



**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH**

**LGBTQIA+ CAMPUS CLIMATE COMMITTEE**

Friday, Sept 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025

12-1pm via Zoom

<https://csulb.zoom.us/j/82795464313>

**Minutes**

- I. **Call to Order:**
  - A. **KP calls meeting to order at 12.05**
  
- II. **Approval of Meeting Agenda:**
  - B. **Motion to Approve Minutes: Sarah 12.06 mins & 2<sup>nd</sup> Thalia, unanimously voted to approve**
  
- III. **Approval of Past Meeting Minutes from May 9th, 2025:**
  - a. **Moved by Sarah Trexler-Brandon 12.09 & 2<sup>nd</sup>, unanimously voted to approve**
  
- IV. **Introductions**
  - a. Dr. Kathryn Perkins, she/her -8 years, loves the campus climate
  - b. Ash Preston, they/them, LGBTQ Vice President and Co-Chair of DEIA
  - c. Selene Aguirre, she/her, Comm Studies Faculty/Lecturer
  - d. Thalia Campos, she/her, Edu Department

- e. Andrew Marin, ASI commissioner, transfer student
- f. Ashley Hopkins, she/they, 2<sup>nd</sup> year, Journalism and Public Relations
- g. Aurora Lechites, she/her, academic/statistics consultant
- h. Sydnie Sabbarese, she/her, ASI Senator, University Library, COMM Studies major
- i. Sarah Tresler-Brandon, she/her, Economic Development 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> semester
- j. Christian Bracho, he/him, Assoc. Professor Education
- k. Raul Pacheco, he/him, Trans & Queer, Equity HR staff
- l. Maria Sanchez Reyes, she/her, new member, Assistant Professor Romance German
- m. Fafnir Adamites, they/them, School of Art, 4<sup>th</sup> year

**V. Report (12:20 pm)**

- a. Summary provided by Dr. KP: highlighting three things: 1. HIV/AIDS Sexual Health, 2. Political Climate Response 3. Collab and Community Building
- b. Absence of Report LGBTQ+ reports, so this committee wants to keep track of them and has been doing an amazing job at that as of recent years.
- c. ASH provided comments: Trans Wellness Day, continued collab to do something similar, Lavender Grad and highlight the 20<sup>th</sup> year mark, Gender Universe- discuss and talk about color me queer, and other support/resources, and maintain focus on LGBTQ. Additionally, brought attention to LGBTQ Center CSULB website.
- d. RAUL shared 1. Bring your own lunch meetups (TQSFA) OCT 1<sup>st</sup> at the molecular science patio, 2. OCT 3<sup>rd</sup> zoom, 3. Drag Bingo Happy Hour (staff/faculty only) on OCT 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6pm in the Executive Suites on Redondo, and 4. Pride Parade and sponsored a large group, great attendance, and wants to continue
- e. KP reviewed recommendations such as report states, some are: acts of community building, and bring students into this space,
- f. Adopt Report: Thalia 12:36pm, Ash 2<sup>nd</sup> at 12:36 pm, unanimously voted to approve

**VI. Committee Officer Elections for AY 2025-2026**

- a. **KP calls for nominations for officer positions. KP explains chair duties to members.**
- C. Chair:
  - i. Christian nominated Ash, but Ash counter-nominated for Vice-Chair

ii. Raul and Thalia (potentially can Co-Chair) both interested and will be determined before/next meeting after Senate. 12:45 pm

D. Vice-Chair: Ash Preston self-nominated, unanimously voted to approve 12:49 pm

E. Recorder/Secretary: Sarah Trexler-Brandon self-nominated, unanimously voted to approve 12:50 pm

**VII. Announcements and Updates**

F. Ash announced Monday, Sept 15<sup>th</sup> Queer & Trans Welcome Week

G. October has upcoming big events! EG. Zinc making, popsicle event. Rocky horror movie, collaborations with grad center, career center, and updates to come

H. Final Goodbye by KP.

**IX. Adjournment- meeting ended at 12:57 pm**

Meetings are Held the 2nd Friday of each month from 12-1pm during the regularly scheduled semester.<sup>7</sup>