



Florida A&M University
49th Student Senate | Spring Academic Term
Third Session Agenda
January 22nd, 2020

A. Call to Order

(i) Senate President Miller calls this meeting to order at 6:21 p.m.

B. Moment of Dedication

(ii) Chairman Jean-Baptiste leads moment of dedication.

C. Alma Mater/Pledge of Allegiance

D. Roll Call/Verification of Quorum

<i>Senators</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
Maurisa Greene		X	
Zachery Bell	X		
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe	X		
Artise Lewis	X		
Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Marcus Thomas	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin		X	
Juwares Jackson		X	
Lukens Rivil		X	
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts	X		
Maurice Gilbert		X	
Kennedy Jones		X	

DeAundr'e Newsome		X	
Israel Chipman		X	
Theresa Jean-Louis		X	
Dominique Alexis		X	
Taylor Hall		X	
Courtlyn Patrick		X	
Calvin Sykes		X	
Corrie Watt			
Joshua Clements		X	
Shanel Brown	X		
Kayla Braggs	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Marcus Thomas	X		
***Carrington Whigham		X	
Andy Jean-Baptiste		X	
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Christopher Miller	X		
Total	18 Present	16 Absent	0 Excused

E. Approval of Agenda/Minutes

(iii) Senator Watt moved to confirm Alexys Lynn as SGA Vice President.

(iv) Senator Watt moved to add Alexis Ethridge under N. Confirmations subpoint D.

(v) Senator Lewis moved to add SAB20SP-002 FAMU IEEE BEYA Conference under New Business point H.

(vi) Pro-Tempore Mitchell moved to add SB19FA-003 FAMU Niche

(vii) Roll call vote

<i>Senators</i>	<i>For</i>	<i>Against</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
Maurisa Greene			
Zachery Bell	X		
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe	X		
Artise Lewis	X		
Lawrencia Palmer	X		

Marcus Thomas	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin			
Juwares Jackson			
Lukens Rivil			
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts	X		
Kayla Braggs	X		
Maurice Gilbert			
Kennedy Jones			
DeAundr'e Newsome			
Israel Chipman			
Theresa Jean-Louis			
Dominique Alexis	X		
Taylor Hall			
Courtlyn Patrick	X		
Calvin Sykes			
Joshua Clements			
Shanel Brown	X		
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste			
Corrie Watt	X		
Christopher Miller			
Total	20 Present	Against	Abstain

F. Introduction of Guests/Speakers

G. Announcements/Committee Reports

A. Internal Development and Select Committee

a. There are no reports.

B. Activity and Service Fee Liaison

b. There are no reports.

C. Student Relations Committee

c. they met via conference call, are discussing events for the upcoming month, ready for our first travel Senate Meeting next Monday, January 27th at 6pm in the Village Game Day Room.

D. Organization and Finance Committee

c. Budget Application is closing on Friday so contact your agencies and inform them and Budget Hearings will begin next week.

E. Elections and Appointments Committee

c. They are done planning the Election Watch Night Service, the senior senator was unable to make it this evening so they will be up for confirmation on next Monday.

F. Judicial and Rules Committee

d. confirmed Traffic Court Chief Justice, up on the senate floor this evening.

G. Senate Executive Committee

d. Now that there is a new pro-tempore there will be a new day and time for their meeting.

H. Branch Head Report

e. Senate Pro- Tempore is now Zoe Mitchell, photos have been moved to either Friday or at next week's meeting.

H. Executive/Judicial Branch Reports

- (ii) Applications for the solicitor general, traffic court, and secretary of Academic Affairs are scheduled to close on Saturday, January 25th, 2020.
- (iii) FAMU Day at the capitol is February 6th, Interest meeting for the student body was Tuesday. Director of Student lobbying left out the presentation on legislation to be aware and of the logistics of student lobbying.
- (iv) FAMU got heart, hosted by the surgeon general, and will be replacing the Pink Carnival.

I. February 14th, 2020 from 3-5 p.m. pm the Quad.

(v) SGA Alumini Gala will be March 26th, 7pm in the grand ballroom, hosted by the Department of State, Former SGA Presidents and Branch Heads.

