



Senate of the Associated Students of the University of Nevada

90th Session, 2022-2023

AN ACT AMENDING THE JUDICIAL INTERNSHIP STRUCTURE

Bill Number: 9

Authored By: Senator Salah on the behalf of Chief Justice Taylor

Sponsored By: 2022-2023 Student Government Assembly

Whereas, the judicial internship has been rotational some years and not rotational in others;

Whereas, in years that it has been rotational, it can be hard to uproot an intern from one mentor and shift to a different working/personality style;

Whereas, removing this wouldn't stop the Chief Justice from doing a rotational internship, but it found they liked a stationary internship more.

Be it enacted, the Senate shall adopt the following Addendum;

Adopted in Senate on September 14th, 2022

Attest:

Andrew Thompson, Speaker of the Senate

Dionne Stanfill, President of the Associated Students

I certify that this Act originated in the Senate.

Wyatt Layland, Senate Secretary

Addendum A

1 SECTION 04: CHIEF JUSTICE DUTIES

2 In addition to all of the duties of Associate Justice, the duties of Chief Justice include, but are
3 not limited to:

4 a) Delegate operating duties of the Judicial Council as defined in SAS 302 to Associate Justices.

5 b) Determine operating procedures for the Judicial Branch not defined in the governing
6 documents of the Association.

7 c) Set guidelines for Judicial Council training

8 d) Administer oaths of office as necessary to officers in the Association. April 29, 2022 Page | 64
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10 e) Present a new appointment to the Senate within the following two weeks of said committee
11 or Senate meeting if an executive appointment is reported unfavorably by the Senate
12 committee on Oversight or if an appointee is not passed by the Senate, or in the event that the
13 Chief Justice unable to find a qualified candidate within those two weeks the Chief Justice must
14 present to the Committee on Oversight and explain the circumstances.

15 f) Administer the appointment of a Senior Associate Justice.

16 g) Ask to be relieved from all matters concerning a hearing if at any time the Chief Justice
17 recognizes that the Chief Justice possesses a conflict of interest.

18 h) Assign a Justice to consult with the participants in a hearing regarding procedural matters
19 and aid in the smooth progression of prehearing matters if the Council accepts a case.

20 i) Be responsible for calling all meetings, arranging all hearings of the Council, conducting all
21 meetings, and maintaining order at hearings and to be generally responsible for all
22 administrative functions of the Council.

23 j) Maintain attendance records of the Council, propose the Council's budget to the Senate,
24 report to the Senate on the status of pending cases, and any other duties within Title III.302.1.

25 k) Review Judicial Internship candidates for eligibility with the assistance of the administrative
26 faculty of the Center for Student Engagement.

27 l) Plan, organize, and execute the curriculum of the Judicial Internship Program to include:

28 1) Produce the education components twice a semester to include sentiments such as:
29 reviewing past cases and discussing the pros and cons, finding an area of the legal
30 documents that the interns are interested in and becoming an expert of that section,
31 administering oaths, interpreting ASUN legal documents.

1 2) Presentations or guest speakers that increase the learning mission of the program.

2 ~~3) Coordinate a system where interns will rotate between the Chief and Associated~~
3 ~~Justices to achieve their highest potential and learn about all aspects of the Judicial~~
4 ~~Branch of the Association.~~

5 m) Responsible to attend all ASUN retreats, and trainings as decided by the President and the
6 Chief of Internal Affairs.

1 **SECTION 07: CURRICULUM**

2 The Chief Justice will plan, organize, and execute the curriculum of the Judicial Internship
3 Program to include:

4 a) Producing the education components twice a semester to include sentiments such as:
5 reviewing past cases and discussing the pros and cons, finding an area of the legal documents
6 that the Chief Justice is interested in and becoming an expert of that section, administering
7 oaths, interpreting ASUN legal documents.

8 b) Presentations or guest speakers that increase the learning mission of the program.

9 ~~e) Coordinating a system where interns will rotate between the Chief and Associated Justices to~~
10 ~~achieve their highest potential and learn about all aspects of the Judicial Branch of the~~
11 ~~Association.~~