

STUDENT SENATE BILL 2024-1461

TITLE: DEI Liaison Revision Act

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**RULE II
SENATE LIAISONS**

(AMENDED: 2010-113, 2010-117, 2014-106, 2017-110, 2019-124, 2020-1064, 2021-104, 2023-130)

1. Appointments:

- a. The President of the Senate may appoint Senate Liaisons to the other branches of Student Government and University auxiliaries.
- b. Senate Liaisons will serve at the leisure of the President of the Senate.
- c. Senate Liaisons must also hold Senate seats.
- d. The Senate President will meet with the Senate Liaisons at their leisure.
- e. The position shall be vacated upon each validation of elections.

2. Executive Branch Liaison:

- a. The Executive Branch Liaison will attend meetings of the Executive Cabinet, as defined by Section 213.4, S.B.S. and will report on the meeting of the Executive Cabinet to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
- b. The Executive Branch Liaison will maintain an open and working relationship with the Student Body Vice President, as well as serve as a facilitator between the Student Body Vice President and the Senate. The liaison will report on the activities of the Student Body Vice President to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
- c. The Executive Branch Liaison will attend meetings of the Student Government Productions (SGP) and the Accent Speakers Bureau (ACCENT) and report on the activities of both organizations to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
- d. The Executive Branch Liaison shall maintain an open and working relationship with the SGP Chairperson and the ACCENT Chairperson, as well as serve as a facilitator between the Chairmen and the Senate. The liaison shall report on the activities of the Chairmen to the Senate as requested by the Senate or by the Senate President.

- 3. University Police Department Liaison:**
 - a. The University Police Department Liaison will report to the Senate on the activities of the University Police Department, including matters pertaining to the Student Nighttime Auxiliary Patrol (S.N.A.P.), crime prevention, and outreach programs as requested by the Senate President.
 - b. The University Police Department Liaison will maintain an open and working relationship with the Chief of Police, as well as serve as a facilitator between the Chief of Police and the Senate. The liaison will report on the activities of the Chief to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
- 4. J. Wayne Reitz Student Union Liaison:**
 - a. The J. Wayne Reitz Student Union Liaison will attend meetings of the Reitz Union Board of Managers and report on the activities of the J. Wayne Reitz Union to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
 - b. The J. Wayne Reitz Student Union Liaison will maintain an open and working relationship with the J. Wayne Reitz Union Executive Director, as well as serve as a facilitator between the Executive Director and the Senate. The liaison will report on the activities of the Executive Director to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
- 5. Department of Recreational Sports Liaison:**
 - a. The Department of Recreational Sports Liaison will attend meetings of the Department of Recreational Sports Board of Directors and report on the activities of the Department of Recreational Sports to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
 - b. The Department of Recreational Sports Liaison shall maintain an open and working relationship with the Department of Recreational Sports Director, as well as serve as a facilitator between the Director and the Senate. The liaison shall report on the activities of the Director to the Senate as requested by the Senate or by the Senate President.
- 6. Student Activities and Involvement Liaison:**
 - a. The Student Activities and Involvement Liaison will report to the Senate on the activities of Student Activities and Involvement, including matters pertaining to student organizations and campus events, Sorority and Fraternity Affairs, and the David and Wanda Brown Center for Leadership & Service as requested by the Senate President.
 - b. The Student Activities and Involvement Liaison will maintain an open and working relationship with the Student Activities and Involvement Director, as well as serve as facilitator between the Director and the Senate. The liaison will report on the activities of the Director to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
- 7. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Liaison**
 - a. The Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Liaison will report to the Senate on the activities of ~~the Office of the Chief Diversity Officer and~~ the Center for Inclusion & Multicultural Engagement, as requested by the Senate President.

- b. The Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Liaison will maintain an open and working relationship with ~~the Chief Diversity Officer and~~ the Director of the Center for Inclusion & Multicultural Engagement, as well as serve as a facilitator between these individuals and the Senate. The liaison will report on the activities of the ~~Chief Diversity Officer and~~ the Director of the Center for Inclusion & Multicultural Engagement to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.

8. Sustainability Liaison:

- a. The Sustainability Liaison will attend meetings of the Office of Sustainability and report on the activities of the Office of Sustainability to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
- b. The Sustainability Liaison shall maintain an open and working relationship with the Director of the Office of Sustainability, as well as serve as a facilitator between the Director and the Senate. The liaison shall report on the activities of the Director to the Senate as requested by the Senate or by the Senate President.

9. Registrar Liaison:

- a. The Registrar Liaison will attend meetings of The Office of the University Registrar and report on the activities of The Office of the University Registrar to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
- b. The Registrar Liaison shall maintain an open and working relationship with the Director of The Office of the University Registrar, as well as serve as a facilitator between the Director and the Senate. The liaison shall report on the activities of the Director to the Senate as requested by the Senate or by the Senate President.
- c. The Registrar Liaison will collaborate with the Judiciary committee as a non-voting advisory member in the drafting of any apportionment legislation.

10. Center for Undergraduate Research (CUR) Liaison:

- a. The CUR Liaison will attend meetings of CUR and report on the activities of The Office of the CUR to the Senate as requested by the Senate President.
- b. The CUR Liaison shall maintain an open and working relationship with the Director of The CUR, as well as serve as a facilitator between the Director and the Senate. The liaison shall report on the activities of the Director to the Senate as requested by the Senate or by the Senate President.



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