



THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

75th STUDENT SENATE Statute Revision, Addition or Proposed Constitutional Amendment Form

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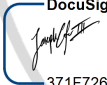
A revision to the Student Body Statutes

BE IT ENACTED BY THE SEVENTY FIFTH STUDENT SENATE THAT:

A revision is made to the Student Body Statutes: Chapter 914 (See attached).

Removal of the Student Council for Accessibility Advocacy (SCAA) from Student Body Statutes (SBS) as a result of Executive Order 7804's creation of the Student Accessibility Commission.

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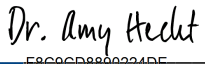
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Chapter 914 Student Council for Accessibility Advocacy

History: Created by 72nd Student Senate Bill 29.

914.1 Creation and Purpose

A. Creation

The act shall create a bureau of the Student Government Association known as the Student Council for Accessibility Advocacy (SCAA).

B. Purpose

1. Serve as a Student voice for accessibility and advocate for increased accessibility features on Florida State University's campus.
2. Collaborate with campus partners and offices responsible for accessibility.
3. Promoting both physical and mental accessibility measures within the Student Government Association.

914.2 Membership

Participation is open to students at Florida State University.

914.3 Board of Directors

A. Purpose

There shall be an executive board of SCAA to advise the Director on ways to enhance the operation and effectiveness of the Bureau.

B. Membership

1. The Board of Directors shall consist of six (6) members all of whom shall be students at the Florida State University.
2. The voting members will consist of the Director, Assistant Director, the Treasurer, and the six (6) Board members.

C. Composition

~~The Board of Directors shall meet no less than once a month. The Board of Directors shall be composed of six (6) members in addition to the following members:~~

- ~~1. Director of SCAA~~
- ~~2. Assistant Director of SCAA~~
- ~~3. Treasurer~~

~~D. Selection~~

~~The Director will select six (6) Board of Directors. Positions for Board of Directors must be advertised for at least two (2) weeks before filled.~~

~~E. Powers and Duties The Board shall:~~

- ~~1. Engage in programming that centers accessibility awareness.~~
- ~~2. Create advertisement for SCAA events and manage and update SCAA social media accounts.~~
- ~~3. Collaborate with other Florida State University organizations and departments.~~

~~914.4 Meetings~~

~~A. The Board of Directors members shall hold a minimum of one (1) meeting per month during the academic year.~~

- ~~1. Additional meetings shall be scheduled as needed.~~

~~B. Those Board members directly responsible for outreach shall hold a minimum of one (1) meeting at the start of the Fall and Spring semesters.~~

- ~~1. Direct and frequent communications with the directors shall be maintained by these Board members throughout the semester to ensure efficiency and accountability.~~

~~914.5 Director~~

~~A. Selection and Term of Office~~

- ~~1. The Director's position shall be advertised for at least two (2) weeks before interviews may be conducted. The applicants shall be interviewed and then appointed by the Student Body President and confirmed by the Student Senate in accordance with Chapter 202.1 A.~~

~~2. The Director's term shall end at the close of the Spring semester.~~

~~B. Powers and Duties~~

~~1. The Director shall conduct Board of Directors meetings on a regular basis.~~

~~2. The Director shall serve as a liaison between SGA and SCAA.~~

~~3. The Director shall oversee the application process for the Board of Directors and delegate their tasks and duties.~~

~~4. The Director shall be responsible for the overall efficiency, effectiveness, and operations of SCAA.~~

~~914.6 Assistant Director~~

~~A. Selection and Term of Office~~

~~1. The position of Assistant Director shall be advertised for at least two (2) weeks before interviews may be conducted. The applicants shall be interviewed and then appointed by the Student Body President and confirmed by the Student Senate in accordance with Chapter 202.1 A.~~

~~2. The Assistant Director term shall end at the close of the Spring semester.~~

~~B. Powers and Duties~~

~~1. The Assistant Director shall be responsible for aiding the Director and shall fulfill the duties of the Director in the Director's absence with the exception of the hiring and firing of staff.~~

~~2. The Assistant Director should oversee internal operations of SCAA such as supervising the board of directors~~

~~914.7 Treasurer~~

~~A. Selection~~

~~1. The treasurer's position shall be advertised for at least two (2) weeks before interviews may be conducted. The applicants shall be interviewed and then appointed by the Student Body President and confirmed by the Student Senate in accordance with Chapter 202.1 A.~~

~~2. The treasurer's term shall end at the end of the Spring semester.~~

~~B. Power and Duties~~

~~1. The treasurer shall:~~

- ~~a. Be financially certified with the Student Government Association Accounting Office.~~
- ~~b. Formulate, organize and effectively communicate a budget for SCAA through the Student Government Association.~~
- ~~c. Review all undergraduate funding applications for conferences and grant approval upon qualification and availability of funds.~~
- ~~d. Work with the advisor to approve or deny applications based on the qualification requirements, available funds, and adhere to the Finance Code.~~
- ~~e. Be responsible for turning in all receipts and documentation to the SGA Accounting Offices within the time restraints.~~
- ~~f. Work with the advisor to ensure fiscal responsibility with granting funds.~~
- ~~g. Grant funds based on a first come, first serve basis.~~
- ~~h. Make sure all funding adheres to the Finance Code~~

~~914.8 Removal from Office~~

~~The Board may recommend removal of any of its members or directors by a two-thirds (2/3) vote. Removal of any bureau officer must comply with relevant Student Body Statutes or by impeachment from the Student Senate.~~

~~915.9 Vacancies~~

~~Vacancies shall be filled by the original process, and the person filling the vacancy shall serve the remainder of the term of office.~~