
THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT CONSTITUTION

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PREAMBLE

We, the students of Ithaca College, Ithaca, New York, in order to provide democratic representation, ensure student rights and privileges, mediate, advocate, serve, and encourage the activities and concerns of the Ithaca College Community, do hereby adopt this Constitution of the Ithaca College Student Body. As stated in the Ithaca College Government and Committee Structure, the Student Government Association serves as the only recognized representative body for the entire student community. The Senate shall be a part of the organization authority of the Student Government as set herein. This document shall be subject to change as deemed necessary by the Student Body, or the Student Government, or thereupon every 3 years from the date of its last revision.

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of the organization that shall uphold the preamble, and represent the Student Body of Ithaca College shall be the Ithaca College Student Government Association (ICSGA).

ARTICLE II

STATEMENT OF NON-DISCRIMINATION

The Ithaca College Student Government Association is an equal opportunity organization. The ICSGA does not discriminate on the basis of race, age, sex, gender, national origin, religion, political affiliation, sexual orientation, or disability. While any student may participate in the activities and debate of the Student Government Association, voting rights shall only be granted as outlined in the following articles.

ARTICLE III

ORGANIZATIONAL AUTHORITY

The Ithaca College Student Government Association shall be a united Senate working in conjunction with its executive board. Each senator shall have the opportunity to form her or his own ad hoc committee, which may have special duties or powers designated by this Constitution.

ARTICLE IV

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Section 1: Name

The legislative branch of the Ithaca College Student Government Association shall be known as Student Senate.

Section 2: Membership

The membership of Student Senate shall consist of:

- 4 senators from each academic class, first year through senior, as determined by anticipated date of graduation as recorded by the Office of the Registrar
- 1 senator from each academic school, including the Division of Interdisciplinary Studies
- 1 transfer senator, in their first year enrolled at Ithaca College

- 1 senator for graduate students

The senator shall belong to the appropriate population for which they ran. Academic senators must be majors within that school. Class senators must be members of the class for which they run.

Section 3: Term of Office

-Senators elected in the spring shall serve from the date of graduation until the day of graduation the following academic year. Senators elected in the fall shall serve from the date of their election to the date of graduation of that academic year.

-No senator shall serve multiple positions within the Student Government Association.

Section 4: Senate Duties

Senators of Student Government Association shall have the following responsibilities:

- Be in accordance with all eligibility requirements as set forth in the Elections Act
- Be responsible for creating and implementing a statement of platform, which shall consist of, but is not limited to:
 - o At least one concern said senator intends to resolve
 - o An action plan for how said senator intends to resolve the issue
- Conduct themselves in a respectful and professional manner in meetings. Members who fail to conduct themselves in an appropriate manner are subject to removal from the function at the discretion of the Chair.
- Keep informed on all issues before the Senate.
- Relay information concerning the actions of Student Government Association to the student population.
- Post flyers and share minutes of meetings in areas designated by the Senate and the Communications Committee.
- Serve on at least one standing or ad hoc committee unless serving on an All-College Committee approved as a substitution by the Executive Board.
- Adhere to all absence policies, as started in Article IV, Section 5.
- Senators from Academic Schools shall attend meetings with their Deans at least twice a semester, as well as holding school forums, as deemed necessary by the Executive Board and arranged by the Vice President of Academics.
- Senators representing class years shall attend meetings with their respective Class Councils at least twice a semester, as well as holding class forums, as deemed necessary by the Executive Board and arranged by the Vice President of Campus Affairs.

Section 5: Absences

All elected senators of Student Government Association are expected to participate in all scheduled meetings with no more than three (3) unexcused absences in one semester. Excused absences shall only be granted for observance of religious holidays, family emergencies, or required academic obligations as dictated by a professor. The Student Body President and Chairperson must both be notified at least 24 hours in advance of the circumstances for the absence if possible or otherwise as soon as possible. If this notification is not made, the absence will not be excused. In addition, two (2) late arrivals and/or early dismissals count as one (1) unexcused absence. The first two unexcused absences will result in a warning from the Student Body President or the Chairperson. Four absences in one semester will result in dismissal from Student Government Association by the Student Body President or the Chairperson. Any member who has been dismissed shall not be eligible to serve as a member again until beginning of the following semester.

