

# **School of Medicine Student Government At UC San Diego Constitution**

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## **Article I. Name of Student Organization**

The organization shall be called the School of Medicine Student Government at UC San Diego

## **Article II. Statement of Purpose**

To represent the students of the UC San Diego School of Medicine and, as their voice, promote the achievement of their goals regarding all priorities of student life including educational, professional, cultural, social and personal aims.

### **Goals**

- A. Galvanize our student body towards impactful initiatives that enrich our San Diego Community.
- B. Improve and maintain communication and relationships among students, faculty, and administration.
- C. Advocate for students' interests in university decision making.
- D. Enhance students' intellectual and academic growth.
- E. Facilitate the formation, growth, and success of student organizations, and foster students' participation in these organizations.
- F. Sponsor social activities to increase intra-/inter-class cohesiveness and enhance the medical student experience.
- G. Foster an atmosphere of inclusion for all students in the School of Medicine
- H. Act as an ancillary sentinel for students' mental well-being.

## **Article III. Nonprofit Statement**

The School of Medicine Student Government at UC San Diego is a non-profit student organization.

## **Article IV. Risk Management**

The School of Medicine Student Government at UC San Diego is a registered student organization at the University of California, San Diego, but not part of the University itself.

The School of Medicine Student Government at UC San Diego understands that the University does not assume legal liability for the actions of the organization.

## **Article V. Requirements for Membership & Officer Qualifications**

Membership in the organization is open to any medical student, consistent with the non-discrimination policies of the University of California.

Only registered UC San Diego students may hold office in the organization. Only registered UC San Diego students may vote in elections for the selection of the organization's officers.

Details about meetings, officer positions and the election process may be found in the sections below.

## **VI. Organization**

- A. Each class will elect Class Officers to their Class Council.
- B. The four Class Councils make up the Student Council.
- C. UC San Diego SOM Student Government includes all Class Officers and all Student Representatives elected by each class to represent them in various interests.

## **VII. Class Council**

- A. The Class Council is comprised of the following Class Officers for each School of Medicine Class (MSI-MSIV):
  - 1. President
  - 2. Director of Academic Interests
  - 3. Director of Community Engagement
  - 4. Director of Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion
  - 5. Director of Fiscal Affairs
  - 6. Director of Professional Interests
  - 7. Director of Student Affairs
  - 8. Director of Student Recruitment Activities
  - 9. Historian
  - 10. Organization of Student Representatives (OSR) Representative
- B. Class Councils may hold Class Meetings or other student forums open to members of their class as needed to address issues of concern to their class.
- C. It is each Class Council's responsibility to regularly provide relevant information to and solicit feedback from all members of their class.

## **VIII. Student Council Meetings**

- A. The Student Council will hold a monthly meeting during the academic year to discuss school-wide issues. With reasonable notice, additional Student Council meetings may be called, as needed, by agreement of two or more Class Presidents.
- B. The Student Council meetings will generally be led in the fall quarter by the MSII Class President and in the winter and spring quarters by the MSI Class President.
- C. Requests for agenda items will be requested the week of each meeting and an agenda will be distributed at or before the Student Council meeting.
- D. Minutes will generally be taken and made publicly available to all students in the fall quarter by the MSII Historian and in the winter and spring quarters by the MSI Historian.
- E. The Student Council meeting will facilitate close communication between the student body, the Office of Student Affairs (OSA), the Associate Dean of Undergraduate Medical Education, and the Associate Dean of Admissions and Student Affairs. The Student Council will use the meeting to keep the Deans and OSA informed about student needs and concerns.
- F. Voting
  - 1. All members of Student Council are eligible to vote on matters arising before the Student Council.
  - 2. A simple majority of the members of Student Council present at any meeting or participating in an electronic vote is required to carry a vote.
  - 3. To allow for participation from all Student Council members, all matters that pertain to the following shall be conducted via an electronic vote with quorum required.
    - a. Amendments to this Charter
    - b. Financial Allocations over \$200

- c. Removal from office of a Student Government member.
  - d. Any other individual matter as determined by a majority of the Student Council members present at a Student Council meeting.
4. Quorum is defined as participation from at least 2/3 of the combined MSI and MSII Class Officers and at least two Class Officers from each of the MSIII and MSIV classes.
  5. All Class Officers shall be counted individually for the purposes of determining quorum, regardless of whether they are in shared roles (e.g., co-directors).
  6. For electronic votes conducted under section IV.E.3 above, the votes of Class Officers in shared roles shall be apportioned (e.g., 1/2 vote) so that each role gets a total of one vote.
  7. Amendments to the Charter may not be made in the fall quarter before an MSI Council has been elected.

