

BILL #4120

Representation of Graduate Students in ASCSU Executive Branch

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ENDORSED BY: The Graduate Student Council

WHEREAS: The advocacy and programming efforts of the Associated Students of Colorado State University are traditionally undergraduate-centric; and,

WHEREAS: The Associated Students of Colorado State University exists to serve all students at Colorado State University; and,

WHEREAS: Graduate Students are a vital part of the institution, and the Associated Students of Colorado State University should begin to work toward representing graduate students better; and,

WHEREAS: The Graduate Student Council (GSC) already exists to advocate for and represent Graduate Students; and,

WHEREAS: Having a better integration between the Graduate Student Council and the Executive Branch of the Associated Students of Colorado State University will benefit all graduate and undergraduate students and create a better relationship between students.

THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY ENACTED

That the appropriate pre-existing sentence within Article III of the Constitution of the Associated Students of Colorado State University be amended to read as follows:

“Section 305: The President shall appoint an Executive Cabinet including a Director of Finance who will oversee the financial workings of ASCSU and chair the Student Funding Board, one Controller who will oversee and maintain the ASCSU Executive budget, **and** a Director of Marketing who will oversee all marketing and public relations efforts of ASCSU, **and a Director of Graduate Student Affairs who will coordinate advocacy efforts for graduate and professional students.**”; and,

THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY FURTHER ENACTED

That an appropriately numbered section be added to the end of Article III of the Constitution of the Associated Students of Colorado State University be amended to read as follows:

“Section [Insert section number here]: The President of the Graduate Student Council shall appoint an active executive member of the Graduate Student Council to serve as the Director of Graduate Student Affairs in the Executive Cabinet no later than the Friday prior to Senate session defined in Article III, Section 301, to be ratified with the other appointed Cabinet members by the President-Elect. Should the Graduate Student Council President fail to appoint someone by the Friday prior to the Senate session defined in Article III, Section 301, the ASCSU President shall hire a Director of Graduate Student Affairs.”; and,

THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY FURTHER ENACTED

That the remaining sections in Article III of the Constitution of the Associated Students of Colorado State University be renumbered accordingly; and,

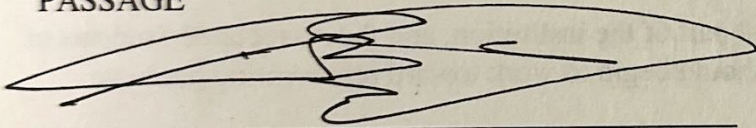
THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY FURTHER ENACTED

That a copy of this legislation be forwarded to Katherine Zaunbrecher, President, Graduate Student Council; The Graduate Student Council; Pamela Norris, Director of SLiCE; Dr. Mike Ellis, Assistant Vice President for Student Affairs; Dr. Tony Frank, Colorado State University President; Dr. Rick Miranda, Provost and Executive Vice President; Dr. Jodie Hanzlik, Dean, Graduate School; Dr. Blanche Hughes, Vice President for Student Affairs; and The Rocky Mountain Collegian.

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