



University of Illinois Springfield

Student Government Association Resolution 003

Investigating Student Privacy in Regards to Surveillance Cameras

Resolution Sponsor: President Mehmet and Trustee Hoffman

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 deeply concerned about the safety and security of all students on the UIS campus; and,

WHEREAS, SGA was notified by a faculty member of union contract negotiations that discussed hidden surveillance cameras; and,

WHEREAS, that email reads:

"We [the faculty union] requested information from the administration about any and all policies related to surveillance of faculty and staff in both public and restricted-access areas (such as offices, labs, studios, etc.), as it has come to our attention that the University has installed and used hidden surveillance cameras for the purposes of monitoring staff/faculty members within the past year without bargaining that change with the Union."

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that SGA begin a formal investigation on the use of university hidden surveillance cameras.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this investigation be controlled by the Campus Safety Committee.