(vi) Conduct Review Committee, this committee will help review and make recommendations to the code of conduct, due process, rights and responsibilities.

(vii) Board of Governor Meeting

I. January 29th-30th t Florida State University.

(viii) Rochard is flying to Ft. Meyers this weekend for the FSA.

I. Campus Activities Board Report

(ix) There is no report.

J. Lobbying & Speakers Forum

(x) Senator Watt and Kiara Weir came to speak about Be Out Day happening March 28th following Spring Preview and Game. There will be a kids zone, adult entertainment in the form of Wipeout Games, food, drinks, and fun. Free event, have not sent out any scholarship letters, will need approximately \$20,000.

(xi) Senate President Miller and Ms. Kolston to speak about Metamorphosis and the Black History Month Concert.

(xii) 40,000 dollars will remain in the Legislative Branch for the Senate President Metamorphosis Event, 60,000 dollars will go back to unallocated.

(xiii) Chairwoman Brown moved to keep \$40,000 in the Legislative account and move \$60,000 back to Senate Unallocated.

2) Senators	<i>For</i>	<i>Against</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
Maurisa Greene	X		
Zachery Bell		x	
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe	X		
Artise Lewis	X		

Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Marcus Thomas	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin	x		
Juwares Jackson		X	
Lukens Rivil		X	
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts	X		
Kayla Braggs	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones		X	
DeAundr'e Newsome		X	
Israel Chipman		X	
Theresa Jean-Louis		X	
Dominique Alexis	X		
Taylor Hall		x	
Courtlyn Patrick	X		
Calvin Sykes		X	
Joshua Clements		x	
Shanel Brown	x		
Zoe Mitchell	x		
Dominique X. McClinton	x		
Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste			x
Corrie Watt			
Christopher Miller	x		
Total	19 For	0 Against	Abstain

- (i) The motion passes.
- (ii) Mr. Victor Crispin, Jr. – Keep up the good work and pay more attention to Robert’s Rules of Order.
- (iii) Senator Thomas moved to wave Rule 2.02 subsection D – neighs have it. Senator Gilbert moved Rule 4.5 with a time limit of the day immediately following Spring elections.

<i>Senators</i>	<i>For</i>	<i>Against</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
Maurisa Greene			
Zachery Bell	X		
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe	X		
Artise Lewis	X		
Lawrencia Palmer	X		

Marcus Thomas	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin			
Juwares Jackson			
Lukens Rivil			
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts	X		
Kayla Braggs	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones			
DeAundr'e Newsome			
Israel Chipman			
Theresa Jean-Louis			
Dominique Alexis	X		
Taylor Hall			
Courtlyn Patrick	X		
Calvin Sykes			
Joshua Clements			
Shanel Brown	X		
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste			
Corrie Watt	X		
Christopher Miller			
Total	19 For	0 Against	0 Abstain

(iv) Motion passes.

K. A&S Agency Reports

(i) There are none.

L. University Liaison Reports

(ii) There are none.

M. Second Roll Call

<i>Senators</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
Maurisa Greene	X		
Zachery Bell		x	
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe	X		
Artise Lewis	X		

Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Marcus Thomas	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney		X	
Bria Calvin	X		
Juwares Jackson		X	
Lukens Rivil		X	
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts	X		
Kayla Braggs	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones		X	
DeAundr'e Newsome		X	
Israel Chipman		X	
Theresa Jean-Louis		X	
Dominique Alexis	X		
Taylor Hall		x	
Courtlyn Patrick	X		
Calvin Sykes		X	
Joshua Clements		x	
Shanel Brown	X		
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste	X		x
Corrie Watt			
Christopher Miller	X		
Total	21 For	0 Against	Abstain

N. Confirmation(s)

A. Alexis Ethridge- Chief Justice of the Traffic Court

<i>O. Senators</i>	<i>For</i>	<i>Against</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
Maurisa Greene	X		
Zachery Bell			
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe	X		
Artise Lewis	X		
Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Marcus Thomas	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		

Bria Calvin	X		
Juwares Jackson			
Lukens Rivil			
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts	X		
Kayla Braggs	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones	X		
DeAundr'e Newsome			
Israel Chipman			
Theresa Jean-Louis			
Dominique Alexis			
Taylor Hall			
Courtlyn Patrick	X		
Calvin Sykes			
Joshua Clements	X		
Shanel Brown	X		
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste			X
Corrie Watt	X		
Christopher Miller			
Total	22 For	0 Against	1 Abstain

a. Alexis Etheridge passes confirmation.