## IX. Elections

- A. The Office of Student Affairs will be responsible for organizing and holding elections.
- B. Eligibility
  - 1. Any student in good academic standing as defined by the UC San Diego School of Medicine may run for a position in Student Government.
  - 2. No individual may hold more than one Class Officer position at any one time.
  - 3. If a member of Student Government resigns, is removed from office, or falls out of good academic standing, the remaining Class Officers for that class may appoint a replacement to serve until the next election.
  - 4. A member of Student Government in a multi-year role who takes a year or more away from medical school to complete a program such as PRIME or MSTP may continue to hold their position with their matriculating class while completing their program. If desired, the member's Class Council may appoint someone to share the role while the member is away.
- C. Candidates may submit a written statement of intent of no more than 200 words. The statements will be compiled and distributed to each class prior to elections. Campaigning is limited to these statements and word of mouth. Campaigning via electronic messaging, printed materials, or other means is prohibited.
- D. Candidates may run in teams of no more than two to share a role (e.g., co-directors) except for the roles of Class President, Director of Academic Affairs, OSR, and the student representatives to the Committee on Educational Policy, Core Curriculum Committee, Electives Committee, Standing and Promotions Committee, and Student Affairs Committee.
- E. Class Officers must be elected by a vote of 50 percent plus 1 vote. If no candidate receives 50%+1 after the first election, a run-off election will be held between the two candidates who received the most votes. If the run-off for any role other than those exempted in section V.D. above results in a tie, then the candidates may discuss sharing the position. If the tied candidates decline to share the role or are running for a role exempt from sharing, the other Class Council members for that class year shall vote to determine the winner.
- F. The Student Representative candidate with a simple majority of the votes shall be elected to the position. If there is a tie vote, a run-off election will be held. If the run-off for any role other than those exempted in section V.D. above results in a second tie, then the candidates may discuss sharing the position. If the tied candidates decline to share the role or are running for a role exempt from sharing, the Class Council for that class year shall vote to determine the winner.
- G. Timing
  - 1. MSI Class –
    - a. Interim positions will be filled at the start of the fall quarter by the OSA from solicited volunteers.
    - b. Elections for MSI Student Government positions will be held toward the end of the fall quarter.
    - c. The terms for MSI Class Officers will officially begin on the date of the last Student Council meeting of the fall quarter.
    - d. The terms for MSI Student Representative positions will officially begin on the first day of the winter quarter.

2. Elections for the following year's MSII, MSIII, and MSIV Class Officers and Student Representatives will occur toward the end of the spring quarter and the elected students' terms will begin after the last day of the spring quarter.
3. Unless otherwise stated in this Charter, the term of office for all Student Government positions is one academic year, ending on the last day of the spring quarter.
4. The timing of elections may be altered at the discretion of the Office of Student Affairs with the approval of the Associate Dean of Admissions and Student Affairs.

## **X. Removal from Office**

- A. Any Student Council member may call for a vote of removal for a Class Officer or Student Representative from their class who consistently fails to perform their duties as prescribed by this document.
- B. This requires an electronic vote as prescribed in section IV.F.3. above.

## **XI. Student Government Positions**

- A. **GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES** – All Student Government members should maintain regular contact with their counterparts in the other classes to share knowledge, promote communication, encourage collaboration, and avoid duplication of efforts.
- B. **MSI INTERIM POSITIONS**
  1. Interim Committee Representatives – One MSI student will be selected to serve in each of the following positions to represent and vote on behalf of the MSI class at Student Council meetings until MSI Class Officers are elected and to serve on the respective faculty committee meetings for the full fall quarter:
    - a. Committee on Educational Policy (CEP) Interim Representative
    - b. Core Curriculum Committee (CCC) Interim Representative
    - c. Electives Committee (EC) Interim Representative
    - d. Student Affairs Committee (SAC) Interim Representative
  2. Interim Course Representatives – One MSI student will be selected to serve as the liaison between their classmates and the course director, course coordinator, and administration for each of the MSI fall quarter courses. Interim Course Representatives, including the interim representatives to year-long courses and threads, will serve for the fall quarter only.
  3. Interim Admissions Representatives – Four MSI students will be selected to work on recruitment efforts with the MSII Director for Student Recruitment, MSII Admissions Representatives, and Admissions Office for the fall quarter.
  4. Interim AC Liaisons – Two MSI students from each Academic Community will be selected to work with the MSII-MSIV AC Liaisons and AC Directors to plan fall quarter social and community events for their AC.

