

RESOLUTION R-06-16
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**A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING DR. MARY LEE
CALDWELL ON BEING NAMED DIRECTOR OF STUDENT
GOVERNANCE AND CITIZENSHIP**

WHEREAS, the SGA exists to preserve and defend the rights and privileges of student self-governance, to guarantee a student voice and involvement in University decisions, to serve the common interests of all students, to train ourselves in democratic government, and to promote citizenship on campus and in the community; and,

WHEREAS, the University has been without a full-time faculty advisor primarily dedicated to SGA in past administrations; and,

WHEREAS, having a full-time faculty advisor will allow student leaders in SGA to better fulfill its mission; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Mary Lee Caldwell accepted the newly created position of “Director of Student Governance and Citizenship” at The University of Alabama in July 2016; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Caldwell’s primary responsibility in this role will pertain to advising the SGA, along with overseeing the Elections Board; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Caldwell previously served as Assistant Director of the Blackburn Institute; and,

WHEREAS, the Roth Administration is excited to work with Dr. Caldwell to advance SGA’s service to the student body;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Student Government Association Senate assembled cordially congratulates Dr. Mary Lee Caldwell on being named Director of Student Governance and Citizenship at The University of Alabama and wishes her luck in her new and exciting role; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be sent to Dr. Mary Lee Caldwell, Director of Student Governance and Citizenship; *The Crimson White Media Group* for informational purposes; and any other entities deemed necessary.