

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION



UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
Session XCIV

General Body Meeting
7:00 pm, Tuesday, November 3rd, 2015
Devon Hall 120

Session XCIV

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Secretary's Report-

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Chair: Emily Sample

Vice-Chair: Chelsea Brown

Secretary: Kaylee Rains

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS

CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCIV

November 3, 2015

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 940110

AS INTRODUCED

An act of procedure Expelling Members
of Congressional Session 94 for excessive
absences; providing for a short title;
stating purpose; and providing an effective date.

Section 1: Title. This act shall be known as “An Act Expelling Representatives.”

Section 2: Purpose. The purpose of this act shall be to expel a member for excessive absences. Because Jordan Arlan and Bryan Kirby have accrued excessive unexcused absences and have failed to petition the Executive Committee for an attendance waiver, and as a result have failed to represent their constituents, the membership of the aforementioned is pending expulsion.

Section 3: In accordance with the Section 3.3 subsection 2 of the SGA Undergraduate Student Congress Bylaws, “*Upon accruing a fourth absence, the Student Congress Secretary shall prepare an act of procedure to expel any member or committee officer who has accrued excessive unexcused absences.*”

Expulsion. Jordan Arlan and Bryan Kirby.

Section 4: This act is hereby enacted.

Section 5: This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Kaylee Rains, Secretary of Undergraduate Student Congress

Submitted on a motion by:

Action taken by Student Congress:

Verified by Chair of Student Congress: _____ Date: _____

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCIV

November 3, 2015

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION GF-15

November 8, 2015

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 940106

SENATE BILL NO. GF15-

AS INTRODUCED

An Act amending Title I and Title III of the SGACA, providing for a short title; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT ASSOCIATION

- Section 1:** This act shall be known and may be cited as the “Presidential Transition Act of 2015”
- Section 2:** The purpose of this act is to firmly establish a transitional period for the office of SGA President and SGA Vice President.
- Section 3:** For the purposes of this legislation, deletions shall be marked with a ~~Strikethrough~~. Additions shall be marked with an Underline.
- Section 4:** ADDITION. The following parts are to be added to Title I, Chapter 6 of the SGACA, creating Section 26 to read as follows:
26. Transitional Term of the President and Vice President
The newly elected President and Vice President shall officially assume the role and all benefits attributed to the power of the office two weeks after the validation of the election by the Superior Court.
- Section 5:** AMENDATORY. The following parts are to be amended to Title III, Chapter 2, Section 11 of the SGACA:
11. Term
The term of the President shall begin ~~in the spring semester one week~~ two weeks after the validation of election.
- Section 6:** AMENDATORY. The following parts are to be amended to Title III, Chapter 3, Section 14 of the SGACA:
14. Term

The term of the Vice President shall begin ~~in the spring semester one week~~ two weeks after the validation of election.

Section 7: This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGACA and SGA Constitution.

Author(s): Emily Sample, Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress
Carrie Pavlowsky, Chair of the Graduate Student Senate

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair of Congress: _____ Date: _____

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Senate:

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Approved by SGA President: _____ Date: _____

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION **XCIV**

October 25, 2015

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION **GF-15**

October 25, 2015

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. **940107**
SENATE BILL NO. **GF15-XX**

AS INTRODUCED

An Act amending Section 11 of the Undergraduate Student Congress Bylaws, providing for a short title, providing for codification, and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT ASSOCIATION:

Section 1: This act shall be known and may be cited as the “Website Modification Act of 2015”

Section 2: The purpose of this act is to update Section 11.1 of the Undergraduate Student Congress Bylaws to reflect the recent changes made to both headings and content of the USC section of the SGA website.

Section 3: For the purposes of this legislation, deletions shall be marked with a ~~Strikethrough~~. Additions shall be marked with an Underline.

Section 4: AMENDATORY: The following parts are to be amended to Section 11.1 of the Undergraduate Student Congress:

Section 11.1: SGA STUDENT CONGRESS WEBSITE REQUIREMENTS

1) REQUIRED SECTIONS ON THE SGA CONGRESS WEBSITE. These sections must be distinctly separate.

a) AGENDAS AND MINUTES SECTION

i. Shall contain postings of future agendas for all meetings that are conducted in the SGA Student Congress.

ii. Shall contain archives of previous agendas and minutes, taken by the Secretary of either Congress or Committee, for all meetings which were conducted in the SGA Student Congress.

b) MINUTES SECTION

i. ~~The minutes’ section shall contain postings of minutes taken by the Secretary of either Congress or Committee.~~

e-b) MEET YOUR REPS MEMBERS SECTION

i. Shall contain in two separate categories: executive officers and representatives by district, and associates.

ii. The member list ~~and the associate list~~ must be up to date within 20 days of the first meeting of a new session of SGA Student Congress for elected representatives, and within 20 days of appointment for appointed representatives. The lists shall include contact information for all members of Congress.

c) RESOURCES SECTION

i. Shall contain templates which establish the general forms for how resolutions, bills, and surveys are written in the SGA Student Congress.

