



# Associated Students of Cuesta College Senate Agenda

Tuesday, February 25, 2025 | 2:30 pm

In Building 5400, Room 5402  
San Luis Obispo Campus Highway 1, San Luis Obispo, California

Join by Zoom from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS or Android: <https://cuesta-edu.zoom.us/j/89272246920>

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<b>Lucia Landeros</b> President/Student Trustee (Chair)	<b>Andonis Petroutsas</b> Activities Director	<b>Seth Boyer</b> Senator	<b>Roy Murphy</b> Senator
<b>Conner Rocha</b> Publicity Director	<b>Emily Jauregui</b> Clubs Director	<b>Yanelly Cardenas</b> Senator	<b>Camila Murillo</b> Senator
<b>Carson Waldram</b> Vice President	<b>Cole Eisenbrand</b> North County Director	<b>Marcella Fabre</b> Senator	<b>Tiffany Pineda</b> Senator
<b>Joseph Brocar</b> Chief Justice	<b>Andy Garcia Mora</b> Finance Director	<b>Justin Milton</b> Senator	<b>Isaac Pummill</b> Senator
			<b>Axel Reich</b> Senator

*Advisory note: The ASCC Senate maintains the right to re-order agenda items; accordingly, items may not be presented during the meeting in the order they appear below. Agenda items can be submitted using the Agenda Item Request Form.*

## Meeting 2/25/2025

Agenda Items	Time	Notes
<b>1. Call to Order</b> a)	1 min	
<b>2. Adoption of the Agenda</b> a)	1 min	
<b>3. Approval of Minutes</b> a)	1 min	
<b>4. Public Comment</b> a)	1 min	
<b>5. Unfinished Business</b> a)	0 min	
<b>6. New Business</b> a) Healthy Minds Study Survey (Director of Student Health Services, Nicole Johnson) a. ASCC will discuss and recommend 2 custom questions to add to the survey that will take place from March 3rd-March 21st. b) Cuesta Virtual Pitch Competition 2025 a. ASCC will receive a presentation from Neil Higgins on the first Cuesta College Virtual Pitch Competition and may take action on funding NTE \$2,500 in support of the initiative. c) SAMPE Funding Proposal a. ASCC will receive a presentation from Roderick Mcleod and may take action on a funding	30 min	

<p>proposal NTE \$3,000 to attend a conference.</p> <p>d) School Spirit Funding Proposal</p> <p>a. ASCC will receive a presentation from Noah Haushalter on enhancing student engagement and bolstering school pride, resulting in increased engagement at Cuesta College sporting events (Swim, softball &amp; beach volleyball games: March-April). The proposal will include a grill, grilling tools, portable speakers and supplies for meals to incentivize student attendance NTE \$1,500.</p> <p>e) Art Club Funding Proposal</p> <p>a. ASCC will receive a presentation from Catherine Edlebeck and may take action on a funding proposal NTE \$1,200 to fund club activities.</p>		
<p><b>7. Appointment and Reports</b></p> <p>a) Standing Committees:</p> <p>1)Board of Trustees: Lucia Landeros</p> <p>2)College Council: Carson Waldram</p> <p>3)Online Education: Axel Reich</p> <p>4)Strategic Planning: Isaac Pummill</p> <p>5)Technology and Web: Marcella Fabre</p> <p>6)Enrollment Management: Conner Rocha</p> <p>7)Employee Wellness: Cole Eisenbrand</p>	15 min	

<p>8)Academic Senate: Lucia Landeros</p> <p>9)Book of the Year: Andonis Petroutsas</p> <p>10)Curriculum: Justin Milton</p> <p>11)Institutional Program Plan and Review</p> <p>12)Planning and Budget: Andy Garcia-Mora</p> <p>13)Campus Safety: Vacant</p> <p>14)Accreditation Steering: Seth Boyer</p> <p>15)Scholarship: Yanelly Cardenas</p> <p>16)Equity and Student Success: Emily Jauregui</p> <p>17)Foundation: Joseph Brocar</p> <p>b) Task Forces &amp; Other</p> <p>1)Public Arts</p> <p>i. Joey Brocar</p> <p>2)Citizens Bond Oversight</p> <p>i. Andy Garcia-Mora</p> <p>3)Educational Master Plan</p> <p>i. Tiffany Pineda</p>		
<p><b>8. Advisor Reports</b></p> <p>a) Student Equity Plan (Ongoing)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ASCC will receive an update on the Student Equity Plan and will have an opportunity to share feedback with the Advisor</li> </ul> <p>b) Educational Master Plan Feedback</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ASCC will have an opportunity to share feedback on the following questions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i) What has your experience been like as a student at Cuesta College?</li> <li>ii) What do you consider the priorities to be for</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	10 min	

	Cuesta College in the next five years?		
<b>9. Adjournment</b>		1 min	

**Next Senate Meeting: March 11, 2025**

The next scheduled ASCC meeting will be located in  
SLO Campus Building 5400 room 5402.

Zoom link: <https://cuesta-edu.zoom.us/j/89272246920>

Visit the Cuesta College [Student Life webpage](#) for information on student government, student clubs, and student resources.

### [Link to the HMS Survey](#)

Student health services are asking ***for input from ASCC on 2 areas they would like surveyed for the “custom bank” questions.*** The custom bank of questions is an opportunity for campuses to survey students with up to 10 of their own custom questions.

