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**Ithaca College Student Governance Council Meeting Agenda**  
Monday, 3/2/2026 | 7:00 P.M. in Campus Center Taughannock Falls Room

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**Call to Order-: 7:03 pm**

**Roll Call-: Rishabh Sen, Eva Horst, Asata Rothblatt, Juno Brooks, Amelia Grimshaw, Nicole Sutera, Haley Beckford, Jacqueline Thompson, Aja Jelks, Frankie Weisse, Ari Medvinsky, Margaret Gem Martinez, Oliva Adams, Abe Marron, Ty Sayahi, Aditya Valecha, Ash Beall, Ayush Sharma,**

**Absent-: Marissa Moskowitz, Jamie Sweren**

**Ithacan-: Isabella Edghill**

**Land Acknowledgement**

**Appropriations Financial Report (5 minutes)**

- **Heard their 1<sup>st</sup> budget from the waitlist-: IC Hillel for Programming**
- **Amount Allocated-: \$4,332.95**

**Approval of Minutes-: 8-0-1**

**New Business**

- **Community Session**
- **Guest Speaker**
  - **No guest speaker!**

- **Confirmations (15 minutes)**

- **Aja Jelks**, Appropriations Committee
  - 1) Has a very strong interest in improving her financial literacy
  - 2) Has experience in high school managing and allocating funds for her Robotics Club
  - 3) Would like to help to gain more experience with working on budgets and helping the committee

- **Miscellaneous**

- 1) **Bill Writing Workshop**

- Background-: This addresses what the problem is, why is the problem important, who is impacted by the problem, and whether there is any data to show that there is student in support of the initiative
- Resolution-: This addresses what your idea is for solving the issue at hand, what the logistical details for implementing the initiatives
- Bill type-specifically-: This addresses Amendments. Be as specific as possible about where in the Constitution your revisions would go. If campus partners are helping you, use their official titles)

## **Continuing Business**

- Miscellaneous (25 minutes)

- Bill 2526: 002: Student Accessibility Senator Bill

- 1) Presented the newly edited friendly amendments to improve the language of the bill

Motion to approve the bill passed-: 8-01

- Senator Reports (10 minutes)

- **Olivia Adams**, SOCC Senator

- 1) Sent an introductory email to the e-board members of SOCC affiliated orgs
- 2) Provided her constituents with a communication line via her Calendly and google calendar
- 3) Will be organizing an SOCC meeting next week Wednesday

- 4) Working on initiatives centered around Transparency with Appropriations and Textbooks access and costs for students
- **Aja Jelks**, School of Business Senator
    - 1) Met with the Dean of the Business to determine what's the best way to meet constituents and the best way to address their needs
  - **Frankie Weisse**, School of HSHP Senator
    - 1) Meeting with the Dean in April
    - 2) Working on initiatives for Admitted Students Day
    - 3) Will be doing a presentation at an event organized in partnership with the Ithaca College High School program

### **Officer Reports (10 minutes)**

- President of the Student Body
  - Met with President Cornish
  - Town Hall collaboration with the President's Cabin
  - Middle States Updates
- Vice President of Campus Affairs
  - Meeting with Ian Moore recap
- Vice President of Academic Affairs
  - Scheduling the NSTP AD-HOC meeting (if you are not among the students I have/will contact about that but are interested in going, then please teams me to let me know)
  - Will be scheduling block 4 Academic Senator 1-on-1s
  - If anyone else has anything they'd like to discuss, they are free to schedule a meeting with me as well
- Vice President of Business & Finance
  - Appropriations Handbook Presentation
- Vice President of Communications
  - Continuing out of date poster initiative

- Vice President of Residential Affairs
  - Met with Eileen Roth
  - RHA interest meeting in Six Mile Creek Room
  - Asking for questions or concerns for Eileen Roth
- Senate Chair
  - Organizational Review Committee will be starting up soon!
- Chief of Staff
  - Headshots for all members of the Senate + Committees before Spring Break 2026 for the SGC Website

Next Week's Guest Speaker-: Te-Wen Lo (Middle States Committee) and Dr. Bazile (Vice President of Student Affairs and Campus Life)

### **Open Agenda (15 minutes)**

- 1) **Ari -: AI- Ad Hoc Committee Events**
  - March 11**
  - April 9**
  - April 15**
- 2) **Rishabh**
  - Budget Deficit-: Target given to departments under student affairs and student life that involved budget cuts to resolve Ithaca College's budget deficit. This impacted the Appropriations Committee and resulted in a cut of \$20,000**
- 3) **Abe-: Green Team Meeting with Scott Doyle at the end of each month**
- 4) **Asata-: Friendship Fridays**
- 5) **Ash-: Accessible Living RLC interest form**

**Adjournment-: 8:46pm**