What is the SGA?
The SGA is an organization that represents and advocates for students at Hostos Community College and with the City University of New York. The SGA is committed to addressing the interests of students at the college and providing services and resources to the community. SGA organizes cultural, educational and social activities for the student body throughout the school year. It also assists student organizations in the planning and development of their activities. But most importantly our mission is to advocate and support you.

What services does the SGA provide to students?

- Academic and Cultural Events
- Workshops and Volunteer Activities
- Metro cards/Food Vouchers/support for Emergency circumstances
- Special SGA Scholarships
- Academic Support
- Club Support
- Emergency Support
- Funding Opportunities

Planned Activities
Welcome Week Breakfast
Hostos Club Fair
SGA Inauguration
Constitution Day
Club Orientation
Veterans Day Celebration
Indigenous People’s Day Event
Memorial Garden Opening
Beautify Your School
Night Owl Appreciation
Transfer Talks
SGA Sponsored Counseling Workshops
Financial Literacy Workshops
Breast Cancer Awareness Day
Blood Drive
STEM Day
SGA Assembly
Rock The Vote
Halloween Celebration
Thanksgiving Giveaway
Survey Response Raffles
SGA/Club Co-sponsored Events

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The Student Government has offices on the Fifth floor of the C-Building (East Academic Complex)
Our Ongoing Commitment to:

Student Life: We understand that many students face real life challenges while working towards a degree. Therefore, we want to ensure that students are receiving resources to help alleviate or help smooth out the challenges that they face. SGA is here to help you find support in times of need.

Campus Life: SGA will work to ensure that the campus is accessible to all. In addition, we hope to address the needs of our student body, as they work to use their time at Hostos to enhance themselves. Look for us to support you in creating a campus that is the most welcoming environment possible.

Academic Life: The goal of every student at the college, should be to graduate. The SGA will work with the administration to develop programming to open up opportunities to enhance the skillset of all students so that when they graduate they can turn their educational accomplishments into valuable work assets.

Communication: Your SGA is driven by you. We want to hear from you at events, on our survey, via email of by having you visit our offices or our information booth. Keep us up to date on what’s going on and let us know if you feel there is any way we can help you.

C for Community: Work to get the clubs to be more active so that students have more activities to participate in. Also, promote athletic activities, volunteer events, and workshops to help create a greater sense of community for the students, staff, faculty, and administrators.

A for Awareness: Assess and raise awareness about areas of the College, such as the offices that provide services, that some students might not know about (like the swimming pool), and also identify individuals on campus who can help when students face personal or academic challenges.

R for Resources: Informed by Awareness, develop brochures, posters, and other materials to share with students about different offices (resources) like Hostos One Stop, the Scholarship Office, Career Services, etc. R also stands for Referendum, which is a plan that our group will work on this year to raise the current Student Activity Fee a little bit so that we may provide additional financial resources and services to students and the College.

E for Empathy: To listen to and consider the student body’s concerns by putting ourselves in the other person’s shoes and thinking about how each individual must feel about opportunities and challenges on campus. This should allow us to work on programming for the great diversity on our campus and work with the clubs to help them create programming that will explore their values, traditions, and beliefs while also being empathetic to the community.

S for Service: As part of its mission, the SGA is responsible for serving the campus and the community. We hope to continue to partner with campus organizations that do volunteer work but also to enhance our service to the student body by giving campus tours, serving at our information booth, and even speaking on panels and supporting campus-based and community events.