Section 6: Meetings

- Shall be held once a week during fall and spring semesters while classes are in session, unless otherwise specified by the Executive Board or by a motion of senate.
- Shall be presided over by the Chairperson as designated in Article VI, Section 2.
- Shall follow Rules of Order as designated by the Ithaca College Student Government Parliamentary Procedure Manual.
- Special meetings may be called by the Executive Board of Student Government or upon written notification by 66% of the elected representatives of Senate submitted to the Chair.
- Shall be open to any interested members of the Ithaca College Community.

Section 7: Voting

- A quorum of 2/3 of all senators must be present at meetings for an official meeting to be called to order and any voting to occur.
- Each elected senator of Student Government Association shall receive one vote.
- Officers of Student Government, Executive Board members, and interested students-at-large shall NOT vote.
- The President of the Student Body shall vote only in the event of a tie.

Section 8: Authority

Student Government Association shall have the authority to:

- Vote on any budgets brought forth by the Budget Committee if any of the following statements are true:
 1. The club or organization is appealing the Budget Committee's decision.
- Override any decision of a Student Government Association committee by a majority vote, with the exception of Budget Committee and Elections Committee.
- Override a Presidential, Executive Board, Budget Committee, Elections Committee, Chairperson or Parliamentarian of Student Government decision by a 2/3 vote.
- Vote to approve all Budget Committee and Elections Committee members by a majority vote.

- Vote on all budget recommendation brought forth by the Budget Committee, should the committee be unable to vote on it themselves, as stated in Article VII, Section 5.
- Confirm candidates for All-College Committees recommended by the appropriate Executive Board Member(s)
- Confirm candidates for SGA vacancies, as recommended by the Vice President of Communications.
- Establish and chair an Ad hoc Committee by majority vote.
- Initiate impeachment proceeding of any senator or non-ex-officio Executive Board member by a $\frac{3}{4}$ vote.
- Dismiss the Chairperson with a $\frac{2}{3}$ vote.

Section 9: Documents

Documents passed by Student Government Association shall be divided into four (4) classes:

1. Amendments shall be changes or addition to the constitution of the Ithaca College Student Body.
2. Acts shall be matters of a permanent nature, and shall be binding from year to year until formally repealed by the Senate.
3. Resolutions shall be matters of a temporary nature, and shall expire with the Senate in which they are enacted.
4. Recommendations shall encourage action to be taken by other decision-making bodies in the Ithaca College Community, and shall only expire after the action is made, or if formally withdrawn by the Senate.

A permanent and cumulative record of all documents shall be kept on file and shall be made available to the Student Government Association or the public upon request.

Section 10: Appeals

Decisions of the Student Body President, Executive Board, Chairperson of SGA, and all SGA Committees may be appealed to Senate.

All Appeals must be presented to the Chairperson of SGA so that it may be included in the agenda for the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Senate.

Student Government Association will consider the appeal only if grounds allege that the original decision of the President, Executive Board, or Chairperson, and/or all SGA Committees, violates their rights outlined in the Ithaca College Student Handbook, and/or the Constitution of the Ithaca College Student Government Association.

In the event that grounds for an appeal involves personal and confidential information such as, but not limited to, grades, judicial standing, and disability, the Director of Center for Student Leadership and Involvement or his/her designee, has the authority to review all claims and provide Student Government Association with a conclusion of findings.

The Senate may override decisions according to their authority outlined in Section 8 of this document.

The Senate may override a Presidential, Executive Board, Budget Committee, Elections Committee, or Chairperson decision by a 2/3 vote.

Section 11: Chairperson

The Chair shall:

- Have a working knowledge of Parliamentary Procedure
- Remain completely impartial while chairing. If wishing to address an issue, the Chairperson must turn the gavel over to an executive designee.
- Be responsible for the preparation of the Student Government Association meeting agenda in conjunction with the President of the Student Body.
- Be responsible for maintaining and upholding the Ithaca College Parliamentary Procedure manual in consultation with the President.
- Be responsible for notification of the Senate and Student Government Executive Board of special meetings and/or meeting cancellations.
- Be responsible for convening and chairing the Elections Committee or appointing a designee to do so.

The Chairperson shall be a non-voting representative of the Student Senate to the Executive Board and shall attend all Executive Board Meetings.

