

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF  
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FIFTY-SECOND SESSION**

**BILL NO. 52-51**

**INTRODUCED BY: SANTAVICCA      SECONDED BY: WHITE**

**A RESOLUTION TO: Advocate for class syllabus integration on MSU Schedule Builder**

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

- WHEREAS, The cost of college credits is on the rise and students should have the resources immediately available to be completely informed and aware of their enrollment for their classes in an upcoming semester; and,
- WHEREAS, MSU Schedule builder currently displays limited information related to class sections: book requirements, class meeting time(s), location, and instructor(s), which gives MSU Schedule Builder opportunities to expand upon the given information for students prior to enrollment; and,
- WHEREAS, Instructors currently email syllabi to students upon enrollment of a section or post it to Desire2Learn, and this process can be very slow or delayed to give students the full working requirements of a class; and,
- WHEREAS, When a student reviews a full syllabus and decides the course work and requirements are not best fit for the student and/or his or her degree, it can often times be too late to schedule into a different class or section because of limited seat availability; and, therefore be it,
- RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University advocate for the respective department within MSU IT Services to implement a new feature on MSU Schedule Builder giving instructors easy capability to publish and update syllabi; and be it further,
- RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University advocate for recommending professors to publish a working syllabus, be it from the most recent semester that the class was offered or the upcoming class semester to the MSU Schedule Builder giving students full transparency on the expectations, requirements, and course work of the class before students enroll.

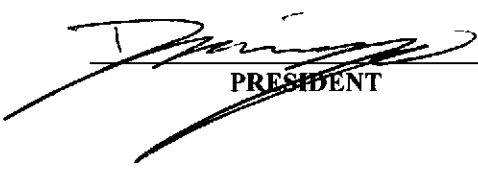

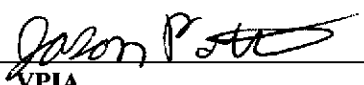
INTRODUCED ON 1/28/2016

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SPECIAL ACTION TAKEN N/A DATE \_\_\_\_\_

COMMITTEE ACTION	<u>X</u>			
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FINAL ACTION TAKEN	<u>X</u>		<u>Voice-Majority</u>	<u>2/4/2016</u>
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