



100th Anniversary Resolution

WHEREAS, NASPA was established 100 years ago by six deans of men as the Conference of Deans and Advisors of Men and shortly thereafter, renamed the National Association of Deans and Advisors of Men; and

WHEREAS, the NASPA *is* its members flourishing through the state, regional, national, and international volunteer leadership structure which has served as a catalyst for change since the organization was founded in 1919; and

WHEREAS, in 1951, a vote of the membership changed the title of the Association to the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators which broadened the membership of the Association and expanded the mission "to discuss and study the most effective methods of aiding students in their intellectual, social, moral, and personal development"; and

WHEREAS, throughout the decades, NASPA – Student Affairs Administrators in Higher Education has become a professional home to thousands, focusing on developing research into practice through our guiding principles of integrity, innovation, inclusion, and inquiry; and

WHEREAS, recognition of our centennial provides us with the opportunity to reflect back on our past, look forward to the future, serve and educate our members, and advocate for access, equity, inclusion, and social justice in higher education; and

WHEREAS, the Association continues to grow into a strong, vibrant, and diverse organization with over 16,000 members at colleges and universities in the United States and around the world; and

WHEREAS, when the 100th NASPA Annual Conference concludes, we will embark on a year-long centennial celebration of our Association, recognizing the evolution of the student affairs profession through milestones in our organization; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the NASPA Board of Directors celebrates and recognizes 100 years of outstanding excellence and achievement in support of student success on this 6th day of March, 2018.

Submitted by

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