- ii. Shall contain the SGA Undergraduate Student Congress Bylaws.
- iii. Shall contain the SGA Undergraduate Student Congress Standing Rules of Order.

d) QUESTIONS AND CONCERNS SECTION

i. Shall contain space to allow students to forward their questions and comments to SGA Student Congress.

d e) WEBMASTER’S AUTHORITY

- i. This section is only for specifying what is required to be on the SGA Student Congress website. It does not, in any way, prohibit the webmaster from adding additional features as he or she sees fit. Furthermore, the webmaster shall possess the sole discretion in how the guidelines specified in this section should be met.
- ii. The SGA webmaster shall serve as the webmaster for Student Congress.

e f) CONGRESS’ AUTHORITY

- i. Congress may enact legislation that pertains to any aspect of the website’s design, composition, features, and the like, with a majority vote. It will then fall under the jurisdiction of the Webmaster to carry out Congress’ legislation.

Author(s): Jay Maier

Co-Author(s): Trevor Watts

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:_____

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCIII
November 3, 2015

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION GS-15
November 8, 2015

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 940108
SENATE BILL NO. GS15-XX

AS INTRODUCED

An act amending Title VII of the SGACA, providing for a short title; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT ASSOCIATION

- Section 1:** This act shall be known and may be cited as the “Polling Fair-ish Act of 2015”
- Section 2:** The purpose of this act is to ensure election fairness by randomizing the order of names presented on an SGA election ballot.
- Section 3:** For the purposes of this legislation, deletions shall be marked with a ~~Strikethrough~~. Additions shall be marked with an Underline.
- Section 4:** AMENDATORY. The following parts are to be amended to Title VII, Chapter 2, Section 12 of the SGACA:

12. Polling

The number and location of polling places shall be established by an Act of the Legislative Branch at least three (3) academic weeks before each election. Students of any district may vote at any poll. The number of poll operators, polling machines, and computers at each poll shall be established by the Election Chair with regard to the number of voters expected at each polling location. Students may vote on any computer with internet access to the election website, which shall be administered by the University of Oklahoma Information Technology (OU IT) and the SGA Election Staff. Neither OU IT nor the SGA shall be responsible for ensuring that non-OU IT or SGA computers have access to the election website. There shall be at least one (1) poll operator at each poll at all times during voting hours. For any general election, polling shall take place from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on at least one day of the election. Additional polling times may be established by an act of the Legislative Branch. Every voter must present sufficient personal identification information in order to verify his or her identity to the election staff. The order of candidates' names ~~names of the candidates~~ on the ballot shall be ~~listed in randomized order for each ballot each time the poll is opened or refreshed~~ determined by the Election Board

Section 5: This act shall become effective, once passed by the Student Government Association, in the spring election cycle of the 2015-2016 academic year.

Author(s): Trevor Watts, Social Sciences District 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: _____

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCIV

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION **GX-XX**

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 940506

SENATE BILL NO. **GXXX-XX**

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to appropriations; providing for short title; stating purpose; appropriating subsidiary funding for the 2015-2016 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: TITLE. This act shall be known and may be cited as the “Student Organization Subsidiary Funding Appropriation” Act of 2015.

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:

Name of Organization	Total Allocation	P/E/A	Capital Investments	Office and General Expenses
Academic Integrity Council	\$240.00	\$80.00	\$160.00	
Alpha Epsilon Delta	\$330.00	\$330.00		
Alpha Phi Omega	\$100.00	\$100.00		
American Cancer Society Relay For Life	\$250.00	\$225.00		\$25.00
American Indian Science and Engineering Society	\$100.00	\$100.00		
American Indian Student Association	\$750.00	\$750.00		
American Society for Microbiology Oklahoma Chapter	\$400.00	\$400.00		
Apes Of Wrath Ultimate Frisbee Club	\$800.00	\$800.00		

