



## #6 MEETING OF COUNCIL 2025/2026 **MINUTES**

### TIME:

Part 1:  
January 21, 2026  
6:30 PM

Part 2:  
January 28, 2026  
6:30 PM

### PLACE:

Part 1: UCC 269,  
Community Room

Part 2: UCC 269,  
Community Room

### ZOOM INFO FOR OBSERVERS:

Armaan Jassal is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

**TOPIC:** USC meeting

**TIME:** 6:30 PM

Part 1: January 21, 2026 6:30 PM

Part 2: January 28, 2026, 6:30 PM

### Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://westernuniversity.zoom.us/j/94530335611>

**Meeting ID:** 945 3033 5611

**Passcode:** 137668

**Echo360 Part 1:**289478

**Echo360 Part 2:**

Echo Login Instructions:  Logging in to Echo 360

1. **Call to Order (6:40 PM)**
2. **Land Recognition**
  - a. Delivered by M. Whiteside
3. **Roll Call**
4. **Approval of Agenda (S. ABEDI/H. Gandhi/PASS)**
  - a. **Amendment:** Add LTC Draft Service Plan as For Discussion Item (Time Sensitive) (K. HENRICUS /Bowes/PASS)
5. **Approval of Minutes (H. WASTY/A. Janni/PASS)**
  - a.  20251126\_(Minutes) Meeting of Council (2 parts)
6. **Comments from the Chair**
7. **Announcements**
8. **Presentations (max 15 mins per presenter, Q&A permitted W/ debate rules applied)**
  - a. Executive Reports - K. Henricus, President
  - b.  Executive Reports - J. Ijam, VPUA



- c. Executive Reports - *O. Sayyed, VPEA*
- d. Executive Reports - *R. Whelpley, VPOP*
- e. Executive Reports - *W. Masse, VPSS*
- f. Executive Reports - *S. Ahmad, VPSE*

**9. Board of Directors Report**

- a. Delivered by *Grace Wu, Chair of the Board of Directors (max 15 mins, Q&A permitted)*

*Motion for a 5 minute Recess (7:30) A. JASSAL/B. Lovie  
Called Back to Order at 7:37 PM*

**10. For Action**

**Motion 1** (1:00:40 of the January 21, 2026 recording) - [Appendix A](#)

**Motion to Approve the January 2026 Executive Reports**

**Be it resolved that** Council accept the Executive reports for January, 2026

**K. HENRICUS/J. Khatanbaatar/PASSES**

**Motion 2** (1:02:32 of the January 21, 2026 recording) - [Appendix B](#)

**Motion to Approve Amendments to the Role of USC During Labour Dispute Policy**

**Whereas:** the USC regularly reviews its policies and procedures to ensure clarity and consistency;

**Whereas:** the Role of the USC in Labour Disputes Policy requires minor administrative updates

**Be it resolved that:** Council approve the proposed amendments to the Role of USC During Labour Dispute Policy, as presented.

**K. HENRICUS/S. Chou/PASSES**



**Motion 3 (1:04:30 of the January 21, 2026 recording) - [Appendix C](#)**

**Motion to Approve Administrative Amendments to the Executive Officers' Salaries Procedure**

**Whereas:** the USC regularly reviews its policies and procedures to ensure clarity and consistency;

**Whereas:** the Executive Officers' Salaries Procedure requires minor administrative updates;

**Be it resolved that:** Council approve the administrative amendments to the Executive Officers' Salaries Procedure as presented.

**K. HENRICUS/B. Lovie /PASSES**

**11. For Discussion**

**Motion 7 (1:07:30 of the January 21, 2026 recording) - [Appendix G](#)**

**Motion to Discuss LTC Draft 2026 Service Plan for Feedback**

Whereas the London Transit Commission has released its draft 2026 Service Plan – Conventional Transit;

Whereas USC Executives are seeking Council feedback on recommendations outlined in Staff Report #7;

Be it resolved that: USC General Council discuss the LTC Draft 2026 Service Plan to provide feedback from councillors;



Be it further resolved that: this feedback be used to inform a USC letter to the London Transit Committee meeting on January 26, 2026.

