

Committee on Academic and Student Affairs

Senate of the Associated Students of the University of Nevada 93rd Session

Agenda for Thursday, October 30th, 2025 at 5:00 pm

Frankie Sue Del Papa Conference Room on the 3rd floor of the Joe Crowley Student Union

Zoom Link:

<https://unr.zoom.us/j/88071588939?pwd=wBF68uO8g6TZBYeKSec9w0hjXMwWQi.1>

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER*

2. COMPLIANCE WITH NEVADA OPEN MEETING LAW

- a. Was the agenda posted three full working days by 9 am, not including the meeting date?
 - https://nevadaasun.com/?post_type=meeting&p=59456&preview=true
- b. Is the meeting taking place on the day of the week, month, day, year, at the time and location listed on the agenda?
- c. Is the Zoom link working and available to the public?

3. LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

“We acknowledge that the University of Nevada, Reno is situated on the traditional homelands of the Numu (Northern Paiute), Wašiw (Washoe), Newe (Western Shoshone), Nuwu (Southern Paiute) peoples. These lands continue to be a gathering place for Indigenous Peoples and we recognize their deep connections to these places. We extend our appreciation for the opportunity to live and learn on their territory.”

4. ROLL CALL*

Roll Call must be listed by the Secretary.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT (INFORMATION ONLY)

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

6. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

The Committee will discuss the minutes and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion, the Committee may choose to approve the minutes.

There are no minutes to be approved.

7. AUDIO OR MINUTES MISSING FOR PREVIOUS MEETINGS OF THIS BODY THAT DO NOT MEET 30 DAY POSTING OF NEVADA OPEN MEETING LAW

There are no minutes to be approved.

8. OLD BUSINESS(FOR POSSIBLE ACTION OR POSSIBLE CORRECTIVE ACTION)

There is no old business at this time.

9. NEW BUSINESS (INFORMATION ONLY/FOR POSSIBLE ACTION OR POSSIBLE CORRECTIVE ACTION)

- a. **S.B. 93- A Binding Resolution Addition of the Office of Digital Learning Liaison to the Committee on Academic and Student Affairs**
- b. **Liaison Adoptions and Changes**
 - **Open Liaison Positions:**
 - **Faculty Senate**
 - **University Libraries**
 - **Nevada State Undergraduate Research Journal**
 - **Academic Advising**
 - **Student Life Services**

10. SENATOR REPORTS

11. PUBLIC COMMENT

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12. ADJOURNMENT

13. NOTES

Unless otherwise marked by an asterisk, all items are action items upon which the Committee may take action. Agenda items may be considered out of order at the discretion of the Chair. The Committee may combine two or more agenda items for consideration. The Committee may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time.

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[DISCUSSION DRAFT]

93rd SESSION
2025-2026

S.B. 93 -

**A BINDING RESOLUTION ADDITION OF
THE OFFICE OF DIGITAL LEARNING
LIAISON TO THE COMMITTEE ON
ACADEMIC & STUDENT AFFAIRS**

IN THE SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS

OCTOBER 15TH, 2025

SUBMITTED TO THE SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS BY SENATOR MCANDREWS &
PARLIAMENTARIAN ISSA
COSPONSORED BY SENATOR EVENS

Whereas, the majority of undergraduate and graduate students rely on Canvas as an academic platform on a frequent and daily basis;

Whereas, WebCampus serves as an effective platform for distributing announcements, course content, and academic resources;

Whereas, updates, technical issues, and accessibility challenges within WebCampus directly affect the academic success and daily learning experience of students;

Whereas, the Associated Students of the University of Nevada recognize the efficiency and effectiveness of WebCampus in supporting student learning and communication;

Whereas, establishing an ongoing and consistent relationship with the Office of Digital Learning will provide transparency, accountability, and a stronger understanding of this essential tool on campus;

Be it resolved, the changes outlined in Addendum A be adopted into the rules of the 93rd Session of the Senate of the Associated Students

Be it further resolved that a copy of legislation be sent to the following individuals:

- Executive Director of the Office of Digital Learning, Ed Huffman
- Senior Instructional Technologist, Bowen Drewes
- Chair of the Committee on Academic & Student Affairs, Madsion Kitch;
- Director of the Center for Student Engagement, Sandra Rodriguez;
- Associate Director of Student Government, Luis Aguilar-Herrera;
- President of the Associated Students, Carmina Aglubat;
- Vice President of the Associated Students, Ethan McNamara;
- Speaker of the 93rd Senate of the Associated Students, Leaf Acklin;

Addendum A

Rule X: STANDING COMMITTEE DUTIES

a) COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC AND STUDENT AFFAIRS

The Committee on Academics and Student Affairs shall be responsible for policies regarding academic reform and University academic policy. The Committee on Academics and Student Affairs shall act as liaison to the Nevada State Undergraduate Research Journal, the Faculty Senate committee with similar jurisdiction, the office of the Provost, the office of Admissions and Records, the Associate Vice President for Student Life Services, the Vice President of Student Services, University Libraries, the Resident Hall Association, the Nevada Career Studio, Greek Life, and all academic advising and tutoring centers and the Office of Digital Learning. The Committee on Academics and Student Affairs shall also be responsible for the selection of recipients for the ASUN Transfer Student Book Fund as well as for the creation and distribution of nomination forms to students for the ASUN Faculty of the Year Award.