### C. CLASS OFFICER POSITIONS

#### 1. General Responsibilities

- a. Attend Student Council meetings to represent their class and report on relevant issues, activities, and efforts.
- b. Vote on matters arising before the Student Council.
- c. Regularly solicit input and feedback from a broad array of their classmates.
- d. Directors will act as a liaison between Student Council and any Student Representatives in their class assigned to their respective areas in section VII.D below, connecting at least once per quarter with each to ensure effective communication of relevant information and issues between their Class Council, Student Council, administration, and students.

#### 2. President

- a. Serves as the primary representative for their class.
- b. Provides direction and coordinates the efforts of their Class Council on class-specific and school-wide initiatives and events.
- c. Leads Student Council Meetings as described in section IV.B. above.
- d. Serves as the primary intermediary between their class and administration.
- e. Responsible for ensuring communication between their Class Council and the members of their class.

#### 3. Director of Academic Interests

- a. Serves as the primary student representative regarding academic issues for their class.
- b. Serves as the Committee on Educational Policy (CEP) Student Representative.
- c. Solicits feedback from their class about the curriculum and other academic issues.
- d. Communicates academic concerns and suggestions from their class to faculty and administration.
- e. Helps to promote relevant resources provided by the Office of Educational Support Services and other academic support groups to their class.

#### 4. Director of Community Engagement

- a. Serves as the primary representative for their class on outreach efforts and integration of UC San Diego School of Medicine within the community of San Diego.
- b. Supports and promotes existing community service and outreach programs and the realization of new student projects.
- c. Works with AC Liaisons to maintain and enhance the Academic Communities' outreach projects.
- d. Works with Assistant Dean of Diversity and Community Partnerships to further UC San Diego School of Medicine engagement of the community.
- e. Maintains communication with community service-related SOM student interest groups and UC San Diego undergraduate organizations working on health-related service projects to encourage collaboration and promote events.

5. Director of Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI)
  - a. Serves as the primary representative for their class regarding students underrepresented in medicine.
  - b. Works with Admissions, the Associate Dean for Admissions & Student Affairs, the Assistant Dean of Diversity and Community Partnerships (DCP), the Directors of Student Recruitment Efforts, and students on recruitment and retention efforts.
  - c. Serves as a liaison to Student Council for EDI-related student interest groups to promote and support EDI efforts.
  - d. Encourages cooperation with EDI-related UC San Diego undergraduate premedical organizations.
  - e. The MSII Director of Equity, Diversity and Inclusion generally works with OSA, DCP, and EDI-related student interest groups as the primary Student Council contact for the organization of Diversity Month.
6. Director of Fiscal Affairs
  - a. Serves as the primary coordinator for their class on fundraising efforts and advisor for their class on financial allocations.
  - b. Coordinates the collection efforts and manages the use of class funds.
  - c. Ensures that all uses of class funds are approved by their class President and Director of Student Affairs and effectively communicated to their class.
  - d. Coordinates with OSA and their Class Council to plan and execute fundraisers, events, and activities which may include:
    - i. MSI - Winter Formal and Talent Show.
    - ii. MSII - Orientation Week social activities and Big Sib pairings.
    - iii. MSIV – Match Day festivities and Senior Banquet.
7. Director of Professional Interests
  - a. Serves as the primary representative for their class for professional development efforts.
  - b. Serves as the Student Council liaison to career- and specialty-related student interest groups.
  - c. Promotes professional development opportunities and activities involving professional organizations, the Careers in Medicine program, and the Alumni Office to the student body.
8. Director of Student Affairs
  - a. Serves as the primary coordinator of social activities for their class.
  - b. Plans and executes social activities for their class and the student body generally.
  - c. Serves as the Student Council liaison for their class to all student interest groups, and may work with OSA as needed on SIG registration, promotion, fairs, funding, and other related matters.
  - d. Coordinates with OSA, their Class Council, and Social Committee Representatives to plan and execute fundraisers, events, and activities which may include:
    - i. MSI - Winter Formal and Talent Show.
    - ii. MSII - Orientation Week social activities and Big Sib pairings.
    - iii. MSIV – Match Day festivities and Senior Banquet



9. Director of Student Recruitment Activities

- a. Serves as the primary representative for their class on recruitment efforts.
- b. Coordinates and facilitates recruitment efforts in collaboration with the Admissions Office and the Directors of Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion including communications, lunch tours, campus visits, interview days, and Second Look.
- c. Reports at Student Council meetings on current and upcoming student recruitment activities, efforts, and events.

