



APSA General Council Meeting
Jan 27th @4:00pm, ECHA 2-430

1. Call to order (4:04 PM)
2. Roll call (2 min) Nathaniel, Becca, Ethan N., Max, Muhammad, Youssef, Josh, Ally, Krisha, Chase, Zach, Elise, Leo, Fiona, Eunice, Toni, Brock, Remi, Manal, Marissa, Ethan C., Jenny, Joana, Brian, Ryan, Abdiel, Ken, Racheal
3. Regrets: Brooke, Grace, Jin, Cynthia, Hala, Amy, Krupa, Allison, Bruce, Jenna, Lucia, Leena, Manjot, Naomi, Isabel, MacKenzie
4. Additions to the agenda (1 min)
Motion: To approve the agenda
First: Krisha, Second: Ethan N.
5. Minutes of the last meeting (1 min)
Motion: To approve the [previous meeting minutes](#)
First: Zach, Second: Chase

New Business:

6. HSSA Basketball Tournament [Youssef] (3 mins)
 - a. Description: Interdisciplinary basketball tournament tentatively on March 20, 5 pm. More info to come next month, as HSSA is currently planning this. Any suggestions or questions from the APSA council are welcome.
 - b. Notes: In the next meeting, Youssef will hopefully have more information on the event, but at this time, he is just putting it on the council's radar.
7. PAM 2026 [Max] (5 mins)
 - a. Description: Detailing specific events this year, opportunities for volunteering, and the PAM passport. Link to the PAM [Calendar](#). Link to [attendance tool](#) for event planners
 - b. Notes: If you have any upcoming events, add them to the calendar to ensure there is no overlap. New event this year: trivia night at Deweys. Faculty will be invited; the event will run from 7-10 PM. Make sure that there is an attendance sheet when there is an event being hosted - preventing Lunch and Leaves and students getting blacklisted by companies. PAM information to

be uploaded to the APSA Google Drive. There will be a spreadsheet for people to sign up as volunteers: 3 per event. PAM passports will be made by PQ editors and sent out by reading week. Event sign-ups will be sent out weekly.

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9. APSA Office [Becca/Nathaniel] (5 mins)
 - a. Description: Organization and use of supplies in the office.
 - b. Notes: Please keep the office organized, and if you have leftover materials from events, either let someone know it is there so others can use it or give it to students to ensure the office does not fill up again. Request that supplies be labelled in the APSA office for your event and/or position to eliminate people taking the wrong products.
10. Presidential Forum [Ethan C./Nathaniel] (3 mins)
 - a. Description: Encourage your friends and classmates to attend on Friday. Questions for candidates can be submitted in advance [here](#).
 - b. Notes: Presidential Forum is upcoming this Friday. Please encourage your classmates to attend and submit questions. Ensure questions are appropriate and relevant to the candidates.
11. APSA Bear [Hala] (2 min)
 - a. Description: "Hi everyone, I wanted to first thank Elise for awarding the amazing APSA bear with me, and I am honoured that you all are able to feel the love and excitement from the first years! Thank you for sharing the bear with me, me and them have been doing everything together from class to lab to the oilers game haha (I will share photos of them with me haha later) I want to apologize that I am not here today, a class conflict unfortunately but I did want to recognize this person for all their hard work in outreach in the community and sharing the love for science and recruiting the next generation of students like us that share our curiosity! This person has been hard at work organizing and planning and always looking for volunteers and keeping this sharing of knowledge alive - always popping up on the discord and in my emails and I'm always happy to share! The bear goes too.....Muhammad Elezzabi our Community Education Director!! Keep up the amazing work and I'm so excited for the bear to hang out with you for a couple of weeks!"
12. Additions to the Agenda:
 - a. None
13. Adjournment (4:16 PM)

Motion: To adjourn
First: Ally, Second: Max