

**Associated Students, Inc.
California Polytechnic State University
San Luis Obispo**

Resolution #06-09

ASI Supports Guidelines for Course Syllabi

- WHEREAS: Associated Students, Inc. (ASI) is the official voice of Cal Poly students, and
- WHEREAS: The Cal Poly Academic Senate Instruction Committee has recommended approval of Guidelines for a Course Syllabus, and
- WHEREAS: Course syllabi are integral to student success by providing important information about academic expectations, grading standards, and course requirements, and
- WHEREAS: Course syllabi are a contract between the instructor and student regarding the above stated items, and
- WHEREAS: There is not currently public access to course syllabi making it difficult for students to determine which courses best meet their individual educational objectives, and
- WHEREAS: A consistent standard for course syllabi would enhance student success and progress.
- THEREFORE
BE IT
RESOLVED: ASI urges the Faculty of Cal Poly to establish and adopt a standard for course syllabi, and
- FURTHERMORE
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RESOLVED: ASI recommends the guidelines include at a minimum: academic expectations, grading standards, and course requirements, and
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RESOLVED: ASI urges that a written hard copy of the syllabi be distributed to all students enrolled in the course and made available upon request for review by administration, faculty, and students.

CERTIFIED as the true and correct copy, in witness thereof, I have set my hand and Seal of the Associated Students, Inc. this 8th day of February, 2006.

ADOPTED at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors by unanimous vote on February 8, 2006.

ASI Secretary

ASI Chair of the Board

ASI President

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