- After the recommendation from the President of the Student Body, nominations for Chairperson may be made by any member of the Ithaca College Student Body.
- No Executive Board member may be nominated.
- Student Senate representatives may be nominated but must resign from their current position if elected.
- The candidate receiving a majority vote in either the first round, or in a run-off if necessary, will be elected.

ARTICLE V EXECUTIVE BRANCH

Section 1: Name

The Executive Branch of the Ithaca College Student Government Association shall be known as the Executive Board.

Section 2: Membership

The Executive Board of Student Government shall consist of:

- The President of the Student Body
- The Vice President of Academics
- The Vice President of Business and Finance
- The Vice President of Campus Affairs
- The Vice President of Communications
- Senate Chair
- The Student Trustee

- The President of the Residence Hall Association or a representative designated by the President of RHA.

Section 3: Term of Office

- The President of the Student Body and all Vice Presidents shall serve from the day of graduation the year they are elected, until the day of graduation the following year.
- The Student Trustee shall serve from June 1st of the year of appointment until May 31st of the second academic year after the Trustee's appointment.
- The President of the Residence Hall Association shall serve according to the provisions set forth in the RHA constitution.
- No member of the Executive Board shall serve multiple positions within the Student Government Association.

Section 4: Executive Board Meetings

- Shall be held at least once every week during the fall and spring semester while classes are in session, unless otherwise specified by the Executive Board.
- Special meetings shall be convened whenever it is deemed necessary by the President of the Student Body, or upon written or oral request of two (2) other Executive Board members submitted to the President.

Section 5: Voting

- The Student Trustee and the President of RHA/RHA designated representative shall be ex-officio, non-voting members.
- The President of the RHA/RHA designated representative shall not be required to attend executive board meetings unless specifically requested 36 hours prior to the scheduled meeting, though her or his presence is encouraged for all other regularly scheduled meetings.
- A majority of voting members must be present for any voting to occur.
- The Vice Presidents, elected by the Student Body, shall each have one (1) vote.
- The President of the Student Body shall only vote in the event of a tie and shall only have one (1) vote.

Section 6: Duties and Authorities

All Student Government Executive Board members shall:

- Attend all meetings.
- Keep informed on all issues before SGA
- See that the responsibilities of the SGA are carried out.

The President of the Student Body shall:

- Act as spokesperson, in consultation with the Executive Board, for the Student Body.
- Preside over the Executive Board of the Student Government, and see that the responsibilities of each member are carried out.
- Be responsible for setting the agenda for the Executive Board meetings.
- Set the agenda for Student Government Association meetings in consultation with the Chairperson.
- Establish Ad hoc committees as deemed necessary.

- Maintain communication with All-College committees that deal with campus concerns and, when necessary, recommend nominees for those committees to be approved by the Senate.
- Hire at least one Governance Secretary to fulfill the duties listed in the Job Description Manual.
- Vote in the event of a tie in either Executive Board meetings or Senate meetings.
- Be responsible for the distribution of the agenda at least twenty four hours prior to the commencement of Senate meetings.
- Act as a consultant for members of the Senate who wish to establish an ad hoc committee regarding business internal to SGA.
- Assist in the appointment of the Student Alumni Director as outlined in the Constitution of the Alumni Association of Ithaca College.
- Will use discretion in determining involvement of SGA Executive Board members with outside organizations.

The Vice President of Academics:

- Investigate students' academic concerns.
- Review legislation on curriculum, registration, academic procedures, and academic programs.
- Draft new legislation on curriculum, registration, academic procedures, and academic programs in conjunction with ad hoc committees dealing with academic issues.
- Maintain communication with the All-College committees that deal with academic concerns and when necessary recommend nominees for those committees to be approved the Senate.
- Serve as the Faculty Council liaison
- Coordinate at least two (2) meeting per semester between Academic School senators and the Deans of their respective schools.
- Serve as ex-officio member of the Academic Policy Committee.
- Meet with the Provost at least once a semester.
- Coordinate the Student Government Merit Scholarship, the Margaret Reid Memorial Scholarship, and any other Student Government funded scholarship.
- Act as a consultant to any senator wishing to establish an ad hoc committee regarding academic affairs.

