



Community Engagement and Outreach Meeting Minutes

Date: Wednesday, October 1, 2025
Location: Alhambra Room - USU Room 305
Type of Meeting: General

Time: 11:00am - 12:00pm
Attendees: Members, General Public, Staff

I. Organizational Items:

A. Call to order by: Ashley Bellorin, Vice President for Community Engagement @ 11:07 am

B. Roll Call

Arwa Hammad	President	Unexcused Absence
Ashley Bellorin	Vice President for Community Engagement	Present
Sophia Gamino	College of Business & Economics Rep.	Present
Diana Rangel	College of Ethnic Studies Rep.	Excused Tardy @ 11:09 am
Gennesis Nuyens	Civic Engagement Officer	Present
Yarmil Abrego	Diversity and Inclusion Officer	Present
Brian Pham	Engagement Commissioner	Present
Diego Campos	Outreach Assistant (Screaming Eagles Coordinator)	Excused Absence
Barnaby Peake	ASI Executive Director	Excused Absence
River Foskey	Program Coordinator	Present
Guests of the Gallery		

C. Adoption of the Agenda

Offered By:	Sophia Gamino	Seconded by:	Gennesis Nuyens			
Motion to approve the agenda for Wednesday, October 1, 2025 Consensus reached						
All in Favor	All	Opposed	0	Abstained	0	Motion: Passed

D. Approval of Minutes

Offered By:	Gennesis Nuyens	Seconded by:	Brian Pham			
Motion to approve the minutes for September 24, 2025						
Consensus reached						
All in Favor	All	Opposed	0	Abstained	0	Motion: Passed

- II. Public Comment:** We will now move on to Public Comment. This time is allotted for the public to bring up comments or concerns of interest to the board. Please be advised that due to a set agenda, the board will not address the items brought up at this time but will note them down for the Executive Committee's review and action. If members of the public would like to be followed up with directly, please provide your contact information through the QR code on the door or through the form provided on the ASI website meeting agenda. We will now call on members of the public in order of registration before moving on to the public.

Brian: Will be attending CSUF with a U-SU delegation to attend CSUF ASI board meeting, getting lunch with ASI Board and touring the Titan Student Union (TSU). Will update the Committee on event suggestions from CSUF visit.

Ashley: Wanted to see more students attending the CEO meeting, especially during Public Comment.

III. Informational Items

IV. Reports

A. ASI Vice President for Community Engagement

Ashley: Mentioned that she is part of a committee with VP Day on boosting engagement within the campus community. Discussed that colleges, especially UCs, are increasing acceptance rates for more students to attend. The goal is to not just make events, but to make them impactful for students. Noted that the Library is happy about getting the \$1000 for their Sounds of the Underground event.

B. ASI Engagement Commissioner

C. Committee Members

▪ College of Business & Economics Rep.

Sophia: Updated the Committee on Banned Books week; there will be a panel that is provided by the Library, wanted to see if ASI can help make chalk art before the event starts on Monday.

▪ College of Ethnic Studies Rep.

▪ Civic Engagement Officer

Genesis: Updated the Committee on the Special Election event: having difficulty on getting communication to officials, not willing to do a video for students. Diana mentioned that the non-profit organization, Hope, could assist her in getting those communications. Mentioned about the Children's Center, how modernized the facility is, and encouraged the Committee to attend.

▪ Diversity and Inclusion Officer

D. Advisors

V. Action Items

A. You Belong: Game On Funding Proposal

River: Mentioned that the event can be held in most of the Los Angeles Rooms (only A and B), contacted Athletics to see if the University Gym can be used for dodgeball, contacted Recreation to see if the U-SU gym can be utilized for an activity. \$750 will be used for the event, but the Committee could choose to not utilize the entire \$750.

Ashley: Asked what prizes can be used for the event.

River: Would depend on the Committee on what prizes are available, some movie ticket bundles could be used.

Offered By:	Gennesis Nuyens	Second By:	Sophia Gamino
Motion to approve funding for You Belong: Game On			
Consensus reached.			
All in Favor:	All	Opposed	0
Abstained	0	Motion:	Passed

B. B&D Survey Incentives Funding Proposal

River: asked for \$1500 for the prizes, half of the expenses will be paid by CSI. 50 gift cards for food, 2 parking permits, 4 gas cards, 1 U-SU game room party, 40 ASI & U-SU merch, 40 movie Regal bundles, 4 Metro U-Passes.

Offered By:	Yarmil Abrego	Second By:	Brian Pham
Motion to approve funding for B&D Survey Incentives			
Consensus reached.			
All in Favor:	All	Opposed	0
Abstained	0	Motion:	Passed

VI. Discussion Items

A. Colors of You Program Evaluation

River: Asked the Committee to table this action item due to the You Belong: Colors of You event happening after the meeting.

Offered By:	Gennesis Nuyens	Second By:	Diana Rangel			
Motion to table You Belong: Colors of You Program Evaluation for next CEO meeting Consensus reached.						
All in Favor:	All	Opposed	0	Abstained	0	Motion: Passed

B. Spring Programming Calander Brainstorming

Ashley: Reminded the Committee that spring proposals are due on October 31st.

Gennesis: Wanted to see if program proposals for Earth Day could be posted on Slack for brainstorming. She will soon be providing a document for ideas that the Committee could do.

Yarmil: Asked if program proposals could be utilized outside of campus.

River: Answered that it would depend on logistics, ASI has done events off campus in the past.

Diana: Mentioned that there is a non-profit that ASI could collab with, would include some of the student representatives from Ethnic Studies, Business and Economics, and STEM related departments on campus.

Gennesis: Mentioned that the Committee could do a fashion show on campus.

Diana: Discussed that she will be attending a meeting with her college (deans and department chairs) on ideas for events. Encouraged the committee to do the same for their respective colleges.

River: Mentioned that Gold & Iron (grad event), event would include cap decorating, games. Another event would be Eddie Fest; the event would take most of the funding for ASI.

Brian: Mentioned that the University would be doing a car show around March-April, would potentially be a Campus Day 2.0 if both events are combined. Mentioned that ASI could collaborate with the APISRC on their Lunar New Year event for an activity.

Diana: Mentioned collaboration with the BSU for a program proposal.

River: Mentioned that the Committee could send program proposals early, to get approval from ASI pro-staff.

VII. Adjournment

Offered By:	Diana Rangel	Second By:	Gennesis Nuyens			
Motion to adjourn the meeting at 11:59 am Consensus reached.						
Vote:	All	Opposed	0	Abstained	0	Motion: Passed

CERTIFICATION

Official Minutes taken for the Community Engagement and Outreach Committee of the Associated Students, Inc., Cal State Los Angeles held on October 1, 2025, in Alhambra Room - USU Room 305, University Student Union Building and were approved by consensus by the Community Engagement and Outreach Committee on Wednesday, October 8, 2025.

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