

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION



UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS  
Session CV

General Body Meeting  
7:00 pm, Tuesday, March 2, 2021  
Physical Sciences Center Room 201  
<https://oklahoma.zoom.us/j/4769500899?pwd=dC92V25oeUZRUldiYU9xelBvTHhUQT09>  
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**Roll Call**

**Mission Statement**

**Moment of Silence**

**Approval of Minutes**

**Chair's Report -**

**Vice Chair's Report -**

**Secretary's Report -**

**Committee Reports-**

- **Campus Outreach, Safety, and Concerns**
- **Congressional Administration:**
- **External Affairs:**
- **Human Diversity:**
- **Sustainability:**
- **University Policy:**
- **Ways and Means:**

**Liaison Reports**

**Special Orders**

- **Big XII on the Hill Presentation**

**Student Concerns**

**Old Business**

- **CB-105-09 No Spring Break, But Here's An Election Act of 2021**

**Items to Be Considered**

**CR-105-05 Oklahoma Data Privacy Resolution (Brown) (EA, Do Pass)**

**AB-105-02 Auxiliary Allocation 11 Act of 2020-2021 (Patton) (WAM, Do Pass)**

**CB-105-13 SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Communications Director Appointment Act of 2021 (Farzaneh) (ConAd, No Rec)**

**CB-105-15 SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Inclusivity Director Appointment Act of 2021 (Farzaneh) (ConAd, No Rec)**

**CB-105-16 SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Interior Director Appointment Act of 2021 (Farzaneh) (ConAd, No Rec)**

**CB-105-14 SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Exterior Director Appointment Act of 2021 (Farzaneh) (ConAd, No Rec)**

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

Chair: Savannah Patterson  
Vice Chair: Malachi Bouch  
Secretary: Emily Tucker

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CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CV  
February 9, 2021

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE  
SENATE SESSION GS21  
February 28, 2021

CONGRESSIONAL BILL CB-105-09  
SENATE BILL NO. GS21-10

AS INTRODUCED

A Congressional Act of Legislation providing for a Spring Election Date; 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 “No Spring Break, But Here’s an Election Act of 2021.”
- Section 2:** Purpose: The purpose of this act shall be to provide for a Spring Election date, after the OU Administration’s cancelation of Spring Break.<sup>1</sup>
- Section 3:** The date of the Spring General Election shall be on April 6<sup>th</sup> and April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2021; due to OU Administration canceling Spring Break for the Spring of 2021 academic calendar<sup>2</sup>, which date is used for the Spring General Election (*Code Annotated § Title VI, Chapter 2, Section 9, Subsection B*).
- Section 4:** This bill shall allow the Election Commissioner to use April 6<sup>th</sup> and April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2021, as the dates of the Spring General Election, and shall use those aforementioned dates for the other timelines as needed in the Code Annotated § Title VI and others.
- Section 5:** This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.
- Section 6:** Copies of this bill shall be sent to:
- Emily Smith, General Council
  - Elections Commissioner, when appointed;
  - Isaac Kabrick, Election Staff Member;
  - Beau Lauffer, Election Staff Member; and
  - Joy Nath, Election Staff Member.
  - OU Daily

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<sup>1</sup> “OU Announces Calendar Updates to Fall, Spring Semesters”:  
[https://www.ou.edu/web/news\\_events/articles/news\\_2020/ou-announces-calendar-updates-to-fall-spring-semesters](https://www.ou.edu/web/news_events/articles/news_2020/ou-announces-calendar-updates-to-fall-spring-semesters)

<sup>2</sup> “OU Academic Calendar”, before the cancelation of Spring Break:  
[https://ou.edu/dam/registrar/docs/2020-2021\\_academic\\_calendar\\_chronological.pdf](https://ou.edu/dam/registrar/docs/2020-2021_academic_calendar_chronological.pdf)

Author(s): Chairman Foster Hillis, Congressional Administration Committee; and Associate Coy Taylor.

Co-Author(s): Chairwoman Melissa Maxey, Graduate Student Senate

Submitted on a Motion by: Representative Esmeraldo seconded by Representative Poupore  
Action taken by Congress 32-0-0

Verified by Chair: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Senate

Verified by Chair: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed by the President: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS  
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION 105  
March 2, 2021

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE  
SENATE SESSION **GFXX/GSXX**  
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CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION CR-105-05  
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. **GFXX-XX/GSXX-XX**

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution Supporting Oklahoma  
House Bill 1602; and providing for distribution.

- Whereas: Data privacy rights and ethics has been politically contentious since the mass adoption of data mining for profit; and,
- Whereas: Students at the University are more active on social media now, than ever before; and,
- Whereas: Technology companies are unfairly profiting off of individuals data; and,
- Whereas: Individuals do not have the opportunity to exercise control over their data privacy: therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA UNDERGRADUATE  
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION:

- Section 1:** Title: This resolution shall be known and may be cited as the “Oklahoma Data Privacy Resolution.”
- Section 2:** The University of Oklahoma Student Government Association Supports the passage of Oklahoma House Bill 1602
- Section 3:** The University of Oklahoma Student Government Association Supports the protection of individuals data privacy.
- Section 4:** Copies of this resolution will be sent to:
- Joseph Harroz, President, The University of Oklahoma
  - Dr. Jill Irvine, Provost, The University of Oklahoma
  - Dr. David Surratt, Vice President of Student Affairs, The University of Oklahoma

