

SGA President Report

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Hello all! I apologize for not being able to be there today, but I wanted to update you on what Student Government is doing.

Election season is upon us. We are in the process of electing 2015-2016 executive officers and senators. Elections will be held on March 31st and April 1st. We have a particularly competitive election this year, so we are hoping for a great voter turnout. I will share with you the results and introduce my presidential successor at the April senate meeting.

SGA has only met once since senate met last, so we do not have much to report. We approved a resolution that encouraged permanent areas be set aside on campus for faculty, staff, and students to express breastmilk when necessary. Human Resources currently works in setting aside temporary spaces for new mothers on campus, which we applaud them for, but we hope that this will be a simple step forward to even further improve quality of life for new moms on the hill.

We also approved funding to conduct a new re-usable pilot program with Aramark. Our senators will be trying out a take-out container and a re-usable shopping bag while dining on campus. If our pilot is successful, Aramark may give students (and potentially faculty and staff, if interested) the option to participate in this program with a small deposit for the containers.

That is all SGA has to report this month. As always, feel free to contact me or one of the SGA representatives in senate if you have any questions or concerns.

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