TO: Deborah Moriarty, Chairperson
Steering Committee

FROM: UCSA Committee

The UCSA endorsed the attached revisions to the General Student Regulations at its meeting of February 13, 2015 and respectfully requests that the revised document now be sent to University Council for approval.

Over the course of the last academic year, a sub-committee of UCSA spent significant time reviewing the General Student Regulations. The goal of the sub-committee was to update the regulation language to reflect current terminology and standards since the document was last revised in 1988-1989. The proposed changes were sent to ASMSU for consultation and were positively received. The full UCSA has endorsed the proposed changes.

The main changes to the document include:

- Adding explicit references to sexual misconduct, domestic and dating violence, stalking, bullying, and hazing. All such behavior is covered by the current document, but is not explicitly referenced.

- Adding definitions of specific terms to the Appendix or reference to other relevant policies.

- Minor editing and clarification of regulations to reflect actual practice and improve student understanding of the document.

Consistent with Article 8 of the Student Rights and Responsibilities document (formerly the “AFR”), the revisions should now be presented to University Council for approval. A clean copy of the final document, along with a marked version showing the proposed changes is attached.