

**WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT
S.R. 4**

Renewal of the Sexual Assault Prevention, Support, and Accountability (SAPSA) Executive
Advisory Committee

Fall 2022

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August 29, 2022	Submitted to the Speaker of the House
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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: On October, 26, 2021 the Wake Forest Student Government passed S.R. 7: *Official Formation of the Sexual Assault Prevention, Support, and Accountability (SAPSA) Executive Advisory Committee*, and;

WHEREAS: The passage of S.R. 7 denoted “a formal recommendation to the 2022-2023 Academic Year President to include the SAPSA Advisory Committee in the Student Government agenda for the 2022-2023 academic year,” and;

WHEREAS: The work of the SAPSA Committee during the 2021-2022 academic year led to a survey response rate of 36.2% of undergraduate students, surpassing the 30% response rate goal initially identified in S.R. 4: *A Resolution to Co-Sponsor the Wake Forest Sexual Misconduct Campus Climate Survey*, and;

WHEREAS: The charge of the 2021-2022 SAPSA Committee, outlined in the passage of S.R. 9 from the 2021-2022 school year, is as follows:

- a. To measure the climate of the Wake Forest campus related to issues surrounding sexual assault and violence through the implementation of a university-wide sexual assault and sexual misconduct campus climate survey.
- a. To utilize this survey to advise on action planning and goal creation around issues presented in the survey.
- b. To provide feedback on expanded prevention strategy recommendations.
- c. To frame goals and plans around forming an environment in which all members of the community have the support of the university and their peers to challenge the norms that allow for sexual assault and sexual misconduct to occur on college campuses.
- d. To serve as a formal bridge between students and university leadership working towards a common goal.

WHEREAS: While the data collection portion of the Campus Climate Survey may be complete, work pertaining to sexual violence and misconduct on Wake Forest’s campus is not. Moving forward, work by students, faculty, and staff alike will be necessary to properly inform the

creation of survivor-centric policies using the data collected from the Campus Climate Survey, and;

WHEREAS: The outgoing Co-Chairs of the SAPSA Committee formally recommended that Lillie Davenport and Taylor McCabe take over the leadership of the committee for the 2022-2023 academic year.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

1. Effective upon passage of this resolution, by recommendation of Student Body President Pilar Agudelo, the SAPSA committee shall be renewed for the 2022-2023 academic year to continue addressing ongoing University efforts surrounding Sexual Assault Prevention, Support, and Accountability at Wake Forest.
0. The SAPSA Executive Advisory Committee will continue to reflect its previous charge according to S.R. 9 (2021-2022) and will collaborate with the University as needed during the policymaking process and on other programs related to education and prevention.
0. Upon recommendation of the former SAPSA Co-Chairs, Lillie Davenport and Taylor McCabe will serve as Co-Chairs of this committee and will advise the Student Government President and Speaker of the House throughout the duration of the 2022-2023 academic year.
0. The membership of the SAPSA Committee, subject to change as needed in future semesters, will be as follows: Abby Bermeo, Jackson Haskell, Marion Teshome, Isaiah Little, Carly Nelson, Margaret Onsager, Joe Wyche, Maggie Knight, and Erik Gottlieb as SAPSA Committee Members.

Respectfully Submitted,

Pilar Agudelo
President

Jackson Buttler
Speaker of the House