

The Florida Senate  
**COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**  
APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HIGHER  
EDUCATION  
Senator Galvano, Chair  
Senator Simmons, Vice Chair

**MEETING DATE:** Wednesday, February 22, 2017  
**TIME:** 12:30—3:00 p.m.  
**PLACE:** Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

**MEMBERS:** Senator Galvano, Chair; Senator Simmons, Vice Chair; Senators Bradley, Clemens, Farmer, and Lee

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TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	Workshop - Testimony and Discussion of Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education Local Funding Requests for Fiscal year 2017-2018		Discussed

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Other Related Meeting Documents

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No Meeting  
Materials  
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2/22/17

Meeting Date

Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic EDUCATION FUNDING

Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

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Speaking:  For  Against  Information

Waive Speaking:  In Support  Against  
(The Chair will read this information into the record.)

Representing LECOM BRADENTON

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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Clemens

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Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic Boy's State + Girl's State

Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

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Speaking:  For  Against  Information

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Representing American Legion

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic Florida Atlantic University Honors College

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Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

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Speaking:  For  Against  Information

Waive Speaking:  In Support  Against  
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Representing Florida Atlantic University

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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HB 2219

Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic HB 2219 - FSU Evaluation of FL Behavioral Health

Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

Name Dr. Heather Flynn

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Zip

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Speaking:  For  Against  Information

Waive Speaking:  In Support  Against  
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Representing FSU College of Medicine

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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Meeting Date

Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic Testimony/Discussion on Appropriations Request

Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

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State

Zip

Speaking:  For  Against  Information

Waive Speaking:  In Support  Against  
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Representing Western Governors University

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic ALGEBRA NATION + MATH NATION

Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

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Speaking:  For  Against  Information

Waive Speaking:  In Support  Against (The Chair will read this information into the record.)

Representing

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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2/29/2017

Meeting Date

Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic Community Partnership Schools

Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

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State

Zip

Speaking:  For  Against  Information

Waive Speaking:  In Support  Against  
(The Chair will read this information into the record.)

Representing University of Central Florida

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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2/22/2017

Meeting Date

Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic Community Partnership Schools

Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

Name Timothy Only

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32808

Email n/a

City

State

Zip

Speaking:  For  Against  Information

Waive Speaking:  In Support  Against  
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Representing Maynard Evans Community High School

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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Meeting Date

Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic NFCC PECO Project / Higher Ed Budget

Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

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Speaking:  For  Against  Information

Waive Speaking:  In Support  Against  
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Representing North Florida Community College

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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Meeting Date

Bill Number (if applicable)

Topic Senior Meals Program

Amendment Barcode (if applicable)

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Speaking: For Against Information

Waive Speaking: In Support Against  
(The Chair will read this information into the record.)

Representing Miami Lighthouse for the Blind

Appearing at request of Chair: Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes  No

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SPEAK* *Higher* Duplicate

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*Meeting Date*

*Bill Number (if applicable)*

Topic Eastern Florida State College-CITE appropriation

*Amendment Barcode (if applicable)*

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Speaking:  For  Against  Information

Waive Speaking:  In Support  Against  
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Representing Eastern Florida State College

Appearing at request of Chair:  Yes  No

Lobbyist registered with Legislature:  Yes  No

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# CourtSmart Tag Report

Room: KN 412 Case No.:  
Caption: Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

Type:  
Judge:

Started: 2/22/2017 12:35:38 PM  
Ends: 2/22/2017 1:40:53 PM Length: 01:05:16

12:35:41 PM Call to Order - Sen. Galvano  
12:35:47 PM Roll Call  
12:36:09 PM Quorum Present  
12:36:28 PM PART 1- Sen. Galvano  
12:36:30 PM Dr. Robert George, Lake Erie College of Medicine  
12:40:06 PM Bill Helmich, American Legion Boys and Girls  
12:42:15 PM Ellen Goldey, Dean Florida Atlantic University-Wilkes Honors College  
12:45:37 PM Sen. Clemens  
12:46:32 PM E. Goldey  
12:46:44 PM Dr. Heather Flynn, Professor and Director FSU Center for Behavioral Health  
12:50:29 PM Sen. Simmons  
12:50:46 PM H. Flynn  
12:50:51 PM Sen. Farmer  
12:51:47 PM Scott Pulsipher, President Western Governors University  
12:54:41 PM Sen. Bradley  
12:55:06 PM S. Pulsipher  
12:55:37 PM Sen. Bradley  
12:56:04 PM S. Pulsipher  
12:59:06 PM Sen. Bradley  
12:59:35 PM S. Pulsipher  
1:00:44 PM Donald Pemberton, Algebra Nation/Math Nation  
1:07:01 PM Sen. Bradley  
1:07:15 PM D. Pemberton  
1:07:33 PM Sen. Bradley  
1:08:01 PM D. Pemberton  
1:08:16 PM Sen. Bradley  
1:08:23 PM Sen. Clemens  
1:08:37 PM D. Pemberton  
1:09:32 PM PART 2- Sen. Galvano  
1:09:33 PM Amy Ellis, Assistant Director Center for Community Schools at UCF  
1:12:43 PM Jenny Gibson-Linkh, Principal Maynard Evans Community High School  
1:14:56 PM Timothy Only, Senior Class President, Maynard Evans Community High School  
1:18:52 PM Sen. Bradley  
1:19:01 PM A. Ellis  
1:19:34 PM Sen. Bradley  
1:20:05 PM A. Ellis  
1:20:34 PM Sen. Simmons  
1:21:40 PM Sen. Bradley  
1:21:54 PM A. Ellis  
1:22:18 PM Sen. Bradley  
1:22:46 PM A. Ellis  
1:23:17 PM Sen. Simmons  
1:25:57 PM Sen. Bradley  
1:26:51 PM Sen. Clemens  
1:28:48 PM Sen. Galvano  
1:29:39 PM John Grosskopf, President North Florida Community College  
1:34:55 PM Sen. Bradley  
1:38:11 PM Sandra Cesaretti Ray, Associate Vice President Government Relations, Pensacola St. College  
1:39:59 PM Sen. Galvano  
1:40:31 PM Meeting Adjourned- Sen. Simmons  
1:40:32 PM