

Associated Students of College of the Desert

ASCOD Student Senate

Agenda for March 10, 2025

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Join the meeting in OSL Conference room
Dining Hall, 114 A or Via Zoom Meeting



<https://collegeofthedesert-edu.zoom.us/j/77202041271>

Meeting ID: 772 0204 1271

1. Organizational Items:

Call to Order:	
Roll Call:	
Approval of Agenda:	March 10, 2025
Approval of Minutes:	February 24, 2025 & March 3, 2025.

2. Public Comment:

Letters and remarks from interested students: Any member of the public who wishes to address the ASCOD Student Senate on any matter is limited to three (3) minutes. The total time for members of the public to speak on the same or similar issues shall be limited to fifteen (15) minutes. The ASCOD Student Senate welcomes your comments; however, we are unable to respond to those comments at this time.

3. Guest Speaker: None

4. Reports:

President-Kaden Olson:

Vice President-Juan Falcon:

Secretary-Evelyn Castillo:

Student Trustee-Felipe Robles:

Officer of Academic Affairs-Daisy Mendieta:

Officer of Communications-Megan Jensen:

Officer of External Affairs-Gissel Sanchez:

Officer of Fiscal Affairs-Abraham Carbajal:

Senators:

-Christopher Martinez:

-Paulina Verdugo:

-Rachel Sanchez:

-Natani Davidsen:

-Keith Prouty:

Off-site Senators:

-Jenitza Perez:

Advisors:

-Carlos Maldonado:

-Danny Torres:

5. Action Items

Consent Items: *These items are intended to be routine and non-controversial. They will be acted upon by the Student Senate at one time without discussion. Any member of the Student Senate or any COD student may request that any item be removed from this section for discussion.*

Unfinished Business:

5.1 Committee Appointments – ASCOD Student Senate will discuss and possibly take action to approve appointing members to ASCOD and COD Standing committees.

New Business:

5.2 ASCOD Offsite Campus Meeting – ASCOD Student Senate Will discuss and possibly take action to approve holding one of their regularly scheduled meetings at the COD Indio Campus for either March 24th, March 31st, or April 4th.

5.3 COD Highschool Visitation days - ASCOD Student Senate will discuss and possibly take action to approve tabling for COD’s high school visitation days occurring April 11th, April 25th, and May 2nd, 2025.

5.4 General Assembly Budget – ASCOD Student Senate will discuss and possibly take action to approve a budget not to exceed \$10,000 to attend the Student Senate for California Community Colleges General Assembly conference occurring April 4th – April 6th in Los Angeles, CA.

Club Charter: None

6. Information/Discussion Items

6.1 ASCOD Social Media Takeovers – ASCOD Student Senate will discuss their social media takeovers.

7. Committee and Taskforce Reports

ASCOD STANDING COMMITTEES

7.1 Budget and Finance: Chair: A. Carbajal Members: K. Olson, J. Falcon, K. Prouty	7.2 Executive Council: Chair: K. Olson Members: J. Falcon, F. Robles, M. Jensen, E. Castillo, D. Mendieta, G. Sanchez, A. Carbajal
7.3 Constitution and Bylaws: Chair: D. Mendieta Members: M. Jensen, K. Olson, K. Prouty, J. Falcon, A. Carbajal	7.4 Governmental Relations: Chair: G. Sanchez Members: K. Olson, C. Martinez, K. Prouty, P. Verdugo, N. Davidson
7.5 Equity and Diversity: Chair: Members: F. Robles, D. Mendieta, J. Falcon, N. Davidsen	7.6 Public Relations: Chair: M. Jensen Members: F. Robles, C. Martinez, P. Verdugo, G. Sanchez, D. Mendieta
7.7 Events: Chair: F. Robles Members: K. Olson, J. Falcon, R. Sanchez, D. Mendieta, K. Prouty, J. Perez	7.8 Elections Committee: Chair: K. Olson Members: C. Martinez, P. Verdugo, R. Sanchez, G. Sanchez, D. Mendieta

COD STANDING COMMITTEES

7.09 Academic Senate: D. Mendieta	7.10 Academic Calendar Committee: D. Mendieta
7.11 Assessment of Planning & Outcomes (APO) (CPC sub-committee): J. Falcon	7.12 Automotive Advisory Committee: K. Prouty (A. Carbajal)
7.13 Bookstore Advisory Committee: P. Verdugo, G. Sanchez	7.14 Budget Sub-Committee: A. Carbajal
7.15 Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee: C. Martinez	7.16 COD Foundation Board: J. Falcon (C. Martinez)
7.17 College Planning Council (CPC): K. Olson, F. Robles	7.18 Data Evaluation Sub-Committee: N. Davidsen
7.19 Diversity Committee: D. Mendieta	7.20 DSPS Advisory Committee: P. Verdugo
7.21 Dual Enrollment Committee:	7.22 Strong Workforce Steering: F. Robles
7.23 EOPS/CARE and Foster Youth Advisory Committee: C. Martinez	7.24 Equity Committee: F. Robles
7.25 Enrollment Management Committee: P. Verdugo	7.26 Facilities Advisory Committee: K. Olson
7.27 Faculty Development Committee: R. Sanchez (K. Prouty)	7.28 Food Services Advisory Committee: E. Castillo, G. Sanchez, J. Falcon, J. Perez
7.29 Gender and Sexual Diversity Pride Center Advisory Committee: F. Robles	7.30 Guided Pathways: R. Sanchez, D. Mendieta, J. Falcon, K. Prouty, J. Perez, N. Davidsen, C. Martinez, P. Verdugo, E. Auger
7.31 Information and Technology Systems: D. Mendieta	7.32 Matriculation/SSSP Advisory Committee: J. Falcon
7.33 Outreach/Training (CPC Sub-Committee): C. Martinez (J. Falcon)	7.34 Safety Committee: R. Sanchez

7.35 Transfer Advisory Committee: P. Verdugo	
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COD ACADEMIC SENATE COMMITTEES

7.37 Curriculum Committee: F. Robles	7.38 Educational Policies and Practices: J. Falcon
7.39 Educational Technologies and Distance Education: N. Davidsen	7.40 Outcomes and Assessment Committee: K. Olson

COD/ASCOD AD-HOC COMMITTEES

7.41 Website Redesign Steering Committee: F. Robles, C. Martinez, J. Falcon, J. Perez	7.42 District Furniture Standards Workgroup: F. Robles
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8. Communication from the floor: *This is the time provided so that any member of the ASCOD Student Senate may address any issues or concerns or bring forward information for general discussion.*

9. Adjournment: