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The University of Alabama
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A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA TO EXCUSE ABSENCES RELATED TO STUDENT CAREER DEVELOPMENT

WHEREAS, The University of Alabama encourages all students to explore their professional career opportunities; and

WHEREAS, many students are required to go through an interview process for their perspective jobs and internships; and

WHEREAS, these interviews often conflict with class and test schedules; and
WHEREAS, there is no current policy in place for a university excused absence for these interviews; and

WHEREAS, some professors require excused absences for class attendance and exams;

THEREFORE, let it be RESOLVED, The University of Alabama Student Government Association encourages the Career Center to provide a form that allows to students to document their absence;

THEREFORE, be it RESOLVED, the documentation will act as an approved excuse from the University of Alabama

Be it further resolved that copies of this resolution be sent to Dr. Stuart R. Bell, President of the University of Alabama; Amy Ratliff, Director of Engineering Career Center, Susan Cowles, Director of Career Management Center at Culverhouse, Schernavia M. Hall, Director of Operations, Kevin Whitaker, Executive Vice President and Provost of Academic Affairs, Melinda J. King, Assistant Vice President, Grace Lee, Associate Dean of Academic Affairs Law School, ; Harrison Adams, President of Student Government Association; Savannah Bullard, Editor-In-Chief of The Crimson White; and others as may be deemed necessary at a later date.