

To: ASI Board of Directors

From: Caroline Tah-Espens, CSSA Liaison

Subject: Advisor Reports

Spring 2025 Office Hours:

Monday: 10 am -3 pm Tuesday: 1:30pm – 4:30 pm Wednesday: 12pm-2pm

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California State Student Association (CSSA) Plenary

The California State Student Association (CSSA) has not met yet this month. The next meeting will take place October 18–19 at CSU East Bay. I will be attending this meeting alongside the ASI President and ASI Vice President to represent our campus and advocate for student interests.

Lobby Corps

Lobb Lobby Corps recently hosted a **Student Panel** featuring a diverse group of student leaders who shared their unique experiences and insights. Our panelists included:

- Tyler Gardner, ASI Elections Officer
- Armando Perez, Former ASI Board Member
- Kadija Rhuma, Sac Semester/DC Intern
- Dylan Morgan, Intern with Asian Pacific American Public Affairs

At our September 30 meeting, we were honored to welcome **Carol Gonzalez** as a guest speaker. She provided an engaging **Lobbying 101** presentation to help our committee better understand the fundamentals of advocacy and lobbying.

Looking ahead, we are excited to host **Anh Phoong**, who will be sharing her inspiring personal journey to becoming an attorney.

We invite you to join us at our next committee meeting:

Tuesday October 14, 2025 from 4:40pm-5:30pm Folsom Room, University Union.

City Ambassadors

City Ambassadors are dedicated to advocating on behalf of students, raising awareness about issues affecting higher education, and supporting voter registration efforts at a local level.

Last semester, City Ambassadors hosted several guest speakers, including city council members, and conducted trainings on topics such as immigration rights and local government advocacy. This semester city ambassadors will be focused on voter registration and prop 50.



Office of Governmental Affairs (OGA)

My duties in the OGA office have been daily task that continue to support and supplement the work for the ASI Board of Directors. My task includes attending CSSA plenary, creating and distributing CSSA plenary reports as well as attending Lobby Corps and City Ambassadors.

Events and Calendar Items

- August 25-First Day Back to School
- September 2-Lobby Corps
- September 3-Working Board
- September 8-Tabling for Lobby Corps
- September 10-Tabling for Lobby Corps
- September 10-Board Meeting
- September 13-CSSA Plenary (virtual)
- September 15-ASI Annual Salsa Contest
- September 16-Lobby Corps
- September 18-City Ambassadors
- September 17-Working Board
- September 22- Meeting with Harbir
- September 24-Formal Board
- September 29-Students HOMES Coalition
- September 30-ASI Fall Staff Meeting
- September 30-Lobby Corps
- October 1 -Working Board
- October 2- City Ambassadors

Announcements

- Lobby Corps will be meeting Tuesday October 14, 2025 from 4:30pm-5:30pm.
- City Ambassadors will be meeting Tuesday October 16, 2025 from 4:00pm -5:00pm.

If there are any questions, comments or concerns, please reach out to the CSSA Liaison, Caroline Tah-Espens at asicsarep@csus.edu and I will get back to you with the appropriate response as soon as possible. Thank you.