



ASI Legislative Affairs and Advocacy Committee

Meeting Agenda

Date: Wednesday, January 28, 2026

Time: 9:45-10:45 AM

Location: Alhambra Room - USU Room 305

Meeting called by: Aisha Gama, VP for External Affairs

Type of Meeting: General

Attendees: Committee Members, General Public

I. Organizational Items

A. Land Acknowledgement

With great respect, Cal State LA acknowledges the Tongva people as the traditional caretakers of Tovaangar (TOE-von-gar) - the Tongva world, including the Los Angeles Basin, South Channel Islands, San Gabriel and Pomona Valleys, and portions of Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside Counties. Cal State LA is located within these lands. As an institution located on unceded Tongva land, we pay our respects to the ancestors, elders, and our relatives/relations, past, present, and Emerging. Consistent with our values of community and diversity, we have a responsibility to acknowledge and make visible the university's relationship to Native peoples. By offering this Land Acknowledgement, we affirm Indigenous sovereignty and will work to hold Cal State LA more accountable to the needs of American Indian peoples.

B. Call to Order

C. Roll Call

D. Adoption of Agenda for Wednesday, January 28, 2026

E. Certification of the Minutes for November 19, 2025

II. Public Forum

A. This time is allotted for the public to address the council regarding items not included on the meeting agenda.

III. Discussion Items

A. CSSA CHESS Preparation

B. Building Regional Student Power with UCLA & LACCD Students

C. Expanding Civic Engagement Efforts

IV. Informational Items

V. Action Items

VI. Reports

A. Vice President for External Affairs

B. Committee Members

C. Advisors

VII. Adjournment