

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF  
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**FIFTIETH SESSION**

**BILL NO. 50-36**

**INTRODUCED BY: CONWELL**

**SECONDED BY: MAASS**

**A BILL TO: Advocate for a policy to protect students from being harmed academically due to missing class as a result of a professional interview**

**THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:**

WHEREAS, Undergraduate students attend Michigan State University in order to prepare themselves for the next step in their lives; and,

WHEREAS, For many students, this includes employment, graduate and professional school, which require interviews that may conflict with class schedules

WHEREAS, Many classes have attendance policies and in-class assignments which impact a student's grade

WHEREAS, There currently is not an official university policy to allow students to be excused from class or have the opportunity to make up an assignment due to a professional interview; therefore be it,

RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University will advocate for a new policy to protect students from academic harm when attending an interview that will give the student an opportunity to make up any in-class assignments or to be excused from class, in order to have an equal chance to succeed in the next step of their lives.

INTRODUCED ON 11-21-13

REFERRED TO Academic Affairs COMMITTEE ON 11-21-13

SPECIAL ACTION TAKEN \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

COMMITTEE ACTION	<u>X</u>		CONSENT	<u>11-21-13</u>
	<b>PASSED</b>	<b>FAILED</b>	<b>VOTE</b>	<b>DATE</b>

FINAL ACTION TAKEN				
	<b>PASSED</b>	<b>FAILED</b>	<b>VOTE</b>	<b>DATE</b>

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