WHEREAS, the University of Illinois Springfield (UIS) Student Government Association (SGA) is vested with the authority to be the voice for the student body; and,

WHEREAS, SGA is vested with the responsibility to advocate on issues that present consequential disadvantages for the student body and advance solutions benefiting students; and,

WHEREAS, the university is without a curricular practical training program (CPT) for the departments of Computer Science in the College of Liberal Arts and Science and Management Information Systems in the College of Business and Management; and,

WHEREAS, SGA serves to advocate and advance internship or professional programs, including CPT, enhancing the opportunities of students and development of the university.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, SGA advocates for a CPT program for the departments of computer science and management information systems; and,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, SGA shall act to advance towards realizing a CPT program for the department of Computer Science in the College of Liberal Arts and Science and Management Information Systems in the College of Business and Management with an ad hoc committee designated as the CPT Task Force; and,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the CPT Task Force membership shall consist of three to four SGA members from either the Senate or Executive Board by the appointment of the Internal Vice-President. The chair of the task force shall also be by the appointment of the Internal Vice-President.

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the CPT Task Force shall be charged with advancing the implementation of CPT departmental programs and report on its progress at each meeting of the SGA at-large.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and recording by the Secretary of the Student Government Association.

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Secretary E. Hartney               President A. Mehmet