Architectural Virtuosi	\$199.00	\$199.00		
ASSOCIATION FRIENDS OF VENEZUELA	\$765.00	\$715.00		\$50.00
Bahai Association	\$400.00	\$400.00		
Baptist Collegiate Ministries	\$300.00	\$200.00		\$100.00
Biology Club	\$54.00	\$54.00		
Chi Alpha Campus Ministries	\$550.00	\$550.00		
Chi Epsilon	\$200.00	\$150.00		\$50.00
Chinese Language Club	\$100.00	\$100.00		
Climbing Club	\$325.00	\$325.00		
College Republicans	\$280.00	\$280.00		
Colleges Against Cancer	\$300.00	\$300.00		
Colombian Student Association	\$1,700.00	\$1,700.00		
COMMUNICATION GRADUATE STUDENT Association	\$250.00	\$250.00		
Crimson Skies	\$300.00		\$300.00	
Dungeons and Dragons	\$170.00		\$170.00	
Electrical and Computer Engineering Graduate Student Society	\$105.00	\$105.00		
Enactus	\$290.00	\$290.00		
Environmental Science Student Association	\$630.00	\$630.00		
Expressive Movement Initiative	\$855.00	\$555.00		\$300.00
Filipino Student Association	\$745.00	\$745.00		
Game Developers Association	\$280.00	\$280.00		
Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender and Friends	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00		
Geography and Environmental Sustainability Club	\$100.00	\$100.00		
Graduate Philosophical Association	\$200.00	\$200.00		
Graduate Physics Student Interdependence	\$410.00		\$374.00	\$36.00
Graphic Design Association	\$150.00	\$150.00		
Habitat for Humanity	\$150.00	\$150.00		
Honors Student Association	\$750.00	\$750.00		
India Student Association	\$2,200.00	\$2,200.00		
Informed Citizens Discussion Groups	\$500.00	\$500.00		
Institute of Industrial Engineers	\$800.00	\$800.00		
International Advisory Committee	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00		
International Advisory Committee pt.2	\$0.00			
InterVarsity Christian Fellowship	\$600.00	\$360.00	\$240.00	

Iranian Student Association	\$950.00	\$950.00		
Japanese club	\$210.00	\$210.00		
Kappa Gamma Epsilon	\$600.00	\$500.00		\$100.00
Latin Dance Club	\$700.00	\$700.00		
Latinos Without Borders	\$600.00	\$600.00		
Mathematics Graduate Student Association	\$675.00	\$675.00		
Music is Medicine	\$320.23	\$320.23		
National Organization of Minority Architecture Students	\$850.00	\$850.00		
Never Mrs Women's Ultimate Frisbee	\$600.00	\$600.00		
Oklahaoma Club Golf Team	\$750.00	\$750.00		
Oklahoma Association of Transfer Students	\$200.00	\$200.00		
Oklahoma Crew	\$600.00	\$600.00		
Oklahoma Cycling club	\$350.00	\$350.00		
Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature	\$500.00	\$500.00		
Oklahoma Library and Information Sciences Student	\$100.00	\$100.00		
Oklahoma Quiddith	\$150.00			\$150.00
Oklahoma Sooner Powered Vehicle	\$400.00	\$400.00		
OU Chess Club	\$671.84		\$671.84	
OU Psychology Club	\$391.50	\$292.50		\$99.00
Paleosooners	\$200.00	\$200.00		
Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fraternity	\$275.00	\$275.00		
The Pick and Hammer	\$600.00	\$600.00		
Pre-Communication Sciences Disorders Club	\$258.00	\$223.00		\$35.00
Pre-Dental Club	\$425.00	\$425.00		
Pre-Law Society	\$394.00	\$394.00		
Pre-Medical Professions Club	\$410.00	\$410.00		
Pre-Medical Women's Society	\$406.00	\$372.00		\$34.00
Pre-Optometry Club	\$120.00	\$75.00		\$45.00
Print Club	\$100.00	\$40.00		\$60.00
Rotaract	\$1,110.00	\$1,110.00		
Russian Club	\$345.00	\$345.00		
Saudi Student Association	\$800.00	\$800.00		
Secular Sooners	\$405.00	\$320.00		\$85.00
Society of American Archivists Student Group	\$100.00	\$100.00		
Society of Manufacturing Engineers	\$200.00	\$200.00		
Society of Petrophysicists and Well	\$250.00	\$250.00		

