEGISLATION

The following bills and resolutions will receive their first reading and may be considered under item 16 of this agenda:

14. MOTIONS TO FAST-TRACK LEGISLATION

A senator may move that legislation under item 16 of this agenda be considered at this meeting. Such a motion shall only be in order provided that a one-day notice has been given to the speaker. The motion shall be decided without debate, and shall require the consent of a two-thirds majority of the senate.

For further detail on each of the listed action items please see the support documents posted with this agenda. All Action items may consist of legislation and supporting material for each respective action item.

15. REFERRALS TO COMMITTEE

The Speaker shall refer all legislation read the first time and not fast tracked to committee.

There is no legislation to be considered for referral at this time.

16. SECOND READING OF LEGISLATION

The following bills and resolutions will receive their second reading and may be considered:

17. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

a. Senator Reports
The Senate will share progress they have made in ASUN-related activities that they have been working on.

b. Senate Committee Changes
The Senate may make changes to committee assignments by resolution.

c. Senator Intern Agreement, Keegan Murphy

18. COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS*

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19. PUBLIC COMMENT*

The Speaker may elect to take public comment on items on or off this agenda. The Speaker may impose reasonable limits on the length members of the public may speak.

20. ADJOURNMENT

Notes:

Unless otherwise marked by an asterisk, all agendized items are action items upon which the Senate may take action.

Action items may be taken out of the order to be presented at the discretion of the Chair.

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FROM: Payton Hart, Chief Justice of Judicial Council

TO: The 87th Session of the Senate of the Associated Students

DATE: August 28, 2019

RE: Nomination of Justin Baiocchi to the Office of Associate Justice

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To the Senate of the Associated Students:

I hereby nominate Justin Baiocchi to the office of Associate Justice.

Respectfully,

Payton Hart
Chief Justice of Judicial Council
The Associated Students of the University of Nevada

From: Keegan Murphy, Speaker Pro Tempore – College of Business Senator

TO: Speaker Hughes

Date: 5th August 2019

RE: 4th September 2019

Dear Speaker Hughes, I have attached the Senator/ Intern Requirement Proposal to be agreed upon and voted on by the Senators.

Fall 2019 Intern/Senator Requirements – Proposal

1. Each Senator shall spend a minimum of one hour per week or two hours every two weeks mentoring their assigned Intern.
2. This will be documented by the Senator and the Intern separately on excel files placed in Nevada Box.
3. In the unlikely situation that schedules prohibit the meeting between both parties, the Intern and Senator can meet with the Speaker Pro Tempore and Chief of Staff to discuss other options.
4. Mentoring includes taking the Intern with the Senator to outreach hours, working on legislation, assisting them with research, teaching them how to run an ASUN campaign, etc. Mentoring does **NOT** include anything that isn't directly related to Senate/ASUN. Simply spending time with an Intern does not constitute mentorship. If a Senator has to question whether something should count, they should reach out to the Speaker Pro Tempore.
5. If there are discrepancies between the times documented by the Senator and Intern, the Speaker Pro Tempore will address these on a case by case basis.

6. Failure for Senators to meet the requirements (listed above and in the S.A.S) for meeting with the Interns will result in the Speaker Pro Tempore reading this failure into the record during Senate meetings and oversight meetings.
7. Two or more failures to meet with the assigned Intern will result in collaboration between the Speaker Pro Tempore, Speaker, and Senate Secretary to administer points.

Respectfully,
Keegan Murphy
Speaker Pro Tempore – College of Business Senator
Senate of the Associated Students
Associated Students of the University of Nevada