



## Indiana University - Bloomington

### Graduate & Professional Student Government

#### Resolution on Access to Course Information

Whereas, a common problem at IU Bloomington is that faculty are late to release their syllabus, required textbook list, and other class materials to students adequately before the start of the semester;

Whereas, this lateness creates problems for students who are not given adequate time to prepare for the course;

Whereas, this delay often creates undue burdens for students in acquiring textbooks in time for the beginning of the course;

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Therefore, be it resolved by the Graduate and Professional Student Government Assembly that the GPSG advocates for a campus-wide requirement that every faculty member must release a syllabus to students containing at least the first two (2) weeks of course expectations at least one (1) week prior to the start of a course.

Therefore, be it resolved by the Graduate and Professional Student Government Assembly that the GPSG advocates for a campus-wide requirement that every faculty member must submit their required textbook list to the IU Bookstore at least two (2) weeks prior to the start of a course.

Therefore, be it resolved by the Graduate and Professional Student Government Assembly that the GPSG advocates for a campus-wide requirement that every faculty member must, when applicable, publish their Canvas course at least one (1) week prior to the start of a course.

Therefore, be it resolved by the Graduate and Professional Student Government Assembly advocates that the Bloomington Faculty Council consider implementing appropriate consequences for faculty who repeatedly fail to meet the above timeline.

Respectfully submitted to and passed by the Graduate and Professional Student Government Assembly on October 2, 2020.

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Date