

Resolution for Legitimate Honor Societies at Chico State

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WHEREAS, significant amounts of time, money, and energy are often spent by the students of Chico State on their memberships within campus-recognized honor societies;

WHEREAS, membership into legitimate honor societies certified by the Association of College Honor Societies (ACHS) confers significant advantages and benefits upon students who meet their academic requirements;

WHEREAS, many students have been wrongly led to believe that acceptance into any honor society will lead to better paying jobs; and

WHEREAS, false claims made by illegitimate honor societies may be construed by students that entry to their organization bears the same benefits as an ACHS-certified honor society;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, The Student Academic Senate facilitate the creation of a Council of Honor Societies to encourage the safeguard of legitimate honor societies at Chico State to ensure validity and legitimacy, Therefore be it,

RESOLVED, That this Council of Honor Societies will fall under guidance by recognized ACHS-honor society students to assist in the self-regulation of recognized honor society awareness which will serve the purposes of preserving and protecting protect potential members of the student population who may be targeted for membership in illegitimate honor societies; Therefore be it,

RESOLVED, That the Council of Honor Societies will receive guidance from the Academic Affairs Committee and Student Life & Leadership office where collaboration efforts will be made to work with a Wildcat Sync webpage linkage for publicizing information about illegitimate honor societies; Therefore be it,

RESOLVED, This Council will create the criteria and will assist in publicly acknowledging which honor societies are authentic and worthy of investment by the student population; Therefore be it,

RESOLVED, That this Resolution be distributed to the Academic Senate, AS Government Affairs Committee, Deans for the Colleges of AGR/BSS/BUS/CME/ECC/HFA/NSC, Dean of

Undergraduate Education, Dean of Graduate Studies, Dean of Students, Office of the Provost,
and Office of the President.

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Chair of the Student Academic Senate

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