10. Historian

- a. Serves as the primary representative for their class responsible for documenting Class and Student Council meetings and recording student memories.
- b. Takes minutes at Student Council meetings as described in section IV.D. above.
- c. Collaborates with OSA to make Student Council meeting minutes accessible to all members of the student body.
- d. Works with OSA and Class and Student Council members to ensure continuity by developing and maintaining methods for the retention and transfer of Student Council records and knowledge from year to year.
- e. May collaborate with OSA and the Digital Experience Committee on matters relating to communication, calendaring, social media, the SOM website, etc.

11. Organization of Student Representatives (OSR) Representative

- a. Serves as the representative for their class to the OSR, the student branch of the AAMC.
- b. Attends national and regional AAMC meetings in rotation with the OSR Representatives from the other classes.
- c. Stays informed on national and regional issues affecting medical students and medical education and reports at Student Council meetings on relevant activities, issues, and efforts.
- d. This position is not elected under the process outlined in section V above. Instead, OSR Representatives are appointed in the fall quarter of their MSI year by the Associate Dean of Admissions and Student Affairs after an application and interview process facilitated by OSA. The selected candidates should be ratified with a vote of the MS1 Class Officers at the last Student Council meeting of the fall quarter.
- e. The term of service for this position is four years.

**D. STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE POSITIONS**

1. General Responsibilities

- a. Solicit feedback from and communicate information to the students in their class regarding matters relevant to their role.
- b. Connect at least once per quarter with the Class Council Director assigned to their respective areas in this section (VII.D.) to ensure effective communication of information and issues identified in the course their role to the Class Councils, Student Council, administration, and students.

- c. Notify their Class Council Director in a timely manner of any issues that should be brought before the Student Council.
- d. Representatives may attend Student Council meetings and should ask their Class Council Director or other Class Officer to be added to the meeting agenda.
- e. Unless otherwise elsewhere in this Charter, each class elects one representative each year to serve in the following roles.

## 2. ACADEMIC INTERESTS STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES

- a. Committee on Educational Policy (CEP) Student Representative
  - i. The CEP Student Representative advocates students' interests in educational matters, especially the curriculum, and serves on the CEP.
  - ii. The Director of Academic Interests occupies this position.
  - iii. Duties may include but are not limited to: serving on the CEP, preparing for and attending CEP meetings, representing students' interests to the faculty at meetings, and communicating important matters to the Student Council and student body.
- b. Core Curriculum Committee (CCC) Student Representative
  - i. The CCC Student Representative serves as the primary advocate from their class for medical students' interests regarding the core curriculum.
  - ii. Duties may include but are not limited to: serving on the CCC, attending and representing students' interests to the committee at CCC meetings, preparing for CCC meetings by pre-reading materials or conducting other activities, and meeting with Student Representatives to core curriculum courses.
- c. Electives Committee (EC) Student Representative
  - i. The EC Student Representative serves as the primary advocate from their class for medical students' interests regarding elective courses and the Independent Study Project.
  - ii. Duties may include but are not limited to: serving on the EC, attending and representing students' interests to the committee at EC meetings, and preparing for EC meetings by pre-reading materials or conducting other activities.
- d. Standing and Promotions Committee (SPC) Student Representative
  - i. The SPC Student Representative serves as the primary representative from their class for medical students' interests regarding academic performance during both pre-clinical and clinical courses.
  - ii. The SPC Student Representative is not responsible for acting as an advocate for any individual student and does not meet with the committee when students are being discussed.
  - iii. Duties may include but are not limited to: serving on the SPC, attending and representing students' interests to the committee at SPC meetings when issues of policy are under consideration, and preparing for SPC meetings.

