

CONGRESS RESOLUTION NO. 08-11-18

Sponsor(s): IUSA Rules, Membership, and Internal Affairs Committee (Skylar Edwards-Chair)

Co-Sponsor(s):

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**RESOLUTION TO ELIMINATE THE CONGRESSIONAL SEAT APPORTIONED TO THE
LABOR STUDIES PROGRAM**

1 **WHEREAS**, Article II, Section 3 of the IUSA Constitution states that “[e]ach degree-granting unit of the
2 University will be a constituency for academic Representatives;” and,
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4 **WHEREAS**, “There will be an additional constituency for students not enrolled in a degree-granting unit
5 of the University;” and,
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7 **WHEREAS**, The Labor Studies Program became housed in the School of Social Work on July 1, 2007,
8 no longer existing as an independent degree granting unit; and,
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10 **WHEREAS**, The Labor Studies Program currently has an enrollment of 2, and at no time in the prior five
11 years has exceeded 12 students; and,
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13 **WHEREAS**, The Congressional seat apportioned to the Labor Studies Program currently remains vacant;
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15 **THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED**, That the Student Body Congress eliminate the Congressional
16 seat apportioned to the Labor Studies Program, thus allowing its students to be represented by the
17 Representative for the School of Social Work; and,
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19 **LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Congressional seat currently apportioned to the Labor
20 Studies Program be added to the general pool of academic Representative seats for reapportionment in a
21 manner to be determined by the Student Body Congress.
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