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SA1819-051: Resolution Recommending Revised Faculty Reporting Syllabi Statement

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WHEREAS Many students are unaware of the official avenues available to report faculty for hate and bias incidents, grade discrepancies, veteran and drill accommodations, among other student and academic conduct; and

WHEREAS The current system of outlining university policies in syllabi does not include uniform information and resources to students seeking to report faculty; and

WHEREAS Syllabi are intended to outline the subjects in a course of study and provide each student with appropriate resources to succeed in the course; and

WHEREAS UWL has a strong culture of reporting incidents with faculty – but, as is often the case, issues do not receive proper follow-up, or, the appropriate authority with oversight lacks the means to remedy the issue(s);

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED The UWL Student Senate recommends that Faculty Senate, as well as administration officials, enact the following syllabus statement regarding incident reporting at UWL:

Here at UWL we believe that diversity and inclusion are integral to the achievement of excellence and enhances the university’s ability to accomplish our academic mission. No member of our UW-La Crosse community should experience bias or discrimination based on identities including but not limited to: race/ethnicity, sex, gender identity/expression, sexual orientation, religion, ability, political affiliation, national origin, or age.

Should you experience, witness, or overhear incidents of hate and bias, you have the right to do any of the following:

- Connect with your professor
- Connect with the department chair
- Submit a hate/bias incident report at

<https://www.uwlax.edu/campus-climate/hatebias-response/hatebias-incident-report/>



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THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED The UWL Student Senate shall forward this resolution to the chair of Faculty Senate - Natalie Eschenbaum.

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Haley Jurecki
President, Student Senate
Vice President, Student Association

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Date

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