- e. Student Representatives to Courses and Threads
  - i. Student Representatives to individual courses and threads serve as the primary advocate for students' interests for that course/thread and serve as the student contact for the administration and the faculty for issues concerning that specific course/thread.
  - ii. For courses/threads which have committees with positions allocated to students, the Student Representative to that course/thread occupies that committee position.
  - iii. Duties of the Student Representatives may include but are not limited to:
    - Becoming familiarized with the course/thread and related materials.
    - Connecting with the course/thread coordinator and director before the start of the course/thread to discuss the role and clarify expectations.
    - Establishing effective communication channels with classmates to solicit feedback and identify concerns.
    - Communicating issues from students to the course/thread director and/or coordinator and vice versa.
    - Encouraging classmates to complete evaluations.
    - At the conclusion of the course/thread, discussing how the course went with the coordinator and director.
  - iv. The term of service for these positions is the duration of the course or thread.
- f. Educational Development and Evaluation Student Representative
  - i. The Educational Development and Evaluation (EDE) Student Representative serves as the primary advocate from their class for students' interests pertaining to course and faculty evaluations.
  - ii. Duties may include but are not limited to: serving as an advisor to the Office of Educational Development and Evaluation, attending and preparing for OEDE meetings, facilitating communication between students, the Student Representatives to Courses and Threads, and the OEDE staff.
  - iii. The term of service for this position is four years.
- g. Student Innovations Group Student Representative
  - i. The Student Innovations Group Student Representative serves as the primary advocate from their class for students' interests pertaining to technology services and policies provided by the school and MedEd Tech.
  - ii. Duties may include but are not limited to: facilitating communication between students and MedEd Tech, and attending and representing students' interests at Innovations Group meetings.

- h. Teaching Award Student Representative
    - i. The Teaching Award Student Representative serves as the primary representative to the process of selecting the annual Kaiser Excellence in Teaching Award recipient(s) for their class.
    - ii. Each class (MSI – MSIV) chooses one faculty member each year to receive the Kaiser Excellence in Teaching Award.
    - iii. The MSIII and MSIV students together choose two house staff members to receive the Kaiser Excellence in Teaching Award.
    - iv. Duties may include but are not limited to: collaborating with OSA to promote and encourage student participation in the Kaiser Award selection process each winter quarter.
    - v. The term of service for this position is four years.
3. EQUITY, DIVERSITY, AND INCLUSION STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES
- a. EDI Committee Representative
    - i. The EDI Committee Representatives serve as the representatives from their class to the EDI Committee led by the Directors of Equity, Diversity and Inclusion.
    - ii. Duties may include but are not limited to: assisting the Directors of EDI, participating in recruitment efforts, collaborating with the diversity-related student interest groups and the Anti-Racism Coalition, and helping to plan and execute Diversity Month.
    - iii. Two representatives will be elected from each of the MSI and MSII classes and one representative will be elected from each of the MSIII and MSIV classes.
4. FISCAL AFFAIRS STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES
- a. Graduate and Professional Student Association (GPSA) Student Representative
    - i. The GPSA Student Representatives serve as liaisons between the UC San Diego Graduate and Professional Student Association and the Medical School. Duties may include but are not limited to: serving on the GPSA, preparing for and attending GPSA meetings, and requesting funds from the GPSA for medical student events.
    - ii. Each fall quarter, the MSI class will elect two GPSA Student Representatives to each serve a two-year term. No GPSA Student Representatives will be elected from the other classes absent a vacancy.
  - b. Student Lounge Representative
    - i. The Student Lounge Representative serves as the primary advocate from their class for student interests concerning the use and maintenance the student lounge.
    - ii. Duties may include but are not limited to: assisting in the coordination of lounge cleaning and organization, requesting supplies, and suggesting purchases for the Lounge.
5. PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES
- a. Medical Alumni Association Liaison
    - i. The Medical Alumni Association Liaison serves as the primary representative from their class to the Alumni Association.
    - ii. Duties may include but are not limited to: collaborating with OSA and/or the Alumni Office to plan, execute, and promote receptions and events (e.g., Career Night), providing the Alumni Office with suggestions or ideas for alumni involvement, and coordinating student participation in fundraisers and communication efforts.

## 6. STUDENT AFFAIRS STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES

### a. Academic Community (AC) Liaison

- i. The AC Liaisons serve as the primary student representatives from their class to their Academic Communities.
- ii. Duties may include but are not limited to:
  - Working with their Academic Community Director (ACD) and OSA to cultivate and promote mentoring, well-being, and service-learning within their AC.
  - Soliciting student feedback about the AC.
  - Working with their ACD and OSA to plan AC activities such as Senior Mentor events, quarterly AC Cup competitions, and community service projects.
  - Attending monthly ACD Meetings.
- iii. Two AC Liaisons per AC will be elected from the MSI class.
- iv. The term of service for this position is four years.

