

**University of Baltimore**

**Student Government Association**

**Legislation 2020-2021**

**Resolution #5**

**Resolution** To Create an Ad-Hoc Committee on Diversity Equity and Inclusion within SGA for  
Term 2020-2021

**Introduced by: Randolph Wells**

**Sponsored by: Randolph, Wells, Joseph Ha**

**Written By: Randolph Wells and Daniel Khoshkepazi**

**WHEREAS**, SGA at this time does not have a committee committed to doing work specifically in relation to Diversity, Equity and Inclusion,

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary for SGA to cultivate opportunities that encourage our campus community to recognize diversity and foster an inclusive environment,

**WHEREAS** it is necessary for our campus community to be involved in their college's decision-making process by providing students with an opportunity to have a voice on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion initiatives through the development of a student committee,

**WHEREAS**, to date, SGA has not actively addressed issues concerning students of oppressed or minority communities and creating a committee that is specifically designated with such work will ensure that SGA is consistently pursuing efforts that center around such work,

**THEREFORE, LET IT BE ENACTED THAT:** SGA senate supports the creation of an Ad-Hoc Committee on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion for term 2020-2021, dissolving on August 7th, 2021 at 11:59pm,

**LET IT BE ENACTED THAT:** The Ad-Hoc Committee on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion shall have the responsibility to establish diversity initiatives and programs on behalf of SGA for the greater campus community,

**LET IT BE ENACTED THAT:** Ad-Hoc Committee on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion shall be responsible for addressing the concerns of groups including but not limited to: women,

communities of color, ethnic communities, LGBTQ+ Community, students with different abilities, international students, other appropriate constituents and coordinate action to investigate their concerns and take corrective and proper actions,

**LET IT BE ENACTED THAT:** the Ad-Hoc Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee shall be responsible for holding vigils, moments of silence and silent sit-ins in correspondence with SGA

**LET IT BE ENACTED THAT:** the Ad-Hoc Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee shall cultivate initiatives that will advance the interests of minority students at the University of Baltimore

**LET IT BE ENACTED THAT:** Senator Randolph Wells will be appointed to lead this committee.

**Date Introduced:** 08/04/2020

**Date of Vote:** 08/04/2020

**Senate Vote:** Pass

**Speaker of Senate Joseph Ha**

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**Vice President Kevin McHugh**

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**President Daniel Khoshkepazi**

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