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A BILL OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODY SENATE TO AMEND THE ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODY CODE BY REVISING THE SELECTION PROCESS OF WHO’S WHO AMONG AMERICAN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES AND HALL OF FAME RECIPIENTS IN TITLE 4 SECTIONS 101 AND 102 WHICH, FOR THE SAKE OF BREVITY AND IN INTEREST OF BEING MORE DESCRIPTIVE, THE CURRENT AND ALTERED FORM MAY BE FOUND ATTACHED.

WHEREAS, selection for Who’s Who and the Hall of Fame is prestigious and a high honor for students;

WHEREAS, the current code is outdated because the selection process has evolved overtime;

WHEREAS, the Associated Student body code should be up to date, accurate, and transparent into how the selection process works;

WHEREAS, applicants should be notified of their standings in the review process; AND

WHEREAS, the amended selection method is already being used by administration

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED THAT THE ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODY SENATE AMEND TITLE 4 SECTIONS 101 AND 102 OF THE ASB CODE TO UPDATE THE SELECTION PROCESS OF STUDENT AWARDS.

Governmental Operations _____ Committee	<i>Madison Waldrop</i> _____ Committee Chair	9-22-2023 _____ Date
09-19-2023 _____ Date of Introduction	Passed _____ Action of Student Senate	<i>Ethan Robertson</i> _____ Clerk Signature

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Mason Greenwald

09-22-2023

Vice President Mason Greenwald
Senate Presiding Officer

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Sara Austin Welch

09-22-2023

Sara Austin Welch
ASB President

Date

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Dr. Brent Marsh, Ph.D.
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Dr. Glenn Boyce, Ed.D.
University Chancellor

Title IV School Honors

(IV) Section 101. Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities. ~~Students at the University of Mississippi.~~

- A) There shall be a permanent committee of The University of Mississippi to select students for Who's Who, composed of the following members:
- 1) ~~The Chancellor of the University~~ **A representative appointed by each Academic Dean, not including the Graduate School or Law School**
 - 2) ~~The Vice-Chancellor of Student Affairs~~ **Up to three representatives appointed by the Athletics Department**
 - 3) ~~The Dean of Students~~ **Up to three representatives appointed by the Division of Diversity & Community Engagement.**
 - 4) ~~The Deans of each of the respective University schools~~ **Up to three representatives of the Division of Enrollment Management.**
 - 5) **Up to three representatives appointed by the Division of Student Affairs.**
- B) The committee will base applicants for Who's Who on each applicant's overall impact by evaluating their applications on a rubric provided by the Dean of Students. C) The selection of this committee shall be final.
- D) The Who's Who selection committee shall make its selections by ~~November 1st~~ **December 20th** of each year for that year's Who's Who **and shall notify each applicant of their decision.**

(IV) Section 102. Hall of Fame Selection.

- A) Qualification requirements for the Hall of Fame Nominees:
- 1) In order to be nominated for the Hall of Fame, a student must have:
 - a) Been selected for Who's Who
 - b) A "C" or better overall average
 - c) At least ninety-four (94) semester hours by the end of the Fall semester
 - d) At least thirty-six (36) semester hours at The University of Mississippi by the end of the Fall semester
 - e) Not been a member of the Hall of Fame previously
- B) Hall of Fame nominees must show evidence of outstanding contributions in all aspects of campus life.

- C) There shall be a permanent committee of The University of Mississippi to select students for the Hall of Fame, composed of the following members:
- 1) The Dean of Students.
 - 2) Immediate past president of Lambda Sigma.
 - a) In the event the immediate past president of Lambda Sigma is not able to serve, the next officer in succession will serve.
 - 3) A student representative of the Black Student Union who shall not be above junior classification.
 - 4) A student representative of the Black Student Union who shall be a senior or graduate student, and who was not a recipient of Who's Who.
 - 5) A student representative selected by the ASB Senate who shall not be above junior classification.
 - 6) A student representative selected by the ASB Senate who shall be a senior or graduate student, and who was not a recipient of Who's Who.
 - 7) A student representative who shall not be above junior classification from each of the University's academic schools, **not including the Graduate School or Law School**
 - 8) In the event that there is duplication of persons for selection committee membership, the selection committee will choose persons to replace the duplications.
 - 9) Each of the aforementioned student representatives ~~will be required to sign an oath of anonymity~~ **shall honor confidentiality** about their involvement in the Hall of Fame selection process.
- D) Nominations for the Hall of Fame.
- 1) Nominations for the Hall of Fame will be made from the pool of students who were initially ranked among the top seventy-five (75) applicants for Who's Who.
 - 2) Each member of the Selection Committee will nominate ten (10) people for the Hall of Fame from the pool of Who's Who recipients that will be provided to them by the Dean of Students. These nominations will be held by secret ballot. Instructions will be enclosed with the ballot along with a form that is to be signed by each member of the Selection Committee and returned to the Dean of Students certifying that his or her ballot has been cast.
 - 3) Final Selection of Members to the Hall of Fame.
 - a) The Dean of Students **Office** must hold a meeting to discuss the nominations made by each member of the Selection Committee to finalize the members of the Hall of Fame.

- b) A minimum of ten (10) undergraduates shall be declared as members of the Hall of Fame. A maximum of fifteen (15) people may be declared members if the balloting justifies such actions; the decision is made by the Selection Committee.
- E) The Hall of Fame selection committee shall make its selections by ~~April 1st~~ **February 10th** the following spring after the Who's Who selection in the fall.

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