

CENTENNIAL COLLEGE STUDENT ASSOCIATION INC.

FULL BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, June 3, 2025 at 8:30 p.m. Student Centre Board Room, Progress Campus 941 Progress Avenue, Toronto, Ontario Held via Zoom videoconference

MINUTES

Present:	A. H. Shourav B. Kaur A. Almushattat H. Singh A. Siddiqua L. Routhier D. Ip Yam S. Mesrasty P. Pawar	- - - - - - - -	Interim President, Progress Campus Chair, Vice President, Morningside Campus Vice President, Morningside Campus Vice President, Downsview Centre Campus Vice President, Ashtonbee Campus Vice President, Story Arts Centre Dean of Students, Centennial College Indigenous Student Representative CCSAI CEO
Staff:	A. Adams N. Singh S. Irving	- - -	Board Governance Advisor Executive Assistant, Progress Campus Elections Coordinator
By Invitation	: Sue Robertson	-	Recording Secretary, MinuteTakers Inc.
Guest:	Dr. Neil Buddel	-	Vice President Academic and Student Affairs
Absent:	A. Ladouceur	-	Indigenous Student Representative

Motions will include the count of votes for, against and abstentions. The count will be shown as follows: (FOR – AGAINST – ABSTAINED).

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1. CALL TO ORDER

Notice having been given and there being a quorum present, B. Kaur called the meeting to order at 8:31 p.m. and presided as Chair.

2. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

B. Kaur read out the land acknowledgment statement.

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved with the following amendments:

- Appointment of the Indigenous Rep to the President Selection Committee *Removed*
- Appointment of Board Member to President Selection Committee *Removed*
- Appointment of Ex-Officio to the President Selection Committee *Removed*

On Motion by H. Singh and seconded by A. Almushattat it was: **THAT the Agenda of the Board meeting dated June 3, 2025 be approved as amended.** Motion carried (6-0-0).

4. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

No conflicts of interest were declared.

5. GOVERNANCE ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

A. Adams noted that the governance training schedule is behind and encouraged the Board to refocus on this. The floor was opened for questions: however, none came forward.

At this point, non-voting members and the minute taker were excused for the incamera session. Dr. N. Buddel joined the meeting.

6. **IN-CAMERA DISCUSSION**

6.1 **Begin In-camera Session** – The following motion was noted:

On Motion by H. Singh and seconded by A. Almushattat it was, **RESOLVED THAT the Board shall enter into an in-camera session at 8:53 p.m.** Motion carried (6-0-0).

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6.2 **Motion** – The following motion was noted:

On Motion by L. Routhier and seconded by A. Almushattat it was, **RESOLVED THAT the Interim President participate in Indigenous cultural competency training within a set timeframe prior to the Board retreat, and that upon completion, they be reinstated into their role as Vice President.** Motion failed (3-3-0).

6.3 **Close In-Camera Session** – The following motion was noted:

On Motion by L. Routhier and seconded by S. Mesrasty it was, **RESOLVED THAT the Board shall close the in-camera session at 9:56 p.m.** Motion carried (6-0-0).

The in-camera session concluded and the meeting resumed at 9:57 p.m.

7. PERMANENT PRESIDENT SELECTION COMMITTEE

(a) *Permanent President Selection Committee* – The following motion was noted:

On Motion by H. Singh and seconded by L. Routhier it was,

RESOLVED THAT the Permanent President Selection Committee be officially stricken as of June 4th and a Permanent President be appointed within 20 days as per Policy 8.11 or prior to the Board Retreat, whichever comes first; establishment of the committee will be overseen by the CEO and the Elections Coordinator. Motion carried (6-0-0).

8. IN-CAMERA DISCUSSION

8.1 **Begin In-camera Session** – The following motion was noted:

On Motion by L. Routhier and seconded by A. Almushattat it was, **RESOLVED THAT the Board shall enter into an in-camera session at 10:10 p.m.** Motion carried (5-0-1).

9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next Full Board meeting will be held on a date to be determined.

10. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was concluded at 10:10 p.m. on Motion duly made by H. Singh and seconded by A. Almushattat.

Interim President – A. H. Shourav

Executive Director/CEO – P. Pawar

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