**Mover: K. Henricus/O. Bowes**

*Chairs Remarks: USC Executives seeking feedback from councilors regarding recommendation endorsements from staff report #7 - 2026 Service Plan - Conventional Transit. The feedback will be used to inform a letter of support to be advanced to the London Transit Committee Meeting on Monday January 26th, 2026.*

**12. Adjourning (8:10) - A. Jassal/D. Thompson**

**Meeting will adjourn until January 28, 2026 at 6:30 PM**

**Second Reading (January 28) - Resume (6:38 PM)**

**13. For Action**

**For Election**

**Motion 4 (00:07:50 of the January 28, 2026 recording) - [Appendix D](#)**

**Motion to Elect Delegates to the 2026 OUSA Spring General Assembly**

**Whereas** the Ontario Undergraduate Student Alliance (OUSA) is a student-led advocacy organization governed by member student associations;

**Whereas** student delegates from each institution review and approve policy papers at OUSA's General Assemblies;

**Be it resolved that** Council elect up to eight **nine (89)** student delegates to represent Western University at the OUSA Spring General Assembly 2026 in March.

**K. HENRICUS/B. Lovie/PASSES**



*Candidates: Maryam Abouelela // Brooklin Begg // Finilayomi Betiku // Aidan Bobkowicz // Daniel Cruz // Shreya Goyal // Aliya Jokhu // David Liu // Braedan Lovie // Ryan Malabanan // Rameez Mufti // Zahra Nadeem // Anaya Tawar // Kamiylah Tynes-McKenzie // Hamza Wasty // Noah Zabian*

*Successful Candidates: Brooklin Begg, Aidan Bobkowicz, Daniel Cruz, Aliya Jokhu, Braedan Lovie, Zahra Nadeem, Kamiylah Tynes-McKenzie, Noah Zabian.*

**Motion 5 (1:14:20 of the January 28, 2026 recording) - [Appendix E](#)**

**Motion to Elect One (1) Councillor to the Clubs Governance Board Hiring Committee**

**Whereas:** the Clubs Governance Board hiring process requires Council representation on the Hiring Committee; and

**Whereas:** Council participation supports transparency and accountability in student governance hiring processes;

**Be it resolved that:** Council elect one (1) Councillor to sit on the Clubs Governance Board Hiring Committee for the 2026/2027 hiring cycle.

**K. HENRICUS/M. Abedi/PASSES**

*Candidates: A. Bobkowicz*

*Successful Candidates: A. Bobkowicz*

**14. For Information**

- a. Council Composition Procedure Update Reminder - *K. Henricus*

**15. For Discussion**

**Motion 6 (1:21:07 of the January 28, 2026 recording) - [Appendix F](#)**

**Motion to Discuss: Providing USC Councillor OneCard Stickers and Recognition Discount**



**Whereas:** There is currently no standardized identification or recognition mechanism for Faculty Councillors within the University Student Council of the University of Western Ontario; and

**And Whereas:** Supporting engagement, accessibility, and sustainability in student governance is a priority of the University Student Council of the University of Western Ontario;

**Be it resolved that:** Council request that the Executive, in consultation with relevant USC operational leadership, assess the feasibility, governance considerations, and operational implications of potential non-monetary identification and recognition mechanisms for Faculty Councillors; and

**Be it further resolved that:** The feasibility review include consideration of standardized, non-monetary identification measures (such as a USC Councillor OneCard sticker model proposed); and

**Be it further resolved that:** The Executive report back to Council with findings and recommendations, including any limitations, risks, or approvals that would be required prior to implementation.

**D.SANYAOLU/M. Abedi**

16. **Questions and Comments from Western Community**
17. **New Business**
18. **Termination (insert time)**



## Appendices

### Appendix A

 Copy of Motion\_Approval of January Executive Reports\_20260121

### Appendix B

 Copy of Motion\_Approve Amendments Role of USC in Labour Disputes Policy

### Appendix C

 Copy of Motion\_Approve Amendments to Executive Officers' Salaries Procedure

### Appendix D

 Copy of Motion\_Election of Spring OUSA Delegates\_20250121

### Appendix E

 Copy of Motion\_Elect One(1) Councillor to the Clubs Governance Board Hiring Committee

### Appendix F

 Copy of Motion\_Discussion of USC Councillor OneCard Stickers and Recognition Discou...

### Appendix G

<https://www.londontransit.ca/staff-report-7-2026-service-plan-conventional-transit/>