St. Cloud State University

Student Government Meeting Minutes

Thursday, September 4, 2025

1) Opening of Meeting

- a) Call to order at 5:06 p.m.
- b) Pledge of Alliance: Conducted
- c) First roll call
 - President Das
 - Vice President Joshi
 - Executive Assistant Monir
 - Chief Justice Norling
 - Chair Loidolt
 - Chair Ghimire
 - Chair Alduri
 - Chair Srikanta
 - Chair Cenolli
 - Chair Burnell
 - Senator Hossain
 - Senator Isingizwe
 - Senator Bhandari
 - Senator Nwankwo
 - Senator Osman
 - Senator Lundblad
 - Senator Dahlberg
- d) Approval of today's agenda: Approved

2) Hearings

- a) Open Gallery
 - i) **Guest Speaker**: Chancellor of Minnesota State System: Regarding search for new University President.
 - (1) Asked board members for comments and expectations for the new president.
 - (2) Comments provided by: Chair Alduri, Senator Osman, Senator Isingizwe, Senator Loidolt, Senator Hossain, Senator Dahlberg, Senator Bhandari, Senator Lundblad, and President Das.
 - (3) The Chancellor's assistant documented all feedback.

- ii) Guest Speaker: President Dietz
 - (1) Commented, shared opinions, and encouraged the Senate regarding their opinion about the new president search
- b) Internal Elections: Scheduled for next week

3) Officer Reports

- a) President
 - i) Meetings with Constitution Committee regarding training
- b) Vice President
 - i) Meetings with Constitution Committee regarding training
- c) Chief Justice No report
- d) Executive Assistant
 - i) Meeting with Missy regarding placecards & badges.
 - ii) Update on the husky howler & reminder that committee reports are due every week by Wednesday at 5 p.m. sharp via Teams. If your committee has no updates, please still let me know.

4) Committee Reports

- a) Motion raised by Senator Isingizwe to skip committee reports except constitution committee & approved.
- b) Constitution Committee
 - i) Reported on upcoming **mandatory senator training sessions** for all members of the 2025–2026 Cabinet.
 - (1) Training will be held in the Student Government Office (AMC 139) from **September 8–17, 2025**, 5 7 p.m.
 - (2) No sessions will be held on September 13 (Saturday) or September 14 (Sunday).
 - (3) Each senator is required to attend one session within this timeframe.
 - (4) Attendance is **mandatory** to ensure readiness for office responsibilities and will also count toward senators' office hours

5) Last Call for Business

- a) **Update from Joshua (6:03 p.m.)**: Regarding monitoring timesheets.
 - i) President Das commented & requested a follow-up. Senator Osman provided input, Vice President Joshi commented, Senator Isingizwe commented, Senator Dahlberg commented & requested a follow-up.
- b) Motion Approved: To recognize Student United Vice Chair Javelia (6:25 p.m.).
 - i) Student United Campus Visit at St. Cloud State University: September 25, 2025
 - ii) Advocacy Conference: November (Date to be notified later)
 - iii) Minnesota Supreme Court Justice Sarah Hennesy Visit: September 16, 2025 at Voyageurs

6) Closing of Meeting

- a) New Business: None
- b) Open Statement: Presented
- c) Last Roll Call
 - President Das
 - Vice President Joshi
 - Executive Assistant Monir
 - Chief Justice Norling
 - Chair Loidolt
 - Chair Ghimire
 - Chair Alduri
 - Chair Srikanta
 - Chair Cenolli
 - Chair Burnell
 - Senator Hossain
 - Senator Isingizwe
 - Senator Bhandari
 - Senator Nwankwo
 - Senator Osman
 - Senator Lundblad
 - Senator Dahlberg
- d) Adjournment Adjourned at 6:41 p.m.