



# UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN–LA CROSSE STUDENT ASSOCIATION

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## **SA1617-034: Resolution Expressing Support for the ONE campaign**

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SPONSOR(S): Aaron Bhatoya, ONE Campaign

WHEREAS; there is a systematic issue of poverty disproportionately affecting women, with half a billion women illiterate, 130 million women not having any access to education, 303,000 mothers died from pregnancy-related complications, and 5.9 million children die before their fifth birthday due to their mother's not having needed resources to support them;

WHEREAS; the ONE campaign is an effort of 7.8 million members that broadly seeks to end global poverty and the spread of infectious diseases through legislative advocacy efforts worldwide, and is supported and funded by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and Bono;

WHEREAS; ONE is officially recognized as a student organization on campus with a core team of 10 people and 70 active members at UWL, and is currently working to end poverty that unfairly affects women;

WHEREAS; this campus organization seeks to engage the students and faculty on the issues of global poverty and infectious diseases through tabling, lettering, and events such as the LAX Power Summit;

WHEREAS; the Department Chairs of Sociology, Accounting, Biology, Microbiology, Chemistry, Mathematics, Finance, and Geology have officially signed on in support of this campaign, as well as the Deans of CBA and CLS;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED; Student Senate fully supports the ONE campaign to end poverty, especially as it relates to the disproportionate burden that is placed on women in the developing world.

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Patrick Brever  
President, Student Senate  
Vice President, Student Association

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