

Resolution 005
A Resolution to Increase Printing Accessibility on Campus
Sponsored by: Senator Carey
Co-Sponsored by: Senator Sharpe, Senator Zentz, Senator Dompkowski

Whereas,

Nearly all students at The Catholic University of America are required to hand in printed documents for various classes.

Whereas,

The Catholic University of America offers printing services in Leahy Hall, Mullen Library, Shahan Hall, McGivney Hall, Pangborn Hall, and the Pryzbyla Center.

Whereas,

Individual departments, schools, and offices are responsible for the upkeep and implementation of printers under their own jurisdiction.

Whereas,

Some academic schools, such as The School of Arts and Sciences, The School of Philosophy, and The Rome School of Drama, Music and Arts, among others, do not offer printing on a school wide, consistent basis to their undergraduate students.

Whereas,

Increasing the volume of accessible printers on campus would not result in higher volume of paper or ink used because it would simply disperse the printing through campus. This would reduce the inconvenience currently facing many students.

Whereas,

Many students are unaware of the full list of printers offered by the university, and are thus inconvenienced by the delay caused by searching for printing.

Be it enacted that,

The Student Government Association Senate, acting in its official capacity as the representative of the undergraduate student body of The Catholic University of America, requests that

1. All academic schools, with the exception of the School of Arts and Sciences, make printing available for undergraduate students.
2. Each department in the School of Arts and Sciences, or departments in coordination with each other, makes printing available for undergraduate students.
3. The University make budgetary adjustments to subsidize the enactment of this program.
4. Student Government Association, in coordination with the University, promote and educate the student body on the implementation of this program.

Agreed to by a vote of _____ yeas to _____ nays on this date: _____ with _____ abstaining and _____ not present.

Brendan Dillon
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