



Associated Students

Bill Number 12

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 Subject: Historian Senator to Academic Senator Date: 10 NOV 2016

Whereas: The Historian Senator position is an unnecessary position in the A.S. Senate, with meager responsibilities, in comparison to the burdensome load carried by other Senator positions.

Whereas: The Historian Senator position will be abolished, and will be replaced with an Academic Senator. The responsibilities ascribed to the Historian Senator will be entrusted to a Student Representative on the Activities Committee, at that body's own discretion.

The new Academic Senator will serve as the ^{leader} czar for all issues pertaining to student academics, and academic success. (Their responsibilities, to be added to the Organizational Directive, are on the attached page).

Whereas: Academic success for all students is the primary concern of any education institution. By having an A.S. Officer directly concerned with this issue, Student Government will exhibit to the student body its clear commitment to excellence in learning.

Therefore: Be it resolved, that the A.S. Senate, the A.S. Executive Board, and the A.S. President approve eliminating the Historian Senator position and establishing the position of Academic Senator.

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A.S. Senate			
For: <u>6</u>	Against: <u>2</u>	Abstain: <u>0</u>	Date: <u>11/22/16</u>
A.S. Executive Board			
For: <u>4</u>	Against: <u>1</u>	Abstain: <u>0</u>	Date: <u>12/6/16</u>
A.S. President			
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The *Academic Senator* shall:

- ~~Obey all general duties assigned to A.S. Senators~~ *friendly Ammend by Daniel*
- Set the example as a good student, and embody the characteristics of a scholar *friendly by Tiana*
- Meet regularly with the *A.S. President*, and report to the A.S. Senate on matters concerning academic issues
- ~~Recommend to the *Faculty Relations Senator* any measures that can be taken by Academic Senate to help further student-learning success, if tasked to do so by the A.S. Senate~~
- Represent academically-related ~~sport~~ *Trans Maria Justinowitz* (e.g. Forensics) and programs (e.g. Journalism)
- Work to inform the student body about Student Learning Outcomes
- ~~Consult with the *Student Services Senator* on programs that can facilitate high academic performance~~
- Work with the *STEM Senator* to coordinate success in STEM
- Work to advance student success in Humanities, Social Science, and other disciplines.
- Serve as the liaison with facilities, at the discretion of the A.S. Senate and/or *A.S. President*, such as the: Library, Writing Center, Speech Center, Language Assistance Center, and Learning Assistance Center
- Serve as the liaison with programs (ex- ~~Honors, EOPS, Financial Aid, tutoring, etc.~~) *and* at the discretion of the A.S. Senate and/or *A.S. President*
- Inform the student body of research conference opportunities, scholarship information, transfer information, and other helpful knowledge pertinent to student success
- Plan an Academic Success Event with the ICC Senator and academic-related clubs (e.g. PTK, AGS, Society of Hispanic Engineers)
- ~~Work with the *A.S. President* and *A.S. Vice President* to create a campus community where academic success and extracurricular enrichment is prioritized~~
- Ensure students receive adequate academic assistance services from Mt. SAC, and circulate a minimum of two surveys per semester (one at the beginning, and one at the end) pertaining to student academic success

The *Activities Committee* shall:

- Select one of its Student Representatives to serve as an *Activities Student Representative*
- *Historian*, with the following responsibilities:
 1. Be responsible for taking pictures at all A.S. sponsored events and activities, or find an alternative to take pictures if unable to attend the event.
 2. Maintain the showcase in Building 9C lobby.
 3. Meet bi-monthly with the *Student Activities Coordinator* to upload new pictures of all A.S. related events to social media.
 4. Consult with the *Publicity Senator* on a regular basis to help promote A.S. events and activities.

*move to Publicity Senator
J. Lopez
Approved by Tiana*

6 yes 2 NO - Rogelio & Daniel