



Student Assembly R. 53: Regarding the Proposed Final Exam Schedule

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Adopt on February 27th, 2014*

- 1 Whereas, Article III, Section 5 of the Student Assembly Charter states:
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3 Section 5: University Calendar
4 A. The Provost will consult with the SA in the formulation of the University Calendar. The SA
5 may review and ask for reconsideration of the calendar before it becomes final. In addition, the
6 SA may propose changes in the calendar to the Provost.
7 B. The Provost shall make the calendar available for comment at least thirty days before public
8 announcement of the final calendar.
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10 Whereas, the Student Assembly passed Resolution 47: Undergraduate Student Body
11 Denouncement of the Calendar Committee's Proposal in the spring of 2012;
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13 Whereas, the changes to the academic calendar were approved anyway and are now being
14 implemented during the spring 2014 semester;
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16 Whereas, the subsequent changes to the final exam schedule have caused many
17 undergraduates great concern for a variety of reasons;
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19 Be it therefore resolved, that the SA support the views presented in the attached memo to the
20 University Registrar;
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22 Be it further resolved, that the process for input from the constituent assemblies be revisited to
23 allow for more time for review of the final exam schedule before the schedule is published.
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25 Be it finally resolved, that this resolution and supporting memo be forwarded to the other
26 constituent assemblies and the Dean of the Faculty.
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28 Respectfully Submitted,
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34 Vice President of Finance, SA
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36 (Reviewed by: Executive Committee, 2/10/2014)