



ITE Western District Student Leadership Council
by Student Funding and Initiatives Committee (SFIC)
FEBRUARY 2025 AGENDA

Meeting Date: Tuesday, February 25th, 2025

Time: 7 PM PST

Attendees: CPSLO, OSU, UH, UCR, SJSU, UCD, UCLA, UW, UCB

- I. Introductions (10)
- II. Purpose and Mission
 - A. <https://westernite.org/student-leadership-council>
- III. [Shared Google Drive](#)
- IV. Updates from SFIC (10)
 - A. Awards
 - Annual reports are due March 1st. All student chapters must submit a report, which makes you eligible for the student chapter award.
 - Momentum award submissions are due March 1st.
 - Student paper award is due March 1st.
 - The outstanding graduate student, undergraduate student, advisor and travel scholarships deadlines are coming up later in the spring. Keep a lookout in **APRIL 15th**
 - a) PDF on the website is outdated.
 - Kell Competition due in May 1st
 - All award applications to be emailed to Kayla (cc Will optional)
 - B. Events
 - Annual meeting deadline coming up soon
 - SLS host application due at the end week Feb 28th
 - C. Other

- Reminder to order graduation cords through ITE International.
- ITE International is going through a rebranding exercise. Over the next few years, logos & identifiers are likely to change (so keep that in mind if you are thinking about making a big purchase, like a banner).
- If you have had recent elections or will have elections soon, please send the SFIC your updated board's contact info. On a related note, **how many student chapters regularly use a generic chapter email address?**

V. SLS - Student Leadership Summit Recap (10)

A. UCLA sending out [feedback form](#)

B. Highlights

- Diversity of the speakers and quality of the sessions
- Great networking opportunity and quality time within ITE community
- Student chapters are experiencing booms in interest for membership and leadership involvement
- GREAT food

C. Traffic Bowl

- BRING BACK IN PERSON TRAFFIC BOWL
- Favor for a transportation fun friendly not at all super heated competition
- In person student competition timing would likely work better with SLS. especially considering populating audience student participation.

VI. Annual Meeting Student Events Feedback (10)

A. Kell Competition to shorten in time, provide time for SLC meeting

B. Open discussion time between student chapters. Potentially also allocate this time in SLS if possible.

C. Leadership workshop could've been longer.

D. Student chapter state of the chapter presentations

E. Be mindful that the general members aren't very aware of the runnings of the club. May be more beneficial to engage the leadership.

VII. Feedback on SFIC Funding (10)

A. SFIC rep to walk through the current budget, seeking feedback and suggestions on what the students see as priorities.

B. Increasing the Student Chapter reward feels like providing student chapters with resources with more resources

C. Really like the Starter Kit idea

- Would be rewarded money with some strings attached. I.e. incentives to encourage more action and engagement between the chapter and ITE
- Emphasizing with how to use the money is actually welcome and encouraged for guidance

D. Potential for SLS travel scholarship

E. New initiatives

- Be mindful of what kind of student chapters would be able to win the awards. Make sure that everyone is able to reap the awards.

VIII. Open Discussion

IX. Meeting Recap / Action Items

A. Action Items

I.



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BN

Brandon Ng, UC Davis



EC

Emilio Calderon (ITE@OSU)



Hung Nguyen

Ask to unmute



KI

Kerry, ITE at UCLA, he/him



LT

Liana Tran



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SG

Sam Gregory



SS

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