

Student Governance Re-Structure Working Group



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Memorandum on Constitutional Ratification

Dear Friend:

After many months of work, we are very excited to have a Constitution for a new group of students to represent the Student Body as you move forward in your academic endeavors. This Constitution and its supporting documents are the result of several months of thoughtful preparation. We have extensively reviewed many Constitutions of other Colleges and Universities and we feel encouraged that the best ideas of those academic communities, together with new ideas, policies and procedures, can set the standard of a new governing document for the Christopher Newport University Student Assembly for years to come. Enclosed at <http://www.studentassembly.net> you will find a copy of this Constitution with information to help describe the points we would like to emphasize. It is our hope that you will help us create a new representative body for the entire Student Body. Since this Constitution and its governing documents may well represent the foundation of a successful representative body, it is your privilege and responsibility to educate yourself to both the structure and to the spirit which these documents are submitted.

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