

THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY

THE COUNCIL OF COMMONWEALTH STUDENT GOVERNMENTS

NOVEMBER 4-5TH COUNCIL BOOKLET



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GENERAL AGENDA

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2022

TIME	SESSION	MEMBER	LOCATION
4:00 PM-5:30 PM	Commonwealth Fee Board Meeting	-	HUB 102
6:45 PM-7:45 PM	President's Session		HUB 233AB
8:00 PM-9:00 PM	General Council		HUB 233AB
	Call to Order/Roll Call	Vetovich/ Anan	
	Approval of the Minutes	Vetovich	
	CCSG President's Welcome	Wright	
	CFB Report	Patel	
	Board of Trustee Report	Davis	
	GPSA Report	Quinland/ Elrod	
	UPUA Report	Gangl	
	WCSGA Report	Serfass	
	Old Business	Vetovich	
	New Business	Vetovich	
	Open Forum	Vetovich	
	Adjournment	Vetovich	
9:15 PM-10:15 PM	Committee Meetings	Directors	Various Locations

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	SESSION	MEMBER	LOCATION
8:00 AM-8:45 AM	President's Session	Wright	HUB 233AB
9:00 AM-10:00 AM	General Council		HUB 233AB
	Reconvene/Call to Order	Vetovich/ Anan	
	Approval of the Agenda	Vetovich	
	Old Business	Vetovich	
	Keynote Speaker	Austin	
	Open Forum	Vetovich	
	Adjournment	Vetovich	
10:15 AM-11:15 AM	Committee Meetings	Directors	Various Locations
11:30 AM-12:30 PM	Lunch		HUB 229
11:30 AM-12:30 PM	Constitution Review Committee	DuFour	HUB 106
12:45 PM-1:30 PM	Ad-Hoc Panel	Various Speakers	HUB 233AB
1:45 PM - 2:15 PM	Networking Session	Anan	HUB 233AB
2:30 PM-3:15 PM	Committee Meetings	Directors	Various Locations
3:30 PM-4:15 PM	President's Session	Wright	HUB 233AB
4:30 PM-5:30 PM	General Council		HUB 233AB
	Reconvene/Call to Order	Vetovich/ Anan	
	Approval of the Agenda	Vetovich	
	Old Business	Vetovich	
	New Business	Vetovich	
	Open Forum	Vetovich	
	Adjournment	Vetovich	

STUDENT AFFAIRS
DIRECTOR: JACOB LEVENDOSKY
LOCATION: HUB 321

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
9:15 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Levendosky
	Introductions	
	Committee Activity	
	Recap	
	Discussion	
10:15 PM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
10:15 AM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Levendosky
	Introductions	
	Speaker Presentation	Mckenrick
	Questions	
	Discussion	
11:15 AM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
2:30 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Levendosky
	Introductions	
	Resolution Presentation	
	Resolution Appointment	
	Brainstorming	
	Discussion	
3:15 PM	Adjournment	

GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

DIRECTOR: JALIESA QUINONES

LOCATION: HUB 322

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
9:15 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Quinones
	Old Business	
	New Business	
	Expectations	
	Governmental Activity	
	Civil Discourse	
	Questions	
10:15 PM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
10:15 AM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Quinones
	Introduction to Speaker	
	Speaker Presentation	Balliet
11:15 AM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
2:30 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Quinones
	Questions	
	PSU Votes	
	Voting Committees	
	Capitol Day	
3:15 PM	Adjournment	

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS
INTEREM DIRECTOR: ERICK VETOVICH
LOCATION: HUB 325

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
9:15 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Vetovich/Cascioli
	Liaison Introductions	
	Status Updates on Resolution Task Forces	
	Open Discussion	
	Questions	
10:15 PM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
10:15 AM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Vetovich/Cascioli
	Speaker AVP	Carlson
	Questions	
11:15 AM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
2:30 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Vetovich/Cascioli
	Vote on Resolutions	
	Open Forum	
3:15 PM	Adjournment	

SUSTAINABILITY
DIRECTOR: ABEL SEASON
 LOCATION:HUB 327

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
9:15 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Season
	Introductions	
	Committee Activity	
	Open Forum	
10:15 PM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
10:15 AM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Season
	Committee Activity	
	Future Planning	
	Open Forum	
11:15 AM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
2:30 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Season
	Committee Activity	
	Climate Action at the Commonwealth Strategy	
	Resolutions	
	Open Forum	
3:15 PM	Adjournment	

EDUCATIONAL EQUITY

DIRECTOR: AMY SANCHEZ

LOCATION:HUB 330

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
9:15 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Sanchez
	Introductions	
	Share Group-Me	
	Agenda Overview	
	Introduction to Speaker	
	Committee Updates	
10:15 PM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
10:15 AM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Sanchez
	Introduction to Speaker	
	Speaker Presentation	Donaho
	Questions	
11:15 AM	Adjournment	

