

Student Government Association Report

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Cameron Keen, Immediate Past SGA President; Ammishaddai Grand-Jean, Current SGA President

Cameron Keen, SGA President - 30th Administration

- To each of our campus partners, thank you for your continued support throughout this year. We would not have been able to advocate for students with the success that we did if it were not for your encouragement and collaboration.
- Many thanks to the members of SGA, campus partners and advisors. Because of their support, hard work and diligence, we can proudly say that our platform is complete. By improving student safety, affordability, and everyday life, we are grateful to have had the opportunity to significantly impact student life here at UGA.
- The initiatives we advocated for must be pursued long after our term in office. From caring for students affected by issues related to mental wellness and sexual assault, to improving bus routes and expanding the collegiate readership program, we are grateful that you chose to join us in putting students first in all that you do.
- As always, a tangible objective for that this group in particular can continue to work on is the effort to push for textbook affordability. Because of the work of Provost Whitten, the affordable textbooks task force, and UGA libraries, I am confident that each of you can play a role in making textbooks more affordable for our students.
- Serving as SGA President this past year has been the greatest honor of my life. Now, as our journey comes to an end, it is time for the new team to lead by serving the student body.
- The 31st Administration of SGA is led by President Ammishaddai Grand-Jean, Vice President Charlene Marsh, and Treasurer Destin Mizelle. I am confident that these individuals will lead with passion and energy as they seek to improve the entire campus with their leadership. Please join me in welcoming current President Ammishaddai Grand-Jean.

Ammishaddai Grand-Jean, SGA President - 31st Administration

- Thank you. Charlene, Destin, and I are honored and humbled to be able to lead, connect, and serve the student body this upcoming year. However, we realize that we are able to stand where we are today because of the administrations that came before us who strived to improve and sustain our beloved institution. We would like to thank Cameron, Roya, and Kal for their hard work and service to the student body and we look forward to continuing the momentum and positive relationships that they've established and fostered.
- We look forward to working with University Council and we realize that this great governing body has been instrumental in enacting positive initiatives and changes that sets our institution apart. With the help of this council we seek to pursue and enact

efficiency, transparency, and cooperation, the platform that the student body has overwhelming expressed support for, and we plan to work alongside administration and faculty and this very council towards lifting and improving our academic community.

- We realize that this great institution is a community; where each person's function is interdependent of each other. Please do not hesitate towards reaching out to Charlene, Destin, or myself if you ever need our support. We look forward to working with you all closely as we bring UGA closer together and to new heights. Thank You