



# CYPRESS COLLEGE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS REGULAR MEETING



September 8, 2025 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.  
Agenda

**Meeting Location:** SLL/VRC Conference Room (Building 8, Room 150)

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Associated Students of Cypress College will meet, commencing on August 28, 2023. The start time is approximate. Pursuant to the Government Code Section 54955 and 54954.2(b) (3), the council may adjourn, reconvene, and re-adjourn from time to time, as may be necessary to transact the business of the Council. Those wishing to address the Council shall be present during public forum and express their concern. For further information, please contact Student Life and Leadership via email at: [StudentLife@CypressCollege.edu](mailto:StudentLife@CypressCollege.edu).

## **Cypress College Associated Students Council**

President _____	Angel Hernandez
Executive Vice President _____	Samantha Sweiss
Student Trustee _____	Zachary Colinco.
Vice President of Internal & External Affairs _____	Sania Usmani
Vice President of Student Organizations _____	Alfa Anan Madhu
Vice President of Campus Activities _____	Sundehi Hassan
Vice President of Fiscal Affairs _____	Ayesha Arif
Vice President of Public Relations _____	Yessenia Oseguera
Executive Secretary _____	Pending
Activities Coordinator _____	Adeline Yoo
Activities Coordinator _____	Rahma Fares
Activities Coordinator _____	Madelyn Young
Activities Coordinator _____	Claire Jung
Activities Coordinator _____	Alika Joshi
Activities Coordinator _____	Connor Foley
Senator _____	Gianna Garza
Senator _____	Alec Gibson
Senator _____	Helen
Senator _____	Jules Kim
Senator _____	Ward Alkeelany
Senator _____	David Su
Senator _____	Ian Dumatol
Advisor _____	David Okawa
Co-Advisor _____	Joseph Shonkwiler

## **I. PRELIMINARY ITEMS**

### **(1.1) Call to Order, Roll Call, and Establishment of Quorum**

**(1.2) Adoption of Agenda**

Adoption of Agenda for September 8th, 2025

**(1.3) Review of Minutes**

Approval of Minutes for August 25th, 2025

**II. PUBLIC FORUM**

This time is reserved for members of the public to address the AS Council on issues not already appearing on the agenda. A limit of five minutes per speaker and fifteen minutes per topic shall be observed.

**III. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

N/A

**IV. NEW BUSINESS**

**(4.1) CCAS Council Member Swear-Ins**

Council members will swear-in for the 2025-2026 academic year.

Executive Secretary: Connor Foley

Senators: Alika Joshi, Claire Jung

**(4.2) Introduction of Cypress College President Dr. Thayer and commentary**

Dr. Thayer will introduce himself and open discussion to address various items.

**(4.3) Cypress college governance-student representative appointments**

Students will be appointed into individual committees

**(4.4) Philosophy Club Funding**

The Council will approve a club grant to not exceed \$400 for the Philosophy Club

**(4.5) Art Visionary Club Funding**

The Council will approve a club grant to not exceed \$400 for the Art Visionary Club

**(4.6) Spanish Club Funding**

The Council will approve a club grant to not exceed \$400 for the Spanish Club

**(4.7) Chinese Culture Club**

The Council will approve a club grant to not exceed \$400 for the Chinese Club

**(4.8) Muslim Student Association**

The Council will approve a club grant to not exceed \$400 for the Muslim Student Association

**(4.9) Biology Club**

The Council will approve a club grant to not exceed \$400 for the Muslim Student Association

**V. EVENT RECAP**

(5.1) N/A

## VI. GOVERNANCE REPORTS

### Shared Governance Committees

(6.1) Accreditation Steering Committee		D. Su
(6.2) Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee		Ward Alkeelany
(6.3) Planning and Budgeting Committee		J. Kim
(6.4) President Advisory Cabinet		
(6.5) Professional Development Committee		
(6.6) Safety Committee		S. Hassan

### Representative Bodies

(6.7) Academic Senate		G. Garza
(6.8) Curriculum Committee		A. Anan

### Campus Committees

(6.9) Guided Pathways Committee		S. Sweiss
(6.10) Student Equity and Achievement Committee		D. Su
(6.11) Technology Committee		I. Dumatol
(6.12) Distance Education Committee		H. Vu

### Workgroups and Taskforces

(6.13) Sustainability Committee		A. Anan
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### Associated Students Internal Committees

(6.14) Events Committee (Activities Coordinators)		S. Hassan
(6.15) Student Affairs Committee (Senators)		S. Usami
(6.16) Inter-Club Council		A. Anan
(6.17) Civic Discourse Committee		Connor Foley
(6.18) Public Relations Committee		Y. Oseguera
(6.19) Mental Health Committee		S. Hassan
(6.20) Campus Garden Committee		G. Garza

(6.21) Civic Engagement		Claire Jung
(6.22) Student Representation Committee		A. Anan
<b><u>Student Representative Affairs</u></b>		
(6.23) Region VIII Executive Board		S. Usmani
(6.24) Delegate Assembly		S. Usmani

**VII. ADVISOR AND EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORTS**

- (7.1) David Okawa, Advisor
- (7.2) Joseph Shonkwiler, Co-Advisor
- (7.3) Pending, Executive Secretary
- (7.4) Yessenia Oseguera, Vice President of Public Relations
- (7.5) Ayesha Arif, Vice President of Fiscal Affairs
- (7.6) Sundehi Hassa, Vice President of Campus Activities
- (7.7) Alfa Madhu, Vice President of Student Organizations
- (7.8) Sania Usmani President of Internal & External Affairs
- (7.9) Zachary Colinco, Student Trustee
- (7.10) Samantha Sweiss, Executive Vice President
- (7.11) Angel Hernandez, President

**VIII. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(8.1) N/A		A. Hernandez
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**IX. ADJOURNMENT**

**Agenda Reviewed and Approved by:**

Angel Hernandez, President

David Okawa, Advisor