

**SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY SENATE
RESOLUTION AFFIRMING SUPPORT FOR UNDOCUMENTED IMMIGRANT
STUDENTS**

1. **WHEREAS:** The California State University (CSU) is committed to educating all residents of California; and
2. **WHEREAS:** Federal rules protect childhood arrivals to the United States from deportation under the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program, and California law provides educational financial assistance to qualified undocumented California residents under AB 540 and the California “Dream” Act (AB 130 & 131); and
3. **WHEREAS:** In the November 29, 2016 letter to the then President-Elect Donald J. Trump from the leaders of all three California higher education segments, CSU Chancellor Timothy White specifically affirmed CSU’s support for immigrant students regardless of their legal status and stated that the CSU will not voluntarily assist with the federal enforcement of immigration law; and
4. **WHEREAS:** The Academic Senate of the California State University (ASCSU) expressed its support for the statements contained in the above letter in its January 27, 2017 resolution AS-3279-17/FGA; and
5. **WHEREAS:** Changes in immigration enforcement have the potential to disrupt some of our students’ abilities to complete their educations; be it therefore
6. **RESOLVED:** That the San Diego State University Senate affirm that the community of San Diego State University will support and assist undocumented students to complete their degrees if their educations are disrupted by changes in immigration enforcement practices; and be it also
7. **RESOLVED:** That this resolution be distributed to:
 - CSU Board of Trustees
 - CSU Chancellor
 - CSU campus Presidents
 - CSU campus Senate Chairs
 - California Faculty Association (CFA)
 - California State Student Association (CSSA)
 - Academic Senate of the California State University (ASCSU)