#### **Important Considerations:**

- Questions should be *in addition to and not duplicative* of questions already in the survey.
- It is preferred to pick questions from the HMS Bank of elective modules or custom bank since these questions are designed by researchers, but we can consider unique questions of our own.
  - I can verify if a topic or question is already included in the survey for you. Just email me: [nicole\\_johnson7@cuesta.edu](mailto:nicole_johnson7@cuesta.edu).
  - You can see all questions from the link above, but I am available to verify this information for you.

#### **Standard Modules: Every College participates in these modules**

- Demographics
- mental health Status
- mental health utilization/help seeking.

#### **Elective modules chosen: Cuesta participates in these elective modules**

- Substance Use

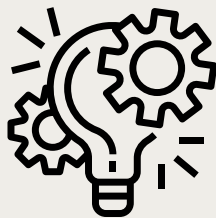
In 2022, we participated in the DEI and Persistence elective modules. Per the recommendation of the HMS staff, and to avoid survey fatigue for students, we will *not* administer these two elective modules this year, but I will use a few key questions from the modules in our custom bank so that we can compare results from 2022 to now.

**Other options:** Ideas you may be interested in considering. You can navigate to these modules from the link at the top.

- Upstanders/Bystanders
- Mental Health Climate
- Campus Basic Needs Resources Program
- Financial Stress
- Resilience and Coping
- AI and Higher Education
- Module on community college specifics
- Custom Bank of questions (check out their Bank of questions in the above pdf)



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BUSINESS IDEA, AN INNOVATION OR A SOLUTION TO  
A COMMUNITY PROBLEM

## WHY PARTICIPATE?

- **Showcase your innovative ideas**
- **Develop professional presentation skills**
- **Network with local business leaders**
- **Win CASH prizes up to \$2500**
- **Gain valuable entrepreneurial experience**

**Learn More - Join  
a Zoom Session**

2/13 @ 2:00pm

2/18 @ 10:00am

2/19 @ 5:00pm

Open to all Cuesta students and Dual Enrolled  
Highschool Students. Open to individuals or a  
team of up to 4. Winners announced Thursday  
4/17/25

For more information visit [bit.ly/cuestapitch](https://bit.ly/cuestapitch)



# **Society for the Advancement of Material and Process Engineering (SAMPE) Club Funding Proposal**

## **Club Officers:**

President: Roderick McLeod

Vice President: Hari Rajah

Treasurer: Luke Butzow

## **I) Overview**

The purpose of the Cuesta SAMPE Club is to introduce undergraduate engineering students to Composites along with other advanced materials and processes. Participation in the club allows students to get hands-on experience, build their own designs, and use industry standard machinery. The SAMPE Club also gives students the opportunity to present their designs, enter competitions and meet with industry professionals in the composites manufacturing industry.

## **II) Mission Statement**

The Cuesta SAMPE Club's mission is to expose students to the field of advanced materials and composites manufacturing. We are dedicated to fostering a collaborative environment where students can develop their skills in designing, building, and testing composite materials, preparing them for impactful careers in the industry.

## **III) Needs Assessment**

The SAMPE Club needs financial assistance in order for students to travel and present their designs. We have estimated that around \$1235 is needed per student to cover flights, lodging, meals and registration for the trip to the 2025 SAMPE Conference, which is being hosted in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Since 2013, the Cuesta SAMPE Club has participated in student design competitions across the country. These competitions not only allow students to present their designs, but also meet with recruiters from leading composite manufacturing firms and network with professionals in the field. This year, our goal is to submit 5 new designs at the 2025 SAMPE Conference.

## **VI) Requested Funds**

### **lodging and transportation**

rental cars (\$800), parking(\$200) and a VRBO/AIRB&B (\$2000)

Total: \$3000

## **VII) Conclusion**

The Cuesta SAMPE Club is committed to providing students with hands-on experience, industry exposure, and opportunities to advance their engineering careers. The funding requested will enable our members to attend the 2025 SAMPE Conference, where they can showcase their work, connect with industry leaders, and gain invaluable real-world experience. We appreciate your consideration and support in helping our students achieve their academic and professional goals.

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SAMPE Budget			
Expenditures (Airbnb)	Cost Per Person for 10 ppl(\$)	Total Cost For 10 ppl(\$)	
Flight (Roundtrip)	480	4800	This is the cost for a flight out of LAX,
Gas	25	250	
LAX Overnight Parking	~20	~200	
Airbnb	200	2000	Airbnb prices with 4-8 bedrooms seem to be around \$100-300 per person per night. Prices of Airbnb rentals don't really change the further you get from downtown.
Food	310	3105	From GSA Per Diem rate, \$51.75 allowed per person on travel days and \$69 allowed for each full day in Indianapolis.
Transportation-uber	60	600	Pays for Ubers/Lyfts to the convention center and transportation from the airport to the Airbnb.
OR Transportation-rental car	~80	~800	2 Rental cars, estimated \$400 each
Event Registration	70	700	
Beam Submission	25	250	We are planning to enter 5 beams total, with the cost to register a beam at \$50.
<b>Total Cost Per Person- Uber</b>	<b>1235</b>	<b>12350</b>	
<b>Total cost per person- Rental Car</b>	<b>1305</b>	<b>13050</b>	
<b>SAMPE Total</b>		<b>\$12350-13050</b>	
<b>Total Requested</b>		<b>\$3000</b>	