



Student Government Resolution 118.001

**A Resolution Establishing the Senatorial-Organization Liaison Program
Sponsored by Keaton Leppanen, President of the Student Association and
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WHEREAS,

- The Student Government is the official governing body of the Student Association and exists to represent the present and long term best interest of the Student Association in the formulation of University policy and in the fulfillment of the University mission; and
- In order to effectively and accurately represent the members of the Student Association, Student Government must actively seek input from our constituents; and
- In order to be held accountable to our constituents, it is necessary that we maintain transparency regarding our priorities and projects; and
- In order for us to accomplish these mandates, we must ensure Student Government is a visible and accessible organization on Truman's campus; and
- Truman's campus is home to over 220 student organizations¹; and
- According to the 2018-2019 Truman Student Ambassador Handbook, over 70% of Truman students participate in at least two student organizations; and
- Each student organization has a unique purpose and, accordingly, its membership has a unique perspective on Truman's campus and how to best improve it; and
- By opening lines of communication with other Truman student organizations, Student Government will increase our communication, visibility, and quality of representation with respect to organizations' participatory students;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT,

- Establishes the Senatorial-Organization Liaison Program² in order to facilitate increased communication with our fellow Truman students.

THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF TRUMAN STATE DIRECTS THAT,

Additional copies of this resolution be disseminated to Janna Stoskopf, Vice President of Student Affairs; Damon Pee, Program Advisor for Organizational Engagement and Leadership; the Office of Special Collections; and the Truman Media Network.

¹ <http://csi.truman.edu/studentorgs/studentorganizationslist/?filter=Academic%2FProfessional>

² see appendix

APPENDIX: THE SENATORIAL-ORGANIZATION LIAISON PROGRAM

Purpose: To increase Student Government's communication, visibility, and representativeness with respect to various on campus organizations and, by extension, their participatory students.

Implementation:

- Each Standing Committee is given a list of organizations relating to their purpose and subject matter.
- Each Standing Committee is tasked with facilitating communication with their organizations concerning Student Government resources, projects, and events.
- Each Standing Committee is tasked with gathering student input and suggestions from the membership of their various organizations concerning current and future Student Government projects.
- How this is done is left up to the Chairs' discretions. Suggestions include:
 - Designating a committee member to be the contact person for several organizations
 - Emailing organization leadership
 - Sending a member to speak to the organization in person
 - Explain exactly what Student Government does and how it relates to them.
 - Creating an email list of interested individuals from these organizations to maintain contact with.
 - Once a month, or when a relevant issue arises, contact them:
 - Tell them what your committee is working on
 - Explain how certain issues are relevant to or might affect them
 - Ask them if they have any opinions about the things your committee is working on
 - Ask them if they have any project ideas or suggestions they would like you to look into.
 - Encouraging further involvement in Student Government by explaining how their organization can elect a representative to Student Senate.
- Keep in mind, the main purpose of this program is to help make Senate more accessible by associating a face with Senate, someone organizations and individuals can reach out to and talk with about various matters.

Organization Assignments:

- Organizational assignments are subject to change and shall be determined by the Student Government President in consultation with the Executive Committee.

- Suggested organization assignments by committee for the 2018-2019 school year:

Academic Affairs:

- Alpha Kappa Psi
- Association for Computing Machinery
- Beta Alpha Psi
- Delta Sigma Pi
- Elementary Education Club
- Mathematical Association of America
- Mathematics and Science Secondary Education
- National Communication Association Student Club
- National Education Association
- Phi Beta Lambda
- Society of Actuaries at Truman State University
- Student Missouri State Teachers Association
- TruWomen in Computer Science
- National Association for Music Education
- Beta Gamma Sigma Academic Honor Society
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
- Kappa Delta Pi
- Kappa Mu Epsilon
- National Society of Collegiate Scholars
- Omicron Delta Kappa
- Order of Omega
- Pershing Society
- Phi Alpha Theta
- Phi Sigma Pi
- Sigma Tau Delta
- Academic Competition Organization
- Graduate Student Association
- English Graduate Organization
- Bulldog Student Investment Fund
- Enactus
- Student Run Business Initiative
- Phi Mu Alpha
- Sigma Alpha Iota
- Delta Phi Alpha
- ICE
- Kappa Pi Art Fraternity
- Linguistics Club

Student Affairs:

- Franklin Street Singers
- National PanHellenic Council
- Ceilidh Club
- Independent Performance and Art Coalition
- Minor Detail
- Notes from the Underground
- Printmaking Club: the Bad Acids
- Sweet Nothings
- The Society of Dance Arts
- University Percussion Society
- Centennial Hall Council
- Dobson Hall Council
- Missouri Hall Council
- Ryle Hall Council
- Beta Omega Beta
- Live Action Role Play Club
- Role Playing games Club
- Upchuckles
- Greek Life:
 - Alpha Gamma Delta
 - Alpha Gamma Rho
 - Alpha Kappa Lambda
 - Alpha Phi Alpha
 - Alpha Sigma Alpha
 - Beta Theta Pi
 - Delta Chi
 - Delta Phi Epsilon
 - Delta Zeta
 - Interfraternity Council
 - Lambda Chi Alpha
 - Panhellenic Council
 - Phi Beta Sigma
 - Phi Kappa Tau
 - Phi Lambda Phi
 - Phi Sigma Kappa
 - Sigma Kappa
 - Sigma Phi Epsilon
 - Sigma Sigma Sigma

- Sigma Tau Gamma
- Tau Kappa Epsilon

Purple Friday:

- Purple Pride
- Varsity Athletics
- Club sports
- Show Girls Dance Team

External Affairs:

- Advertising and Public Relations Organization
- American Marketing Association
- Historical Society
- Lambda Alpha Epsilon
- Political Science Students Association
- Sigma Alpha
- Film Club
- The Monitor
- Windfall
- KTRM Radio 88.7 the Edge
- Pi Sigma Alpha
- Student Ambassadors
- the Index
- College Democrats
- College Republicans
- Students for a Democratic Society
- Pre-Law Club
- Alpha Phi Sigma
- Alpha Phi Omega
- Alpha Sigma Gamma
- Blue Key
- Campus PALS
- Cardinal Key
- Circle K International
- Habitat for Humanity
- Rotaract Club
- Tau Lambda Sigma
- Up 'til Dawn
- Mock Trial Club
- Phi Delta

- Student Philanthropy Council
- Best Buddies International
- Society of the Prim Roses

Health, Wellness, & Safety:

- Communication Disorders Association
- Nursing Students Association
- Phi Epsilon Kappa
- Pre-Dental Club
- Pre-Optometry Club
- Pre-Pharmacy Club
- Pre-Physical Therapy & Occupational Therapy Club
- Pre-Student Osteopathic Medicine Association
- Pre-Veterinary Club
- Psychology Club
- Gamma
- Nursing Honors Fraternity
- Art of Living Club
- GlobeMed
- Student Public Health Organization
- Psi Chi
- Illusion Danz Team
- TruHop
- University Swingers
- Spellcasters
- Recreational/Sports:
 - Badminton Club
 - Bowling Club
 - Bullets Rugby
 - Bulls Rugby
 - Club Baseball
 - Club Tennis
 - Equestrian Team
 - Golf Club
 - High Street Dancers
 - Iron Dogs
 - Jiu JiTSU Ultimate Frisbee
 - Men's Club Soccer
 - Men's Club Volleyball
 - Pit Lords of Dodgeball

- Running Club
- Sharpshooters
- Student Athlete Advisory Committee
- Swim Club
- Tsunami Women's Ultimate Frisbee
- Water Polo Club
- Women's Club Basketball
- Women's Club Lacrosse Team
- Women's Club Volleyball

Environmental Affairs:

- Alpha Chi Sigma
- American Society of Microbiology
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- Communiversitry Garden
- Beta Beta Beta
- Delta Tau Alpha
- Bulldog Biodiesel
- Collegiate Farm Bureau
- Wildlife Association at Truman
- Society of Physics Students
- Women in Physics
- Stargazers Astronomy Club
- TruOutdoors
- Society for Applied Spectroscopy

Campus Diversity:

- International Reading Association
- Students Supporting the Exceptional Community
- African Students Association
- Association of Black Collegians
- Club Ñ
- Hablantes Unidos/United Speakers
- HALO
- International Club
- Japanese Language Exchange Group
- Korean-American Student Association
- Namaste Nepal
- Society for Sino-American Studies
- Vietnamese Student Association

- Club for Italian Appreciation and Outreach
- Detours Magazine
- German Club
- Minority Ambassador Program
- Cultural and Societal Honor Society
- Pi Delta Phi
- Sigma Delta Pi
- Prism
- Students for Middle East Peace
- Women's Resource Center
- Students for Life
- Kappa Alpha Psi
- Secular Student Fellowship
- Ekklesia
- Anime Club
- Delta Sigma Theta
- Religious:
 - Baptist Student Union
 - Campus Christian Fellowship
 - Catholic Newman Center
 - Cru
 - Episcopal campus Ministry
 - Equipped
 - Fellowship of Christian Athletes
 - Hillel
 - Latter-Day Saints Student Association
 - Lutheran Student Fellowship
 - Momentum Ministry
 - Muslim Students Association
 - Presbyterian College Fellowship
 - Unique Ensemble Gospel Choir