NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF

STUDENT GOVERNMENT PRESIDENTS

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Proposed National Association of Student Government Presidents [External] Inbox × 8 C @ Fri, May 9, 9:48 AM ☆ ↔ : SGA President <sgapresident@monmouth.edu> to SGA 🔻 Dear SGA President, I hope this finds you well. My name is Brendan Sheehan, and I currently serve as the Student Government Association (SGA) President at Monmouth University in New Jersey. I'm reaching out to connect with fellow student government presidents from across the United States to explore a bold vision: the formation of the National Association of Student Government Presidents. The goal of this new organization is to create a collaborative network where student leaders can exchange ideas, share best practices and work together on national initiatives/campaigns that matter to the student bodies we represent. I've attached a brief overview of the Association's mission and goals for your review. I'm also in the process of drafting a constitution and bylaws to provide an effective structure. If this sounds like something you may be interested in learning more about, or potentially joining, I'd love to hear your thoughts. Sincerely, **BRENDAN J. SHEEHAN** President Student Government Association o 732.571.3400 c 603.397.8135





The Association





Mission Statement:

The National Association of Student Government Presidents (NASGP) is committed to fostering leadership, collaboration and growth among the nation's student government presidents. In doing so, NASGP provides for collective leadership and action, amplifies student voice in higher education, and empowers student government to work together to deliver positive and lasting change at their respective institutions.

Goals:

- Establish a unified, national voice to represent students on issues with national and international impact.
- Develop and propose policy recommendations and solutions to university administration's, local, state and federal government, and national organizations that affect higher education and the student experience.
- Launch collaborative campaigns addressing vital issues impacting students on campuses
- across the nation.
- Organize in-person or virtual leadership training, professional workshops, and networking
- opportunities to bond student government presidents and provide guidance and mentorship.
- Build an online library of tools, templates, and resources that student governments can utilize to improve the student experience.
 - Create opportunities for student government presidents to connect and share strategies, solutions and experiences through digital platforms and regular meeting sessions. Encourage cross-campus collaboration between student governments from a variety of institutions on shared challenges, initiatives and ideas.

Host local, state, regional, and/or national gatherings or virtual meetings where student government presidents can come together, discuss common challenges and issues, and form impactful solutions.

- Take action to address attacks on the student experience, the value of higher education and support fellow presidents in their fights to promote the well-being and prosperity of the students they represent.
- Launch national campaigns focused on student wellness, mental and physical health, costs of higher education, and building community.

Final proposal

 After meeting with SGA Presidents
Bylaws
Constitution
Code of Conduct





Interest

Bemidji State University (Minnesota), Brandeis University (Massachusetts), Butler University (Indiana), Chapman University (California), Dartmouth College (New Hampshire), Davidson College (North Carolina), Florida Institute of Technology (Florida), Golden Gate University (California), High Point University (North Carolina), Indiana State University (Indiana), John Carroll University (Ohio), Lawrence Technical University (Michigan), Monmouth University (New Jersey), North Idaho College (Idaho), Pennsylvania State University (Pennsylvania), Point Park University (Pennsylvania), Saint Xavier University (Illinois), Santa Fe College (Florida), Stevenson University of Louisiana Lafayette (Louisiana), University of Bridgeport (Connecticut), University of Louisiana Lafayette (Louisiana), University of Michigan (Michigan), University of Minnesota - Duluth (Minnesota), University of Montevallo (Alabama), University of South Alabama (Alabama), University of West Georgia (Georgia), Wake Forest University (North Carolina), Washington University St. Louis (Missouri), West Chester University (Pennsylvania), Whitman University (Washington)

Involvement

- Nothing is mandatory.
- Flare and quick Form confirming your membership in NASGP.
- No cost, no strings attached and no commitment requirement.
- This organization is to share best practices, events, ideas and reach out for help or support when we need it.
- Serve as an informal meeting and idea-sharing platform with students in the exact same position as you across the U.S.