The Vice President of Business and Finance shall:

- Oversee all Student Government financial transactions (including Student Government funded clubs and organizations).
- Follow the policies and procedures outlined in the Business and Finance Handbook
- Hire Finance Assistant(s) to fulfill the duties listed in the Job Description Manual.
- Coordinate meetings of the Budget Committee with student clubs and organizations.
- Prepare and submit a budget proposal to Student Government Association for the next academic year for Student Government and Student Government funded clubs and organizations.
- Work in coordination with the Center for Student Leadership and Involvement to create the SGA Treasurer's Handbook.
- Present and submit any of the Budget Committee's budget decisions if
 - ↳ The club or organization is appealing the Budget Committee's decision.
- Shall update the Senate of the status of the floating fund account.

- Preside over the student Government Budget Committee.
- Appoint a Fundraising Director if needed to coordinate all fundraising activities for the Student Government Association and act as a consultant to all clubs on fundraising.
- Present all prospective Budget Committee members to the Executive Board for approval prior to senate voting.

The Vice President of Campus Affairs shall:

- Investigate student concerns other than those that are academic (especially those in Ithaca College's Student Affairs and Campus Life division).
- Review legislation on campus issues, policies, or events that affect the Student Body
- Draft new legislation on campus issues, policies, and events that affect the Student Body in conjunction with ad hoc committees dealing with issues of campus life.
- Work closely with the President of the Residence Hall Association on issues, policies, and procedures concerning Residential Life.
- Sit as a representative on the Campus Life Committee, or if unable to serve, work closely with at least one (1) student representative on the Campus Life Committee.
- Meet with the Vice President of Student Affairs and Campus Life at least once a semester.
- Act as a consultant to any senator wishing to establish an ad hoc committee regarding issues of campus affairs.
- Executive Board or the President of Staff Council.
- Oversee all campus outreach and conduct no fewer than two (2) outreach efforts per year.
- Chair the Campus Affairs Committee
- Sit as a representative on the Campus Life Committee, or if unable to serve, a representative from the Campus Affairs Committee will serve.
- Sit as a representative on the Health Promotion Committee, or if unable to serve, a representative from the Campus Affairs committee will serve

The Vice President of Communications shall:

- Be responsible for all Public Relations.
- Be responsible for all advertising on and off campus.
- Recommending candidates to fill senate vacancies in Student Government Association according to Article X, Section 1.
- Coordinate a Student Government Association Training Workshop in conjunction with the other members of the Executive Board.
- Be responsible for investigating various National and State Organizations and make a recommendation to SGA on whether ICSGA should affiliate with any of those organizations. The Senate shall approve affiliation by a majority vote.
- Preside over the Student Government Communications Committee.
- Coordinate the first year, transfer, and graduate senate election process in the fall semester with the assistance of the Executive Board in accordance with the Elections Act.
- Remain in close contact with the Directors of Ithaca College Study Abroad Centers.
- Appoint or hire an SGA Webmaster with the discretion of using up to \$2,000 as compensation.

The Student Trustee shall:

- Fulfill his/her duties to the Board of Trustees.

- Report to Student Government Association after each meeting of the Board of Trustees.
- Coordinate Student Leader/Trustee Receptions.
- Be responsible for the recruitment and selection of Student Trustee candidates.
- Maintain the Student Trustee manual.

The President of the Residence Hall Association/RHA designated representative shall:

- Fulfill his/her duties to the Residence Hall Association
- Be responsible for reporting to Student Government Association the business of the Residence Hall Association.
- Work closely with the Vice President of Campus Affairs on issues, policies, and procedures concerning Residential Life.

ARTICLE VI CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Clubs and organizations recognized by the Center for Student Leadership and Involvement shall have the right to submit a Budget Proposal in writing to the Budget Committee if they also meet the following criteria:

- Become a registered organization through the Center for Student Leadership and Involvement.
- Must abide by all rules and procedures as stated in the Student Government Association Treasurer’s Business and Finance Handbook (Failure to comply with any of these rules may result in a fiscal penalty at the discretion of Budget Committee).

ARTICLE VII STUDENT GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES

Section 1: Membership

All Student Government Committees will be comprised of student senators and open to any interested students, unless otherwise designated by this Constitution or the committee itself.

Section 2: Meetings

- Shall be held at least once a week during the Fall and Spring semesters while classes are in session, unless otherwise designated by the committee chair.
- Minutes shall be kept, if deemed necessary by the committee, the Senate, or otherwise designated by this Constitution.
- All committee members are expected to participate in all scheduled meetings with no more than three (3) unexcused absences in one semester, or at the discretion of the committee chair.

