

# UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS Session CII

General Body Meeting 7:00 pm, Tuesday, October 1st, 2019 Devon Hall 120

Roll Call -Approval of Minutes Chair's Report -Vice Chair's Report -Secretary's Report -Committee Reports-

- o Campus Safety and Concerns- We talked about the suggestion box, and we looked into things that the committee used to do in the past.
- o Congressional Administration-We saw legislation appointing a representative, Sam Stormer.
- o External Affairs- We finished the voter registration drives. We are also now looking at 3 unrelated persons ordinance, and we talked to city council about hospitals around Norman.
- O Human Diversity- We still need helpers for the implicit bias tabling and open mic same night. We are working on a "know your rights" class. We are also working on a few resolutions for student concerns.
- O Sustainability-We spoke to executives from Big Event and CAC on their sustainability practices. We discussed taking out all the boxes on the Big Event things and reducing the plastic bags. On October 20th we will have a trash walk in the Sutton Wilderness at 2:30 pm.
- O University Policy- We are putting together collaboration with the Gender and Equality Center and public health discussions. We also had an interview with the OU Daily about the meal voucher initiative and recovery network collaboration.
- O Ways and Means- We saw and passed Auxiliary 6 with a recommendation of do pass. We saw 12 organizations.

# Liaison Reports

## **Special Orders**

Committee of the Whole

CR-102-11 A Resolution Condemning Blackface on Campus (Bouch/Miller) CB-102-23 An Act Appointing a Social Sciences Representative (Bouch)

## **Student Concerns**

#### **Old Business**

#### Items to Be Considered

AB-102-08 An Act Allocating Auxiliary Funding 6 (Patton) (Ways and Means > Do Pass)

CB-102-26 An Act Adding a Member to the External Affairs Committee (DeAngeli) (Executive Committee ≥ Do Pass)

CB-102-25 General Counsel Appointment Act (Gibbs/Maxey) (Congressional Administration > Do Pass)

Follow-Up Reports Items for Future Agenda Announcements and Comments Final Roll Call Adjourn

Chair: Emma DeAngeli Vice Chair: Mahak Merchant Secretary: Savanah Patterson

# UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CII October 1st, 2019

# GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE SENATE SESSION GFXX/GSXX Month DD, YYYY

# CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION CR-102-11 SENATE RESOLUTION NO. GFXX-XX/GSXX-XX

## AS INTRODUCED

A Concurring Resolution to Condemn the Incidents of Blackface on The University of Oklahoma's campus; and providing for distribution.

Whereas: A third incident of blackface has occurred at The University of Oklahoma in less

than nine months.

Whereas: Blackface is blatantly racist and intentionally hurtful to the black community.

Whereas: The Undergraduate Student Congress does not accept racist behavior at OU.

Whereas: As a body, we strive to be an ally to all marginalized groups across campus, and we

use our voice as a conduit for change.

Whereas: We are the largest Student Organization on Campus, and we serve as a role model to

OU students as a whole.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS AND THE GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE, CONCURRING THEREIN THAT:

**Section 1:** Title: This resolution shall be known and may be cited as the "Condemnation of Blackface Bill."

Section 2: Upon passage of this resolution, the University of Oklahoma Undergraduate Student Congress chair and OU Community will be informed of the Student Government Association's majority decision to condemn the blatantly racist incidents that have recently occurred and affect The University of Oklahoma community and a pledge that the body will continue to strive towards creating a more diverse, inclusive, and accepting OU community.

## **Section 3:** Copies of this resolution will be sent to:

- Joe Harroz, Interim President of The University of Oklahoma
- David Surrat, Vice President of Student Affairs and Dean of Students
- Jane Irungu, Interim Vice President, Office of Diversity and Inclusion
- Monique Ramirez, Director of Student Engagement and Experience, Office of Diversity and Inclusion

Author(s): Malachi Bouch, Congressional Administration Chair

Lauren Miller, Human Diversity Chair

Savanah Patterson, Secretary of the Undergraduate Student Congress

Co-Author(s): Abbey Wegrzynski, University Policy Chair

Dalton Gau, External Affairs Chair Gina Werdel, Sustainability Chair Lauren Patton, Ways and Means Chair

Mark Mayes, Campus Outreach Safety and Concerns Chair

Mahak Merchant, Vice Chair of Congress

Emma DeAngeli, Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress

Caitlin Schneider, Humanities Representative

Submitted on a motion by:	
Action taken by Congress:	
Verified by Chair of Congress:	Date:
Submitted on a motion by: Action taken by Senate:	
Verified by Chair of Senate:	Date:
Approved by SGA President:	Date:

# UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CII October 1st, 2019

## CONGRESSIONAL BILL CB-102-23

## AS INTRODUCED

A Congressional Act of Procedure Appointing a Representative for the 102nd Session; providing short title; and providing an effective date.

# BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS:

Section 1:	Title: This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Social Sciences Appointment Act of Fall 2019."
Section 2:	Purpose: The purpose of this act shall be to Appoint the Following Representative.
Section 3:	entative:
<b>Social</b> Sam St	Sciences ormer
Section 4:	This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.
Author(s):	Malachi Bouch, Chair of The Congressional Administration Committee
Co-Author(s):	Congressional Administration Committee
Submitted on a Action taken by	Congress
Verified by Cha	ir: Date:

# UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CI October 1st, 2019

# GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE SENATE SESSION GF19 October 6th, 2019

CONGRESSIONAL BILL AB-102-08 SENATE BILL NO. GF19-XX

## AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to appropriations; providing for short title; stating purpose; appropriating Auxiliary Funding for the 2019-2020 process; stating appropriation guidelines; establishing expiration deadline; directing transfer of unused funds by deadline; and providing an effective date.

# BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION:

Section 1: This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Auxiliary Allocation 6 Act of 2019-2020"

**Section 2:** PURPOSE. The purpose of this act is to appropriate the funds of the University of Oklahoma Student Government Association to the organizations mentioned within.

**Section 3:** APPROPRIATION. The following amounts are hereby allocated to

Organization	Programs, Events & Activities	Capital Investments	Office and General Expenses	Total
Arab Student Association	50			50
Biomedical Engineering Student Affairs	250			250
Communication Graduate Student Association	500			500
SGA Undergraduate Student Congress	200			200
India Student Association	250			250
LatinArte	130			130
Obviously Unrehearsed Improvisational Theater	400			400
OU Medlife	600			600
Pre-Law Society	450			450
Relay for Life	300			300
Student Healthcare Outreach	35			35
			TOTAL:	3,165

Section 4:	All guidelines and provisions in Title 10 of the Code Annotated appropriated in this act.	shall apply to all funds
Section 5:	This fiscal year for the account listed in these sections shall end May	8, 2020
Section 6:	All unspent money remaining in the accounts listed in Section 3 shall revert to the SGA General Account after May 8, 2020, and the remaining appropriations shall be canceled.	
Section 7:	This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the	SGA Constitution.
Author(s):	Lauren Patton, Chair, SGA Budget Committee	
Co-Author(s):	SGA Budgetary Committee	
•	motion by: Student Congress: r of Student Congress:	Date:
Submitted on a Action taken by Verified by Cha		Date:
Approved by SO	GA President:	Date:

# UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CII October 1st, 2019

# GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE SENATE SESSION GF-19 September 22nd, 2019

CONGRESSIONAL BILL CB-102-25 SENATE BILL NO. GF19-10

### AS INTRODUCED

An Act of Procedure appointing the SGA General Counsel; providing for short title; and providing an effective date.

# BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION:

Section 1: Title: This act shall be known and may be cited as the "SGA General Counsel Appointment Act of 2020." Section 2: Purpose: The purpose of this act shall be to appoint the SGA General Counsel. Section 3: In accordance with Title 3, Chapter 2, section 7, subsection a, subsubsection i which delineates the appointment process. For the SGA General Counsel, the following student shall thus be appointed: Emily Smith Section 4: This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution. Author(s): Adran Gibbs, SGA President Co-Author(s): Melissa Maxey, GSS Chair Co-Sponsor(s): Submitted on a Motion by: Action taken by Congress: Verified by Chair of Congress: \_ Date:

Submitted on a Motion by: Senator DuBose seconded by Senator Cooley

Action taken by Senate: Passed by Unanimous Consent

Verified by Chair of Senate:	Date:
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Approved by SGA President:	Date:

## UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CII October 1st, 2019

### CONGRESSIONAL BILL CB-102-26

### AS INTRODUCED

An Act of Procedure adding a member to the External Affairs Committee; providing short title; and providing an effective date.

# BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS:

Section 1: This Act shall be known and may be cited as "An Act Adding a Member to the External Affairs

Committee"

**Section 2**: APPOINTMENT. The Following Persons shall be appointed to committees:

Congressional Gina Werdel – Chair Trey Bridwell Administration Zoe Douglas Lucy Alpert Malachi Bouch - Chair Aspen Bell Nick Glasgow Tess McGee Abdi Mohamoud Savanah Patterson – ex officio Jake Lange Aida Sertovic Hunter Stack Caitlin Schneider Julio Rojas Zack Lissau Foster Hillis Emma Biškup Matthew Ballew **University Policy** Sephra Kolker

Bailey Ownby Abbey Wegrzynski – Chair Robert Loayza Andrew Miles

Daria Davydova
Drew Barker
Emily Tucker
Problems and Projects
Mark Mayes – Chair
Jori Crowley
Audrey Heuser
Jada Carson
Crispin South

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Peter Papanicolaou
August vonHartitzsch Human Diversity
Rosa V. Rojas Meza Lauren Miller – Chair
Alexis Marvin Hennessey Chism

Santana Spangler-Day
External Affairs
Nancy Cruz

Dalton Gau – Chair Jafet Alfaro

Peter Hardt Jerman Carrons Carr

Peter Hardt Ismael Carmona Casado Sara Haugland Caitlyn Harman

Sara Haugland Caitlyn Harman
Jake Smethers Sam Stormer
Lacey Lewis Nishit Garg
Renata Emini Gabriela Thoma

Renata Emini Gabriela Thompson Taylor Broadbent

Nathaniel Buxton Ways and Means
Lauren Patton – Chair

Sustainability Taylor Wilson

Section 3:	This Act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.
Author(s):	Emma DeAngeli, Undergraduate Student Congress Chair
	n a Motion by: by Congress:
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