Georgia College & State University Student Government Association 2016 - 2017 Session

S.R. 1617.

Senator Hughes

A RESOLUTION

To request the Student Government Association's endorsement of the Academic Affairs Committee's request for the University Senate to change the midterm grading policy of Georgia College.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF GEORGIA COLLEGE & STATE UNIVERSITY

SECTION 1

WHEREAS, The only courses that currently require professors to report midterm grades on the "Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory" grading scale are 1000 and 2000 level courses.

WHEREAS, Currently, professors who teach upper level courses are not required to report a midterm grade.

WHEREAS, Currently, the only midterm grade policy in place is the Board of Regents policy that states that faculty must give a grade before the final drop date (with a Withdrawal).

WHEREAS, The Student Bill of Rights reads students have "the right to receive realistic evaluation of academic standing and performance in a class prior to the point at which one may withdraw from the course without penalty."

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Student Government Association of Georgia College & State University endorses the SGA Academic Affairs Committee's request to have professors report midterm grades for upper level courses thus creating a uniform grading scale for all professors to report grades in all undergraduate courses.