### b. Social Committee Representative

- i. The Social Committee Representatives serve as the representatives from their class to the Social Committee.
- ii. The Social Committee, comprised of the Directors of Student Affairs and the Social Committee Representatives organizes social functions for students and medical school community members.
- iii. Duties include but are not limited to: organizing and promoting functions, events, and activities that enable the medical school community to interact in a social environment.
- iv. Two Representatives will be elected from each of the MSI and MSII classes and one Representative will be elected from each of the MSIII and MSIV classes.

### c. Student Affairs Committee (SAC) Student Representative

- i. The SAC Student Representative serves as the primary representative from their class for medical students' interests regarding student affairs issues not related to the admissions process or academic performance, including incidences of cheating and instruction-related misconduct.
- ii. Duties may include but are not limited to: serving on the SAC, attending and representing students' interests to the committee at SAC meetings, preparing for SAC meetings, and, if needed, serving on a hearing board for non-academic student misconduct.

d. Wellness Student Advisory Board (WSAB) Representative

- i. The WSAB Representative serves as the primary representative from their class to the WSAB regarding wellness issues and activities.
- ii. The WSAB consists of OSA staff and the WSAB Representatives. The SOM Advisor for Wellness may meet with the WSAB occasionally, as needed.
- iii. Duties may include but are not limited to: attending and representing students' interests to the WSAB; working with OSA to plan, promote, and develop activities to enhance student wellness; providing student feedback to OSA and administration; and participating in wellness activities.
- iv. Two Representatives will be elected from each of the MSI and MSII classes and one Representative will be elected from each of the MSIII and MSIV classes

7. STUDENT RECRUITMENT ACTIVITIES STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES

a. Admissions Representative

- i. The Admissions Representatives serve as representatives from their class for recruitment activities.
- ii. Duties may include but are not limited to: coordinating lunch, campus, and Free-Clinic tours for interviewees; communicating with applicants and accepted students through post-interview correspondence, congratulatory letters, and answering applicants' questions; and planning and implementing Second Look activities.
- iii. Four Representatives will be elected each year from the MS1 class.
- iv. The term of service for this position is two years.

## **Appendix: Charter Amendments**

May 06, 2006: Council Unanimously Approved and Amended

Student Lounge Committee Representative Position Description

Kaiser Teaching Award Representative Description

May 19, 2007: Unanimously Approved and Amended by School-Wide Vote

Voting Policy to Amend Charter (from School-wide vote to Council-wide vote)

August 18, 2007: Changed by Council

Student Representatives to Courses Description; Teaching Award Representative Description;

Student Lounge Committee Student Representative Description; Language Updates and Minor Changes

August 18, 2007: Added by Council

Biomedical Library Student Liaison Position and Description

Incoming Student Representative Position and Description

Educational Development and Evaluation Student Representative Position and Description

January 10, 2010: Unanimously Approved and Amended by Student Council Vote

Added option to split Director of Social and Fiscal Affairs positions

Clarified OSA role in conducting elections

May 14, 2010: Unanimously Approved and Amended by Student Council Vote

Added specifics to elections, campaigning and student statements.

Language edits by Director of Student Life for Biomedical Library and Student Lounge representative positions.

April 20, 2011: Edits related to length of service language for previously mentioned position.

February 2014: Review and update of entire Charter

March 2015: Addition of Historian position

November 2015:

Added OSR to class councils; name change for Director of Diversity & Community Engagement;

Eligibility for MSTP students,

March 3, 2017: Approved and Amended by Student Council Vote:

Changed title from Director of Social Affairs to Director of Student Affairs; made change throughout the Charter. Created Course Thread Representative for Ultrasound Thread.

December 1, 2017: Unanimously Approved and Amended by Student Council Vote:

Change Educational Computing (EdCom) Advisory Committee Student Representative to

Medical Education Technology (MedEDTech) Advisory Committee Student Representative;

Created two positions from the Director of Diversity and Community Partnerships. New positions are: Director of Community Engagement and the Director of Equity, Diversity and Inclusion; Minor edits to student organization and committee assignments.

June 2019: Amended by Student Council Vote:

Added Director of Student Recruitment Activities position to Class Councils [starting with the class of 2022]

March 2, 2020: Unanimously Approved and Amended by Student Council Vote:

Updated numbering and organization of charter for uniformity and clarity; minor edits to text to reflect past amendments

Update to GSA Student Representative election procedure (§VII.D.3.a)

May 16, 2021: Unanimously Approved by Student Council Vote

Edits to Student Council voting rules and quorum definitions, clarification of election processes, and improved descriptions of council and representative positions duties.