

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

EDUCATION POSTSECONDARY

Senator Calatayud, Chair

Senator Simon, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, January 28, 2026

TIME: 10:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

PLACE: 301 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Calatayud, Chair; Senator Simon, Vice Chair; Senators Berman, Harrell, Jones, and Rodriguez

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 1376 Burgess (Similar CS/H 1115)	Grants for Genetic Counseling Education; Creating the Genetic Counseling Education Enhancement Grant Program within the State University System; requiring the Board of Governors, subject to legislative appropriation, to award grant funds to state universities for specified purposes; requiring the program to reward excellence among genetic counseling programs based on specified criteria; prohibiting such funds from being used for specified purposes, etc. HE 01/28/2026 Fav/CS AHE FP	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
2	SB 1570 Gaetz (Identical H 1405)	Statewide Project for Missing Persons with Special Needs; Amending a provision relating to the missing persons with special needs statewide project; providing that the project is created through the centers for autism and related disabilities; requiring that participants for the project be selected based on certain criteria, etc. HE 01/28/2026 Favorable AHE FP	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0

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