Section 3: Membership Conduct

All members shall conduct themselves in a respectful and professional manner during meetings. Members who fail to conduct themselves in an appropriate manner are subject to removal at the committee chair's discretion.

Section 4: Ad Hoc Committees

Ad Hoc Committees shall:

- Be convened at the discretion of any senator.
- Be convened at the discretion of the President of the Student Body or the Executive Board or by a majority vote of the Senate.
- Be chaired by the calling senator, her or his designee, or a member of the Executive Board.

Section 5: Budget Committee

The Budget Committee shall:

- Be chaired by the Vice President of Business and Finance
- Assist the Vice President of Business and Finance in his/her duties
- Have its initial membership approved by the Senate at its second meeting of the Fall semester by a majority vote.
- Have its member granted voting privileges exclusively by the Senate.
- Stop operations if its membership fails to consist of five voting students, only to resume operations when membership resumes to that of five.
- Research new methods of funding Student Government Association.
- Shall require that any members requesting funds on behalf of another organization may not be present during deliberation and voting on the request.
- Formulate, review, revise and distribute to SGA the Treasurer's Handbook
- Have the authority to pass budgets
- Meet the following conditions in order for the Budget Committee to pass budgets:
 - Consist of no fewer than seven (7) members and no more than ten (10) members.
 - At least half of committee members must be senators.
 - At least five (5) Senate approved, voting members must be in attendance.
 - The VP of Business and Finance shall only vote in the case of a tie.
 - In order for the budget to pass, a motion must be made by a voting member and seconded by a voting member. The motion must receive a majority vote from the members in attendance.
- If the above conditions are not met, budget committee shall only have the authority to recommend to Student Government Association the allocations of funds for recognized clubs and organizations. During the spring semester, the Budget Committee has the authority to allocate the funds to clubs for the following academic year.
- Prospective budget committee members must first be approved by the executive board and voted in by the senate after a brief presentation.

Section 6: Communications Committee

The Communications Committee shall:

- Be chaired by the Vice President of Communications.
- Assist the Vice President of Communications in his/her duties.
- Investigate new ways of increasing communication with the entire campus community.

Section 7: Elections Committee

The Elections Committee shall:

Be chaired by the Chairperson. If the chairperson is unable to serve as Chair, his/her designee may chair the Elections Committee, subject to 2/3 approval of the Senate.

- Be convened by the end of February of each year.
- Have the authority to recommend revisions of the Student Government Association Elections Act, which shall govern Elections and the Elections Committee's actions, subject to 2/3 approval of the Senate.
- Have meetings recorded by the Governance Secretary or designee and minutes kept on file.

Section 8: Investigation Committee

- Investigation Committee shall only be convened after the initiation of Impeachment Proceedings.
- The Senate shall approve ALL members of the Investigation Committee by a 2/3 vote.
- The Investigation Committee shall be made up of:
 - Two (2) Student Government Executive Board members.
 - Two (2) Student Government senators.
 - Two (2) students-at-large.
 - The Staff Advisor, as an ex-officio non-voting member.

Exceptions:

- No member(s) under investigation may serve on the Investigation Committee.
- The Staff Advisor will not be approved by the Senate.

The Impeachment Investigation Committee shall:

Be chaired by the person convening the committee, as designated in Article VIII

- Determine if the offenses brought forth are deemed to be impeachable.
- Conduct private interviews with the individual(s) under investigation.
- Conduct interviews with others relevant to the investigation.
- Have the right to hold any public hearings they deem necessary to the investigation.
- Make a report of the findings on the offenses to Student Government Association, and make a recommendation to the Senate to impeach, or not to impeach the individual(s) under investigation.
- Have meetings recorded by the Governance Secretary or designee and minutes kept on file.

Section 9: Strategic Planning Committee

- The Strategic Planning Committee will meet no less frequently than every three (3) years to evaluate organizational and committee effectiveness as is stated in the preamble.

- Shall be chaired by the Student Body President.
- The Strategic Planning Committee shall be made up of:
 - Six (6) Student Government senators.
 - Two (2) students-at-large.