A. Shanaacee Wilson- Appointed Secretary of Student Welfare

<i>Senators</i>	<i>For</i>	<i>Against</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
Maurisa Greene	X		
Zachery Bell			
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe	X		
Artise Lewis			
Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin	X		
Juwares Jackson			
Lukens Rivil			
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		

Kyra Watts	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones	X		
DeAundr'e Newsome			
Israel Chipman			
Theresa Jean-Louis			
Dominique Alexis			
Taylor Hall			
Courtlyn Patrick			
Calvin Sykes	X		
Corrie Watt	X		
Joshua Clements			
Shanel Brown			
Kayla Braggs	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Marcus Thomas	X		
* ** Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste	X		
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Christopher Miller			
Total	20 For	0 Against	Abstain

b. Shanaacee Wilson passes confirmation.

B. Melinda Honoroe- Appointed Chief of Staff

<i>P. Senators</i>	<i>For</i>	<i>Against</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
Maurisa Greene	X		
Zachery Bell			
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe			
Artise Lewis	X		
Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Marcus Thomas	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin	X		
Juwares Jackson			
Lukens Rivil			
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones	X		
DeAundr'e Newsome			
Israel Chipman			

Theresa Jean-Louis			
Dominique Alexis	X		
Taylor Hall			
Courtlyn Patrick			
Calvin Sykes	X		
Corrie Watt	X		
Joshua Clements	X		
Shanel Brown	X		
Kayla Braggs	X		
Dominique X. McClinton			
Marcus Thomas			
* * * Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste	X		
Zoe Mitchell			
Christopher Miller			
Total	21 For	0 Against	Abstain

c. Melinda Honore passes confirmation.

A. Kiara Weir- Appointed Deputy Chief of Staff

- a. What positions and or experiences have you had to better equip you for this position?
 - i. My experience serving in leadership roles with FAMU Elite Dance Squad
 - ii. And my position as deputy of community service.
- b. What ideas do you have planned to fulfill your duties?
 - i. Maintain and keep everyone accountable for their events and make sure they are smooth and successful.
- c. Chairman McClinton asks where do you feel that your goals can help to push the platform forward to reach your goals?
 - i. Initially, we have meetings with POA's and they can always come see me, I am never not available.
- d. What do you plan to bring to show your leadership?
 - i. There has a been a motion to accept ms ware and by pass the

a) Roll Call Vote

<i>Senators</i>	<i>For</i>	<i>Against</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
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Maurisa Greene	X		
Zachery Bell	X		
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe	X		
Artise Lewis	X		
Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Marcus Thomas	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin			
Juwares Jackson			
Lukens Rivil			
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts	X		
Kayla Braggs	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones	X		
DeAundr'e Newsome			
Israel Chipman			
Theresa Jean-Louis			
Dominique Alexis	X		
Taylor Hall			
Courtlyn Patrick			
Calvin Sykes	X		
Joshua Clements	X		
Shanel Brown	X		
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste	X		
Corrie Watt	X		
Christopher Miller			
Total	24 For	Against	0 Abstain

a. Ms. Ware passes.

B. There has been a motion to move all special allocations up. The ayes have it.

Q. Unfinished Business

A. SR20SP-003- Excessive Force

b. There is a motion to accept this piece of legislation. The ayes

have it.

