



ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODY

Student Senate

Meeting Agenda

Friday August 28, 2026

Location: Board Room

10:30 AM-12:00 PM PDT

Posted by :Haniyah Saeedi , Student Senate President

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Associated Student Body Senate will hold a meeting on **Friday August 28, 2026**. The location and meeting time is noted above. All Associated Student Body Senate meetings are held in locations that are wheelchair accessible. Other disability-related accommodations will be provided to persons with disabilities upon request. Persons requesting such accommodations should notify ASB Senate President **Haniyah Saeedi** at Haniyah.arcasb@gmail.com no less than two days prior to the meeting. Efforts will be made to meet requests made after such date, if possible.

Indigenous Land Use Statement

We acknowledge the land which we occupy today as the traditional home of the Nisenan, Maidu, and Miwok tribal nations. These sovereign people have been the caretakers of this land since time immemorial. Despite centuries of genocide and occupation the Nisenan, Maidu, and Miwok continue as vibrant and resilient tribes and bands, both Federally recognized and unrecognized. We take this opportunity to acknowledge the generations that have gone before as well as the present-day Nisenan, Maidu, and Miwok people.

I. Call to Order

1 minute

II. Request for Remote Participation:

0 minute

The Student Senate will consider member requests for remote participation under the provisions of [California Assembly Bill 2449](#).

III. Roll Call [Fall 2026 Student Senate Attendance Tracker](#)

Name	Position	Attendance
Haniyah Saeedi	President	☒

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Sahar Hafiz	Vice President	☒
Carlos Mondragon	Director of Finance	☒
Leta Mim-Montgomery	Director of Legislative Affairs	☒
Minos Kim	<i>Director of Communications</i>	☒
Inaya Sajid	<i>Director of Public Relations</i>	☒
Jayde Brill	<i>Director of Activities</i>	☒
Oleksii Tkachenko	Legislative Analyst	Excused
Jayden Velasquez	<i>Senate Whip</i>	☒
Demetrius Kash	Senator	☒
Luwinna Wu	Senator	☒
Anna Zalozhnykh	Senator	☒
<i>Vacant</i>	<i>Senator</i>	N/A
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IV. Adoption of the Agenda

1 minute

V. Approval of the Minutes

1 minute

VI. Chair's Message

5 minutes

School has started

First meeting since school started

E-services down, but it's back up

VII. Advisor's Message

E-Services were fixed

If you drop a class in person, you don't need to drop any classes through e-services

Deadline is Sunday to drop/pick up classes

Advisor report sent through drive/in minutes

Senate meeting next Friday, CAEB next Tuesday

Clubs starting next week

Speakers coming in next meeting

Office hours start next week, so log when/where office hours are

Advisor's last day

Big thank yous

- [Advisor Report](#)

VIII. Public Comment

5 minutes

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Deroy VP of Education: thanking the senate, also letting us know who she is and that she is here to help.

David VP of Student Services: introductions with new senate members, acknowledging technical difficulties, and any support that's needed will be given through Student Services. Financial aid coming in next Friday.

Hannah Student Life Supervisor: giving us a brief introduction of the new senate advisor. Here for our support and to push out any topics that we feel are necessary. We have a surprise for Brett.

Anna AA for pres. Office: we're going to be tired from hearing from her so much. Homecoming is coming up with the lookout for 10 student volunteers to help with the homecoming committee. If we need to reach out to President Cardoza, let her know. Senate designated times are bi-weekly from 1-2

Academic Senate: wanting to send welcome video, also for introductions.

Dr. Veronica Lopez: AS Pres.

Daniel Slutsky: AS VP

Mieke Julian: Secretary (new)

Alissa Shubb: AS Past Pres.

IX. Appointments/Swearing-In

1 minutes

This time will be reserved for the appointment and swearing-in of current members to ASB Senate and/or committees.

Aila CAEB Rep.

Mursal senator

David senator

Hosai Senator

Ayla Institutional Effectiveness board

X. Unfinished Business

0 minutes

XI. New Business

☒ **~~11.1 Classroom Visits~~ 5 minutes**

This time is reserved to discuss classroom outreach and professor outreach to share information about Student Senate with classes.

Leta Moved, Ayla seconded

☒ **~~11.2 F26-R01: Governmental Stipends Resolution~~ 10 minutes**

This time is reserved to discuss and take action on 11.2 Governmental Stipends Resolution, which allows for stipends to be provided to Student Senate and CAEB members.

Moved by Carlos, 2nd by Sahar

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<i>Hossa</i>	<i>Senator</i>	☒
<i>Ayla</i>	<i>CAEB Representative</i>	☒

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☒ **11.3 F26 R02: Student Participation on Faculty Hiring** ————— **5 minutes**
Committees Resolution —————

This time is reserved to discuss and take action on 11.3 Student Participation on Faculty Hiring Committees Resolution, supporting student participation in the faculty hiring process.

Moved by Sahar, 2nd by Jayden

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☒ **11.4 F26-07: District Meeting Mileage Reimbursement** **5 minutes**

This time is reserved to discuss and take action on bill 11.4 District Meeting Mileage Reimbursements, which allocates up to \$500 to reimburse Student Senate Executive Members for mileage when attending authorized Los Rios District meetings on behalf of ARC ASB.

Moved by Iyla, 2nd by Leta

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<i>Hosai Sarbaz</i>	<i>Senator</i>	☒
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☒ **11.5: November Bond Measure Overview** **5 minutes**

This time is reserved for an overview and discussion of the upcoming November bond measure and potential ASB involvement.

Moved by Sahar, 2nd Carlos

☒ **11.6 ASB Merchandise Survey Results**

5 minutes

This time is reserved to review the results of the ASB merchandise survey and discuss which items were selected by board members.

Moved by Sahar, 2nd by Leta

XII. Committee Reports

0 minutes

This time is reserved for committee chairs to provide the board with a brief report on the current standing of active committees.

Academic Senate meeting:

Doesn't post agenda;

Didn't see anything posted for students/faculty to attend,

Many rooms didn't have ADA compliance.

UNITE center open until 7pm temporarily**

Book store takes Barnes&Nobels giftcards

Working on charters

Possibly changing distance education charter (possibly moving more into more in person classes/testing)

XIII. Board Member Reports/Announcements

5 minutes

This time is reserved for board members to inform the board about relevant campus-wide events, and to report any pertinent committee progress/activities. A time of three (3) minutes per report shall be observed.

Sahar: Bylaw Committee starts next week (friday) biweekly in the club room 1-2pm

Testing in person very annoying, and it was inconvenient for students that attend entirely online

Luwinna: DE at ARC getting AA in SS

Carlos: excited to work with everyone

Anna: lots of meeting and events with classes being stressful

David: has done DE excited to represent the student at ARC

Hosai: first week at ARC, hardest class is Goc/Politics. Going to try their hardest to represent students well

Demetrius: go to MESA if you're a STEM major it's really beneficial.

Jayden: schools are kinda hard and change in work shift.

Anaya: Bio Major/Pre Med, stem classes and helps tutor

Leta: excited to be back and had a really fun time last year, and our board this year is very strong its going to be going well

Alya: promoting CAEB, director of comms and media relations is open so let people know. We have a join socials

Haniyah: discord to make a groupchat

XIV. SSCCC & Region 2 Updates

3 minutes

This time is reserved for appointed board members, members of the Student Senate of California Community Colleges (SSCCC) to provide updates about state and regional initiatives.

n/a

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XVI. Adjournment

11:54 am

Haniyah Saeedi **ASB Senate President**

Jaskirat Kaur **Advisor**

