Resolution:
Author: Daniel Smeraldo, CAS Senator
Sponsoring Senator: Kelsea Tower, Academic Committee Chair
Date: 12 March 2015
RE: Blackboard Use Senate Support

Whereas, the Student Senate of Associated Students at the University of San Diego is committed to preparing students to be ethical and thoughtful citizens of the world with a distinct liberal arts and Catholic education,

Whereas, the Student Senate of Associated Students believes that accurate and available grade representation is vital to student success and allows the faculty to clearly communicate expectations with students,

Be it resolved, the Student Senate of Associated Students at the University of San Diego hereby proposes and supports the use of Blackboard by all Faculty to communicate current academic standing and to share relevant class resources such as syllabi, readings, and class announcements,

Be it further resolved, the Student Senate of Associated Students at the University of San Diego believes that transparency between students and faculty is crucial in circumstances when scholarships, athletic positions, and organization memberships can be jeopardized by one’s GPA,

And it be finally resolved, the Student Senate of Associated Students at the University of San Diego would collaborate with Faculty to increase the use of Blackboard, advertise Blackboard training offered to Faculty by the IT department, and additionally encourage student use of the learning management system.

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