<i>Senators</i>	<i>For</i>	<i>Against</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
Maurisa Greene	X		
Zachery Bell	X		
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe			
Artise Lewis			
Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Marcus Thomas			
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin			
Juwares Jackson	X		
Lukens Rivil			
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts			
Kayla Braggs	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones	X		
DeAundr'e Newsome			
Israel Chipman			
Theresa Jean-Louis			
Dominique Alexis	X		
Taylor Hall			
Courtlyn Patrick			
Calvin Sykes	X		
Joshua Clements	X		
Shanel Brown	X		
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste			
Corrie Watt	X		
Christopher Miller			
Total	20 For	Against	Abstain

2. The resolution passes.

B. SR20SP-004- FAMU-FSU College of Engineering

a. This resolution is on second reading.

b. It has been properly moved and seconded to accept this piece

of legislation.

c. Roll call vote

<i>Senators</i>	<i>For</i>	<i>Against</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
Maurisa Greene	X		
Zachery Bell	X		
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe			
Artise Lewis			
Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Marcus Thomas			
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin			
Juwares Jackson	X		
Lukens Rivil			
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts			
Kayla Braggs	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones	X		
DeAundr'e Newsome			
Israel Chipman			
Theresa Jean-Louis			
Dominique Alexis	X		
Taylor Hall			
Courtlyn Patrick			
Calvin Sykes	X		
Joshua Clements	X		
Shanel Brown	X		
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste			
Corrie Watt	X		
Christopher Miller			
Total	20 For	Against	Abstain

d. The resolution passes.

R. New Business

A. SAB20SP-001- FAMU Jazz Ensemble

e. This bill is on first reading.

f. The amount being requested is (\$6,444.00)

B. SAB20SP-002- FAMU IEEE to BEYA Conference

g. This bill is on first reading.

h. The amount being requested is (\$10,000)

C. SAB20SP-003- NICHE

i. This is on first reading.

j. The amount being requested is (\$8,826,94)

D. SB20SP-001- Pro-Tempore Succession Plan

k. This is on first reading.

E. SR20SP-005- Voting is a Right

l. This resolution is on first reading.

F. Spring 2020 Point System

m. This is on first reading.

n. This resolution is on first reading.

o. Senator Gilbert makes a recommendation to strike candidate and or representative leading voters to the poll. The naves have it.

p. Senator Walter moves to accept this provisional point system. The ayes have it.

G. Spring 2020 Bill of Rights

q. This is on first reading.

r. There is a motion to approve to this piece of legislation. The ayes have it.

H. Spring 2020 Election Dates

- s. February 3rd-5th Declaration of candidacy.
- t. February 9th- candidates meeting
- u. February 10th- 18th dead days.
- v. February 19th-25th campaign days.
- w. February 25th- election day.
- x. February 27th- run off day.
- y. There is a motion to approve these dates. The ayes have it.

I. SR20SP-004- Online Voting Referendum

- z. This is on first reading.

S. Senate Secretary Report

A. Attendance Violations

Senator Burns- $\frac{1}{4}$

Senator McKinney $\frac{1}{4}$

Senator Patrick- $\frac{1}{4}$

Senator Sykes $\frac{1}{4}$

Senator Thomas- $\frac{1}{4}$

Senator- Jackson $\frac{1}{4}$

Senator Chipman- $\frac{1}{4}$

Senator Patrick and Senator Sykes have accumulated 2 points between missed committee meetings, and missed rolls calls in senate meetings. If there are any questions please refer them to Judicial Rules and Committee Chair and, Senate President Miller.

B. Legislation Report

aa. No new bills have been signed.

T. Open Forum (2 Minutes)

U. Final Roll Call

<i>Senators</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
Maurisa Greene	X		
Zachery Bell	X		
Makira Burns	X		
Ahmadou Kebe			
Artise Lewis			
Lawrencia Palmer	X		
Marcus Thomas			
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Amon-Turner McKinney	X		
Bria Calvin			
Juwares Jackson	X		
Lukens Rivil			
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	X		
Kyra Watts			
Kayla Braggs	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Kennedy Jones	X		
DeAundr'e Newsome			
Israel Chipman			
Theresa Jean-Louis			
Dominique Alexis	X		
Taylor Hall			
Courtlyn Patrick			
Calvin Sykes	X		
Joshua Clements	X		
Shanel Brown	X		
Zoe Mitchell	X		
Dominique X. McClinton	X		
Carrington Whigham			
Andy Jean-Baptiste	X		
Corrie Watt	X		
Christopher Miller	X		
Total	22 Present	Abstain	Excused

V. Adjournment

(ii) Senate President Miller adjourns this meeting at 11:01 p.m.