



New College Council Meeting

2025

7:00 PM EST via Zoom

Chaired by Arkash Namasivayam

Call to Order:

I would like to call this meeting to order on Thursday August 7th at 7:06pm .

Council Members

Position	Name	Attendance
President	Giorgi Sharabidze	Present ▾
Vp Operations	Arian Forootan	Present ▾
VP Finance	Darius Rezaei	Present ▾
Director Finance	Jordan Lee	Present ▾
VP Promotions	Liam MacDonald	Present ▾
Director Promotions	Aaliyah Leganson	Proxy ▾
VP Athletics	Jason Hoang	Present ▾
Director Athletics	Daniel Fleming	Present ▾



Vp Socials	Emily Yanch	Present ▾
Director Socials	Lena Kalher	Present ▾
Vp Academics	Ebboni Blanchard	Present ▾
Vp Outreach	Noah Gawlik	Present ▾
Speaker	Arkash Namasivayam	Present ▾
Secretary	Youssef Abdel Rahman	Present ▾
CRO	Navera Siddiqui	Present ▾
YFS Rep	Michelle Omijeh	Present ▾
Orientation Chair	Nebiyu Abraha	Present ▾
Orientation Chair	Nancy lam	Present ▾

Announcement of Absentees and Proxies:

Ebboni will proxy aaliyah



Speaker Remarks

- If you wish to obtain the floor, quietly raise your hand or leave a message in the zoom chat
- To avoid constant circling of a topic at hand, I will end the discussion so we move forward to a solution or table the topic.
- Please refrain from making any side remarks, murmurs, sighs, chuckles or anything of that nature. We aim to be as professional as possible and want to get business dealt with so such behaviour must be avoided. If need be, one warning will be given, and anything after that you will be asked to leave the meeting
- Please remain seated with your camera on throughout the entire meeting unless it is an emergency.

Land Acknowledgement

New College recognizes that many Indigenous Nations have longstanding relationships with the territories upon which York University campuses are located that precede the establishment of York University. New College acknowledges its presence on the traditional territory of many Indigenous Nations. The area known as Tkaronto has been care taken by the Anishinabek Nation, the Haudenosaunee Confederacy, and the Wendat. It is now home to many First Nation, Inuit and Métis communities. We acknowledge the current treaty holders, the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation. This territory is subject of the Dish with One Spoon Wampum Belt Covenant, an agreement to peaceably share and care for the Great Lakes region.



Adoption of the Agenda

Motion Date: Aug 7th, 2025

Motion: Be it resolved that the agenda be adopted as presented

Moved by: Arian

Seconded by: Giorgi

In favour: 9

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 0

This motion has been: Passed



Minutes from Previous Meeting

Motion Date: August 7, 2025

Motion: Be it resolved that the minutes from the previous meeting be adopted as presented

Moved by: Jason

Seconded by: Arian

In favour: 10

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 0

This motion has been: Passed



Department Updates

President's Update

Planning a meeting with Alumni Engagement Officer last week of August (Will decide with Ebboni)

Updating Website (work in progress)

VP Finance Update

Interim audit done and levy received

Year end audit in progress

VP Operations Update

- Office hours form done so gonna assign those soon

- Please fill in the cleaning poll in announcements so we can come in one day to clean before frosh

- Retreat over with, thanks to everyone who helped out and I hope you had fun. its great to see such a great council for this year. thanks to everyone who drove too.

VP Social Update

Athletics Update

Promotions Update



Academics Update

Secured NCC table for YFS Festival Village (will need council members' help for this - will send a poll closer to time)

- Sent out poll today for help with the services/club fair Aug 26th (please respond ASAP)
- Ordered and picked up our NC Banner (looks great)
- Motioning for the Banner stand today (link is here https://www.amazon.ca/dp/B091KMGG3V?ref=ppx_pop_mob_ap_share)

Outreach Update

Orientation Chair Update

- Captain Training
- Leader Training set for August 15th
- Call list will be happening 11th to 15th
- me and Michelle working on Reddit

CRO Updates

First year rep

Pond rep Updates



MTL Budget

Motion Date: August 7th, 2025

Motioned by: Emily Yanch

Motion: Be it resolved that NCC spends no more than \$17,793.88 for the remainder of the Montreal trip budget.

Motivation : Money for Montreal

Moved by: Daniel

Seconded by: Liam

In favour: 8

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 0

This motion has been: Passed



Banner Stand

Motion Date: August 7th, 2025

Motioned by: Ebboni Blanchard

Motion: Be it resolved that NCC spends no more than \$70 for the NC Banner Stand for our new banner

Motivation : This is so we can use the banner

Moved by: Giorgi

Seconded by: Arian

In favour: 8

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 0

This motion has been: Passed



Google suite payment

Motion Date: August 7th, 2025

Motioned by: Giorgi Sharabidze

Motion: Be it resolved that NCC spends no more than \$136.73 on the Google suite subscription

Motivation : To keep our domains running

Moved by: Liam

Seconded by: Arian

In favour: 7

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 0

This motion has been: Passed



Adjournment

Motion Date: August 7th, 2025

Motion: Be it resolved that the meeting be adjourned at 7:24pm

Moved by: Liam

Seconded by: Nancy

In favour: 9

Opposed: 0

Abstained: 0

This motion has been: Passed