

Santa Monica College Global Citizenship Committee

Meeting Minutes

Date & Time: November 6, 2025, 12:45pm – 2:05pm

Location: Student Services Building S222

Chair: Delphine Broccard, Chair

Attendees: Delphine Broccard, Pete Morris, Lauren Movius, Brandon Reilly, Sri Susilowati, Taneka Washington, Denise Kinsella, Deirdre Weaver, Catherine Weir.

I. Call to Order: 12:49pm

II. Public Comments and Announcements

- a. Delphine shared the most recent exchange of emails between her and Lizzy Moore regarding the potential donor.
- b. Denise updated the Committee about the pre-planning meeting for the Japan study abroad program and also made it known that 21 participants signed up for the upcoming Madrid study abroad program taking place this upcoming Winter Session. Additionally, she asked the Committee to assist with advertising the Polynesia study abroad program and to reach out to Heather and Lisa for class presentations.
- c. Brandon thanked the Committee for the Global Grant sponsored events during Filipino American Heritage Month.
- d. Delphine shared a video trailer for the documentary *To kill a tiger* and asked if GCC members wanted to co-sponsor the event given its global citizenship focus.
- e. Sri invited the Committee to [Global Motion World Dance Company](#) performance happening this weekend.

III. Approval of Minutes: October 9, 2025

The approval of the minutes is being postponed to the next meeting pending revisions.

IV. Standing Business

- a. Question of the day
Do you have a cute or fun Halloween story?
- b. Teach-In Recap
The Teach-In event was a success. Student representatives were able to secure funds from AS to buy food and beverages for the event and played an important role in the recruitment of speakers and attendees. In comparison to past years, this Teach-In had more participants as well as a diverse range of topics that fit the theme of “Hope in Hard Times: Moving Forward Together.”

c. Social Media Student Assistant

Delphine is planning to interview a student applicant to assist with GC social media. The Committee discussed tentative questions to ask the interviewee.

d. GCC Student Vote

The Committee had a preliminary conversation regarding whether student representatives should be allowed to vote during Committee meetings. Delphine will reach out to the Senate President, Vicenta Arrizon, to verify if there are regulations that draw parameters around a student representative's voting power.

e. GCC Logo

Marketing sent back 4 designs from the sketches created by Abel Orihu. The Committee discussed each design and proposed to incorporate the colors and wording from design 3 to design 1. Delphine will send detailed revisions to Marketing for modifications.

f. Non-SMC Student Study Abroad Cost

Due to some Paris study abroad participants not being current SMC students, the Committee discussed whether to offer two different pricing options: one for current SMC students and one for non-SMC students. For now, the current pricing planning will remain as is for future study abroad programs.

Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn: Lauren Movius. Second: Catherine Weir. Approved: Delphine Broccard, Denise Kinsella, Pete Morris, Brandon Reilly, Sri Susilowati, Taneka Washington, Deirdre Weaver. 1:49pm

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Next scheduled meeting: Thursday, November 13, 2025