



I-3.00-UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF MARYLAND STUDENT COUNCIL

(Approved by the Board of Regents, August 30, 1988; amended July 13, 2001; amended April 13, 2012; amended June 21, 2019)

Md. Code Ann., Education, § 12-201, calls for the Board of Regents to establish a University System Student Council that "shall serve in an advisory capacity to the Chancellor" and "may, from time to time, make reports and recommendations to the Board." Such a Council will provide a mechanism for the consideration of matters of System-wide concern to students within the System and enable the students to speak on such matters with unity and visibility. Consistent with the principles of shared governance, the University System of Maryland Student Council and the Chancellor jointly will develop for submission to the Governor a list of at least three nominees, each from a different USM institution, for a Student Regent position.

Consistent with the principles of shared governance, in any thorough search for a President of a USM constituent institution (hereafter "the Institution"), the Student Council will recommend for consideration by the Chancellor two students from the constituent institution at which the search is being conducted to serve on the search committee or will assist the Chancellor in reviewing nominations for students to serve on the search committee.

The Council shall include two representatives from each degree-granting institution and regional center in the System, selected in a manner determined by each institution and regional center. The Council will vote on a one institution, one vote basis. In addition to the 28 Council representatives, there will be a chair elected by the membership. A Student Regent shall also serve on the council ex officio. The representatives shall serve one-year terms; they may be re-appointed for subsequent terms as long as they remain students in good standing.

The Student Council shall, from time to time, present reports to the Board of Regents at regular meetings.