GSGA30-A08

Mandatory Enrollment Act

Summary: An amendment to the GSG Bylaws clarifying that members of the organization must be currently enrolled graduate students throughout the duration of their service.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF removing potential ambiguity in the GSG Bylaws by ensuring any Representative or Executive is currently enrolled in a graduate program while serving; and

Establishing procedures whereby the Vice President for Legislative Affairs may remove Representatives who are found to be no longer enrolled

BY AMENDING THE GSG BYLAWS AS FOLLOWS, ADDITIONS IN ITALICS:

1.1 Executive Committee

1.1.H Any Executive who seeks to resign from his/her elected position shall give notice to the Assembly and, when possible, assist with the transition of his/her position to a new officer. *If at any point during his/her term an Executive, for any reason, is found to no longer be enrolled in credits toward a graduate degree, that position shall immediately become vacant, and shall be filled according to the procedures set forth in Article 6.17.*

1.3 Duties and Responsibilities of the Vice President for Legislative Affairs

1.3.H Upon learning and verifying that a Representative is no longer enrolled in credits toward a graduate degree, declare that position vacant and notify the Elections Committee of the vacancy.

2.1 Responsibilities of Representatives

2.1.G Representatives shall maintain their enrollment throughout the duration of their term. If a Representative, for any reason, finds him/herself no longer enrolled in credits toward a graduate degree, it is the Representative's responsibility to resign his/her position.

2.1.G*H* All Representatives shall conduct themselves in a courteous and respectful manner. Questioning the motives or integrity of other members is strictly out of order. Repeated offenses within the Assembly shall be grounds for impeachment.

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Action(s) Taken:

By motion to amend, all references to “credit granting course” changed to “credits toward a graduate degree.”

APPROVED

Decision of GSG President

A signed copy is on file in the GSG Offices	1/21/2011
Signature of GSG President	Date