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2022

TIME	ITEM	MEMBER
2:30 PM	Call to Order/Roll Call	Sanchez
	Discussion	
	Kahoot	
	Resolution Discussion	
3:15 PM	Adjournment	

Featured General Council Speaker



Dr. Kelly Austin

Vice President for Commonwealth Campuses

Dr. Kelly M. Austin began serving as the Vice President for Commonwealth Campuses and Executive Chancellor of The Pennsylvania State University in January of 2022. In this role, Austin has oversight of Penn State's Commonwealth Campuses, which enroll 27,000 students where he provides leadership for the University's multiple missions of teaching, research and service across Pennsylvania and is responsible for the academic and administrative programs and operations of the Commonwealth Campuses, including strategic and facilities planning. Austin also serves as the budget executive for the Commonwealth Campuses.

Austin joined Penn State in 2012, serving as chancellor at Penn State Schuylkill until 2017. Prior to joining Penn State, Dr. Austin was vice president of finance and administration at the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown from 2008 to 2012. While at Pitt-Johnstown, he also served as vice president of student affairs and director of student union and student activities. Previously, Dr. Austin served in multiple roles working directly with students at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University in Daytona Beach, Florida.

Ad-Hoc Speaker

This Council's ad-hoc features a panel of well-informed speakers from Penn State's administration to help guide a discussion based around controversial speakers and visitors and how we, as student leaders, can be better prepared to combat the harm that they bring to our campuses. We understand and recognize the impact these events can bring to a community. Further information as to who the panelists are will be announced Friday evening during General Council.



Networking Session

As the networking session during September's Council was deemed successful - we, as an administration, are excited for you all to further get to know one another through another social event during November's council. Directed by your Speaker of the Commonwealth and Chief of Staff, this event's goal is to foster new and important relationships between your perspective commonwealth campuses in order to establish early connections to cultivate an organizational culture of unity, respect and excellence to have more successful conversations in our goals for the commonwealth.

Council Features



Presenting in Governmental Affairs....

Dr. Tim Balliet

Director of The Center for Character, Conscience, and Public Purpose at Penn State University

The Center for Character, Conscience, and Public Purpose promotes the development of ethical leadership and civic learning among Penn State's students through reflection, dialogue, and action. Grounded in Penn State's land-grant mission of preparing engaged citizens and enhancing the University's General Education learning objective of Social Responsibility and Ethical Reasoning, the Center prepares students for lives of thoughtful and committed ethical leadership in advancement of the public good and a sustainable and successful democracy.

Presenting in Educational Equity....

Dominique Donaho

Associate Director of Penn State's Office of Sexual Misconduct Prevention and Response



Donaho holds a bachelor's degree in biology and government from the University of Texas at Dallas and a Juris Doctorate from the University of Houston. She began her career in 2010 at the Salem Housing Authority in Oregon overseeing compliance of state and federally funded programs under the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. She joined Penn State in 2018 as a Title IX and Sexual Misconduct Investigator and advanced into the Associate Director role in 2022. Her office addresses reports of sexual and gender based harassment and misconduct across the University.

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Presenting in Academic Affairs....

Penny Carlson

Assistant Vice President,
Executive Director for Academic
Services and Assessment

As assistant vice president, executive director for academic services assessment, Carlson provides leadership and support for projects and initiatives that benefit students enrolled at the Commonwealth campuses. She collaborates on behalf of the campuses with colleagues in the offices of undergraduate education, undergraduate admissions, registrar, student aid, division of undergraduate studies, new student orientation, prior learning assessment, global programs, general counsel and planning and institutional research.

Carlson represents the Commonwealth Campuses on several University committees including the project LionPath steering committee, the general education assessment committee, and the plan, build, run technology initiative. She also stewards the development and implementation of the course substitution and request system for the University.

Presenting in Student Affairs....

Daniel Mckenrick

Assistant Director, Student Legal
Services



Mckenrick joined the Office of the Student Legal Services in the fall of 2014. Before joining, Mckenrick served as an Assistant District Attorney in Centre County for over three years. Handling cases from beginning to end, Mckenrick gained extensive experience in the area of criminal law. Mckenrick also served as a law clerk to the Honorable Margherita Patti Worthington in Monroe County after graduating from law school. Mckenrick is active in the legal community, serving on the Executive Committee of the Pennsylvania Bar Association (PBA) Conference of County Bar Leaders, former delegate on the PBA House of Delegates, PBA Young Lawyers Division Zone 11 Chair, Centre County Bar Association Board of Governors, and is a former President of the Centre County Bar Association.

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