Log Analysts				
Society of Physics Students	\$199.00	\$199.00		
Society of Women Engineers	\$125.00	\$75.00		\$50.00
Sooner Air Traffic Control Association	\$300.00	\$300.00		
Sooner Communication Conference	\$200.00	\$200.00		
Sooner Curling Club	\$880.00	\$880.00		
Sooner Dance Company	\$360.00	\$360.00		
Sooner Emergency Medical Sciences	\$520.00		\$250.00	\$270.00
Sooner Off-Road	\$500.00	\$500.00		
Sooner Racing Team	\$100.00	\$100.00		
Sooners Helping the Hungry	\$210.00	\$210.00		
Sooner Supercomputing Club	\$500.00	\$500.00		
Spacechangers	\$440.00	\$440.00		
STUDENT ASSOCIATION OF BANGLADESH	\$650.00	\$650.00		
Student Chapter of the Association for Computing Machinery	\$340.00	\$340.00		
Student Council for Exceptional Children	\$450.00	\$450.00		
Student Dietetic Association	\$125.00	\$125.00		
Student Environmental Council	\$300.00	\$200.00	\$100.00	
Students Against a Factory-farming Economy	\$395.00	\$255.00		\$140.00
Students for Social Justice	\$100.00			\$100.00
Student Society for Human Relations	\$125.00	\$125.00		
Student Theatre Initiative	\$0.00			
Student Veterans Association	\$1,650.00	\$1,650.00		
The Crimson Chords	\$300.00	\$300.00		
The Outdoor Club	\$900.00	\$900.00		
The Red Clay Faction	\$1,040.00	\$910.00		\$130.00
The Society for Chemical and Biochemical Researchers	\$350.00		\$350.00	
The United World	\$585.00	\$585.00		
Turkish Student Association	\$750.00	\$750.00		
Women in Business Association	\$705.00	\$705.00		
Budget Women in Petroleum and Geological Engineering	\$500.00	\$500.00		
Women of Power	\$478.10	\$478.10		
Total	\$51,421.67	\$46,946.83	\$2,615.84	\$1,859.00

Section 4: All guidelines and provisions in the Comprehensive SGA Financial Responsibilities Act shall apply to all funds appropriated in this act.

Section 5: This fiscal year for the account listed in these sections shall end May 4, 2016

Section 6: All unspent money remaining in the accounts listed in Section 3 shall revert to the SGA General Account after May 4, 2016, and the remaining appropriations shall be canceled.

Section 7: This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Representative Matt Cramm, SGA Budget Chairman
Associate Jonathan Rash, Data Transfer Chairman.

Co-Author (s): SGA Budgetary Committee

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Student Congress:

Verified by Chair of Student Congress: _____ Date: _____

Submitted on a motion by:

Action taken by Senate:

Verified by Chair of Senate: _____ Date: _____

Approved by SGA President: _____ Date: _____

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UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
 UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
 CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCIV

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
 SENATE SESSION **GF-15**

CONGRESSIONAL BILL No. 940507
 SENATE BILL No. **XX-XXX**

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to appropriations; providing for short title; stating purpose; appropriating primary funding for the 2015-2016 school year; 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: TITLE. This act shall be known and may be cited as the “Administration Organization Subsidiary Funding Appropriation” Act of 2015

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:

Name of Organization	Total Allocation	P/E/A	Capital Investments	Office and General Expenses
Housing Center Student Association	\$ 2,150.00		\$ 2,150.00	
Independent Greek Council	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00		
Student Bar Association	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 5,255.00		\$ 745.00
Emergency Allocation Account	\$ 13,307.81			
Total	\$ 21,807.81	\$ 5,605	\$ 2,150.00	\$ 745.00

Section 4: All guidelines and provisions in the Comprehensive SGA Financial Responsibilities Act shall apply to all funds appropriated in this act.

Section 5: This fiscal year for the account listed in these sections shall end May 4, 2016

Section 6: All unspent money remaining in the accounts listed in Section 3 shall revert to the SGA General Account after May 4, 2016, and the remaining appropriations shall be canceled.

Section 7: This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author(s): Matthew Cramm, Chair of SGA Budget

Co-Author(s): SGA Budgetary Committee

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Student Congress:

Verified by Chair of Student Congress: _____ Date: _____

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Action taken by Senate:

Verified by Chair of Senate: _____ Date: _____

Approved by SGA President: _____ Date: _____

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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCIV

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION **GF-14**

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 940508
SENATE BILL NO. **GF14-XX**

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to appropriations; providing for short title; stating purpose; appropriating emergency funding for the 2015-2016 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 “Emergency Allocation #5” Act of 2015.

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:

Phi Beta Delta

Office and General Expenses: \$0

Capital Investments: \$0

Programs/Events/Activities: \$500

Total: \$500

Section 4: All guidelines and provisions in the Comprehensive SGA Financial Responsibilities Act shall apply to all funds appropriated in this act.

Section 5: This fiscal year for the account listed in these sections shall end May 4, 2016

Section 6: All unspent money remaining in the accounts listed in Section 3 shall revert to the SGA General Account after May 4, 2016, and the remaining appropriations shall be canceled.

Section 7: This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Matthew Cramm, Chair of SGA Budget

Co-Author (s): Budget Committee

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Action taken by Student Congress:

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Submitted on a motion by:

Action taken by Senate:

Verified by Chair of Senate: _____ Date:_____

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