



Cornell University Student Assembly

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S.A. Resolution #12

Establishment of Cornell in China Programming Board and Sponsorship by the Student Assembly

ABSTRACT: Resolution calling for the creation of an ad-hoc SA Committee that will plan and provide programming events for international students in China.

Sponsored by: Erinn Liu '18, Mitch McBride '17

Whereas, International students are integral to the Cornell community

Whereas, Cornell has a large Chinese population of both undergraduates and graduates students,

Whereas, China is a large country and there is not much bonding among Cornell Chinese students in China,

Whereas, a large portion of Chinese students return to China during long breaks

Whereas, Cornell's Chinese students indicate that they desire to have more events to bond them

Whereas, the existing events that are sponsored by alumni are not free to Cornell Students

Whereas, Erinn Liu proved from her work in the summer 2015 that this type of bonding event with free admission can be successful

Whereas, no monetary allocations are being requested from the Student Assembly,

Whereas, there needs to be a programming board to manage these events

Whereas, the programming board will be composed of 10-15 students who are interested in this type of programming

Whereas, the appointment of members on this committee will be at the sole discretion of the Committee Chair (but reported to the Vice President of Internal Operations)

Whereas, this programming board will act as a task force of Student Assembly

Whereas, if successful, these programs will move beyond events in Beijing that will be held at least once a year

Whereas, the programming board will provide a report and presentation at the beginning of the fall semester

Whereas, the programming board will bear the logo of Student Assembly on its advertisements and event information

47 **Whereas**, for each event, before use of the Student Assembly name and logo, the SA Executive Board
48 will authorize the event sponsorship to confirm that the event is adhering to Student Assembly's
49 goals for this committee and the event is not harming the SA name or reputation
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51 **Be it therefore resolved**, that the Student Assembly gives its sponsorship and non-monetary support to
52 this Student Assembly Cornell in China Programming Board (CCPB) to create events for
53 Cornell's students in China. It also gives its sponsorship to the events hosted by this board.
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55 **Be it further resolved**, that the CCPB will be composed of both undergraduate and graduate students,
56 with undergraduate students making up the majority of the committee
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58 **Be it finally resolved**, that there will be an election for Chair, where, for at least the first year, the Chair
59 will be a member of the Student Assembly. This will be elected in an executive session in a
60 subsequent meeting.
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62 **Respectfully Submitted,**

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64 **Erinn Liu '18**

65 *Engineering Representative, Student Assembly*
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67 **Mitch McBride**

68 *Vice President of Internal Operations, Student Assembly*
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70 *(Reviewed by: Executive Committee 9/29/2015)*