**Resolution 50: Establishing a Brooks School of Public Policy Representative on the Student Assembly**

***Abstract:*** This resolution amends the Student Assembly Charter to add a representative voting member for undergraduate Brooks School students.

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***Current Status:*** New Business

**Whereas,** the Brooks School of Public Policy was established in 2021 to “bring together scholars across disciplines to tackle the biggest public policy challenges we face as a society,”[[1]](#footnote-1)

**Whereas,** the Employee Assembly has established a School of Public Policy Representative seat,

**Whereas,** the Brooks School is seeking to follow the “Dyson model” and establish itself as a separate body from the College of Human Ecology,

**Be it therefore resolved,** the Student Assembly will adopt the following amendment to lines 184-190 of the Student Assembly Charter:

A. General Composition – The SA will consist of 28 voting members who are registered undergraduate students at Cornell University. Up to two additional votes shall be allocated to the entire community of undergraduates as a whole present at a Student Assembly meeting on motions that express the opinion of the assembly. Such community votes shall be allowed only as provided by the Assembly in its bylaws. Eleven voting members of the SA will be elected by and from the student populations of the colleges and schools, one from each: the College of Architecture, Art and Planning; the School of Hotel Administration; the College of Human Ecology; the Brooks School of Public Policy; and the School of Industrial and Labor Relations.

**Be it further resolved,** current students in the Policy Analysis and Management (PAM) and Health Care Policy (HCP) programs will be eligible to run for this seat until the establishment of the new Public Policy major.

**Be it further resolved,** current PAM and HCP students are no longer eligible to run for the College of Human Ecology representative seat starting in the Spring 2022 election cycle.

**Be it finally resolved,** that the rest of these changes will be implemented for the Fall 2022 elections cycle.

Respectfully Submitted,

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1. https://publicpolicy.cornell.edu/ [↑](#footnote-ref-1)