- John Woods, Director of Governmental Affairs, The University of Oklahoma
- Quy Nguyen, Director of Student Life, The University of Oklahoma
- Representative West, Majority Leader, Oklahoma State House
- Representative Collin Walke, Representative, Oklahoma State House
- Representative Emily Virgin, Minority Leader, Oklahoma State House
- Speaker of the House Representative Charles McCall, Oklahoma State House

Author(s): Drew G. Brown, Associate

Co-Author(s): Taylor Broadbent, Chair of the External Affairs Committee

Co-Sponsor(s):

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: \_\_\_\_\_

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CONGRESSIONAL SESSION CIV  
March 2nd, 2021

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE  
SENATE SESSION GF20  
March 7th, 2021

CONGRESSIONAL BILL AB-105-02  
SENATE BILL NO. GF20-XX

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to appropriations; providing for short title; stating purpose; appropriating Auxiliary Funding for the 2020-2021 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 11 Act of 2020-2021”
- 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
Sooner Off-Road		643		643
AME Graduate Student Community	720			720
Sigma Lambda Beta	1424			1424
Students Supporting First Responders	700			700
<b>TOTAL:</b>				<b>3,487</b>

**Section 4:** All guidelines and provisions in Title 10 of the Code Annotated shall apply to all funds appropriated in this act.

**Section 5:** This fiscal year for the account listed in these sections shall end May 7, 2021

**Section 6:** All unspent money remaining in the accounts listed in Section 3 shall revert to the SGA General Account after May 7, 2021, 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

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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CONGRESSIONAL BILL CB-105-13  
SENATE BILL **GSXX-XX/GFXX-XX**

AS INTRODUCED

An Act of Procedure appointing SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Communications Director; providing for short title, providing for codification, and providing for 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 “SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Communications Director Appointment Act of 2021.”
- Section 2:** The purpose of this act shall be to appoint SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Communications Director.
- Section 3:** In accordance with Title III, Chapter 1, Section 5, Subsection C(ii) of the SGA Code Annotated, “The President shall appoint Directors with the advice and consent of the Legislative Branch,” the following student shall be appointed as Director to their respective department:
- Caroline Sparks – Director of the Department of Communications
- Section 4:** This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author(s): Tavana Farzaneh, President of the Student Government Association  
Co-Author(s): Alex Gray, Vice President of the Student Government Association  
Cricket Kaya, Chief of Staff of the Student Government Association  
Co-Sponsor(s):

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: \_\_\_\_\_

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CONGRESSIONAL BILL CB-105-15  
SENATE BILL **GSXX-XX/GFXX-XX**

AS INTRODUCED

An Act of Procedure appointing SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Inclusivity Director; providing for short title, providing for codification, and providing for 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 “SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Inclusivity Director Appointment Act of 2021.”
- Section 2:** The purpose of this act shall be to appoint SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Inclusivity Director.
- Section 3:** In accordance with Title III, Chapter 1, Section 5, Subsection C(ii) of the SGA Code Annotated, “The President shall appoint Directors with the advice and consent of the Legislative Branch,” the following student shall be appointed as Director to their respective department:
- Mahak Merchant – Director of the Department of Inclusivity

**Section 4:** This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author(s): Tavana Farzaneh, President of the Student Government Association  
Co-Author(s): Alex Gray, Vice President of the Student Government Association  
Cricket Kaya, Chief of Staff of the Student Government Association  
Co-Sponsor(s):

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: \_\_\_\_\_

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CONGRESSIONAL BILL CB-105-16  
SENATE BILL **GSXX-XX/GFXX-XX**

AS INTRODUCED

An Act of Procedure appointing SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Interior Director; providing for short title, providing for codification, and providing for 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 “SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Interior Director Appointment Act of 2021.”
- Section 2:** The purpose of this act shall be to appoint SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Interior Director.
- Section 3:** In accordance with Title III, Chapter 1, Section 5, Subsection C(ii) of the SGA Code Annotated, “The President shall appoint Directors with the advice and consent of the Legislative Branch,” the following student shall be appointed as Director to their respective department:
- Angelora Castellano – Director of the Department of Interior

**Section 4:** This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author(s): Tavana Farzaneh, President of the Student Government Association  
Co-Author(s): Alex Gray, Vice President of the Student Government Association  
Cricket Kaya, Chief of Staff of the Student Government Association  
Co-Sponsor(s):

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: \_\_\_\_\_

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CONGRESSIONAL BILL CB-105-14  
SENATE BILL **GSXX-XX/GFXX-XX**

AS INTRODUCED

An Act of Procedure appointing SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Exterior Director; providing for short title, providing for codification, and providing for 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 “SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Exterior Director Appointment Act of 2021.”
- Section 2:** The purpose of this act shall be to appoint SGA Executive Cabinet Department of Exterior Director.
- Section 3:** In accordance with Title III, Chapter 1, Section 5, Subsection C(ii) of the SGA Code Annotated, “The President shall appoint Directors with the advice and consent of the Legislative Branch,” the following student shall be appointed as Director to their respective department:
- Rickey Hewitt – Director of the Department of Exterior

**Section 4:** This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author(s): Tavana Farzaneh, President of the Student Government Association  
Co-Author(s): Alex Gray, Vice President of the Student Government Association  
Cricket Kaya, Chief of Staff of the Student Government Association  
Co-Sponsor(s):

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair of Congress: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted on a Motion by: Senator Woodward, seconded by Senator Al-Ramis

Action taken by Senate: Passed by unanimous consent

Verified by Chair of Senate: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by SGA President: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_