Section 10: Campus Affairs Committee

The Campus Affairs Committee shall:

- Be chaired by the Vice President of Campus Affairs.
- Be made up of:
 - At least two (2) Student Government senators.
 - At least two (2) students-at-large.
- Assist the Vice President of Campus Affairs in his/her duties as listed below:
 - Investigate matters of campus affairs through campus outreach
 - Network with college administration to bring awareness to issues surrounding campus life
 - Assist in the proactive advancement of campus life issues
 - Work with students and college administration in cases of biased related incidents or hate crimes and function as a liaison to the Vice President of Student Affairs and Campus Life.
 - Organize all SGA events
 - Investigate matters pertaining to Ithaca College student rights both on and off campus.
 - Serve as advocates for off-campus students with both college and local administration.
- Have a maximum membership if deemed necessary by the Vice President of Campus affairs.

ARTICLE VIII IMPEACHMENT PROCEDURES

- Any member of the Student Government may initiate impeachment proceedings against any senator, Executive Board member, or officer of the Student Government.
- Ex-officio board members may not be impeached.
- To initiate impeachment proceedings, a written motion and petition requesting an investigation, and a list of offenses committed by the member in question must be presented at a formal meeting of Student Government Association by the member

initiating the proceedings. The petition must include the signatures of 2/3 of ALL members of Senate (in good standing.)

- Following the motion, and presentation of petition, the Investigation Committee shall be convened by the appointed committee chairperson.
- The Investigation Committee shall report their findings and make a recommendation to the Senate.
- After the recommendations of the Investigation Committee, the Student Government member(s) under investigation shall have the opportunity to rebut.
- Following the statements of the individuals(s) under investigation, the Senate shall vote on the original motion.
- Impeachment requires a $\frac{3}{4}$ vote by the senate.

ARTICLE X VACANCIES

Section 1: Senators of Student Government Association

Candidates to fill vacant Senate seats shall:

- Submit a mid-year nomination form to the Vice President of Communications of Student Government.
- Be recommended by the Vice President of Communications for nomination by the Senate, and may be confirmed by a majority rule.

Section 2: Executive Board of Government Association

The President and Vice Presidents of the Student Body:

Upon the first notice of a vacancy, there shall be public advertisements of the fact. An application process shall be developed by the remaining executives. Then remaining executives shall interview the candidates.

In the time prior to formal selection of a presidential replacement, the remaining executives shall appoint from among themselves a temporary president. A recommendation shall be made to the Senate following the interview process. The Senate shall have the opportunity to question the recommended candidate. A majority approval of the Senate is required to accept the recommendation.

In the time prior to formal selection of a vice presidential candidate replacement the remaining executive shall appoint an appropriate replacement. A permanent replacement will be announced following the interview process. No approval of the Senate is required.

- The Student Trustee: Shall be replaced in a manner designated by the Board of Trustees in consultation with the Student Body President.
- President of the Residence Hall Association/RHA designated representative: Shall be replaced by the Residence Hall Association

ARTICLE XI

AMENDMENTS

- Any member of the Ithaca College Student Government Association may propose an amendment to this Constitution.
- All proposed amendments must be presented in writing to each member of the Senate at least one (1) week prior to vote to ratify the proposed amendment.
- A 2/3 vote in favor of the proposed amendment is required for ratification.
- To amend the entire document and endure the existence of the Ithaca College Student Government Association, one motion shall be made abolishing the existing Constitution and establishing the new.

ARTICLE XII ACTS

- Any member of the Ithaca College Student Government Association may propose an act to this constitution.
- Any proposed act must be presented in writing (preferably via e-mail) to each member of the Senate at least five (5) days prior to ratify the proposed act.
- No amendments (friendly or otherwise) shall be acknowledged from the floor of the Senate in session.
- Any amendments to said act (before ratification) shall be made in the following manner: If a member of the Ithaca College Student Government Association wishes to amend the bill (act), that may be done with the consent and/or assistance of the act proponent (sponsor). Changes to the act shall strikethrough the line to amend adding the new section in bold print directly after the strikethrough. The amended act must be submitted to all members of the Ithaca College Student Government Association no later than three (3) days prior to a vote to ratify the proposed act.
- A 2/3 vote in favor of the proposed act is required for ratification.
- A ratified act shall be compiled in a binder to form a book of acts of the Ithaca College Student Government Association.
- Any ratified act will be reviewed to determine constitutionality, applicability, and legality corresponding with the review of the Constitution of the Ithaca College Student Body.