



Central Student Government  
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Subject: Central Student Government (CSG) Report  
September 2023

President Ono, members of the Board of Regents, and Executive Officers of the University, I am honored to submit the following report to you on behalf of the Central Student Government (CSG):

**Current and Upcoming CSG Programming**

*Fall Student Organization Funding Opportunities*

The Fall 2023 [Funding Application](#) is now open for all registered student organizations at U-M. There will be nine waves of content-neutral application review in line with CSG [funding policies](#), with the first starting on 9/17. We are looking forward to supporting U-M's 1,500 registered student organizations through this initiative.

*Diversifood*

On the U-M Diag on October 8th, CSG will be hosting "Diversifood," a cultural food fair with opportunities for identity-based student organizations to table, perform, and share their culture's food and music. Our Programming team is currently in the process of reaching out to student organizations to get involved, and we look forward to this event to celebrate our community of Wolverines.

*Engagement in Campus Planning and Strategic Visioning Efforts*

CSG has been working closely with Campus Planning and Strategic Visioning Efforts to incorporate additional student engagement through an information session held for student org leaders as well as four focus groups centered around various topic areas.

*Other Ongoing Initiatives*

In addition, CSG has provided free GroupX passes to students, created a new Free Textbook Shelf at the Shapiro Library, and onboarded a cohort of freshman and transfer students for our first-year intern program. We have also recently hosted events such as Meet Your Representatives, Pride Outside, and a Maize and Blue Cupboard visibility event!

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As a reminder, our door is always open to provide student input. Should you have any questions or wish to get in touch with us, please do not hesitate to email [csg.president@umich.edu](mailto:csg.president@umich.edu).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Meera Herle".

**Meera Herle**  
Student Body President

The Student Government of  
the University of Michigan - Dearborn



September 2023 Regents Report

President Ono, Members of the Board of Regents, and Executive Officers of the University, it is our honor to submit the following report to you on behalf of the administration of University of Michigan-Dearborn's Student Government (SG). We look forward to updating you on our initiatives and sharing all that we have worked on.

***Initiatives:***

In collaboration with the Pre-Law Association, we are organizing an LSAT mock exam on September 29th. This initiative enhances students' preparedness for law careers by offering a simulated LSAT experience. To promote diverse medical research, we're collaborating with Precision Health for saliva sample collection on September 14th, 18th, and 25th. This aligns with our commitment to inclusivity in medical studies. Two Senate resolutions were passed: one establishes "Athlete of the Month" recognition, and the other forms a committee to build a boat for the yearly boat races hosted by our University. These initiatives strengthen campus culture and student engagement.

***Ongoing Initiatives:***

To address safety concerns, we're working with the Department of Public Safety and our Title IX coordinators to organize a campus safety event. This event will equip students with essential safety resources. As part of our commitment to civic education, we are preparing for Constitution Day. This event aims to engage our student body in discussions about the Constitution's significance, its historical context, and its relevance in contemporary society. A resource fair is in the works to connect students with various campus resources and support services. This initiative aligns with our goal of ensuring that all students are aware of and have access to the tools they need to succeed academically and personally. An MCAT mock exam is also being developed with the help of our Universities Pre Health Advisor.

***To Conclude:***

Student Government is committed to serving and representing the student body. We have achieved several notable accomplishments and have important projects in the works. We hope to continue our efforts to make the college community a better place for all students.

Forever proud to be Dearborn Wolverines,

Darena Matti

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Michigan-Dearborn

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# STUDENT GOVERNMENT

President Ono, members of the Board of Regents, and Executive Officers of the University, I am pleased and honored to submit to you the following report on behalf of the University of Michigan-Flint Student Government. The following serves as an update on Student Government's activity in the month of August.

## **Welcome Week:**

As students excitedly returned to campus last month, Student Government had the privilege of assisting in a multitude of events during Welcome Week. Members of our executive board volunteered at move-ins at both Riverfront and First Street Residence Halls, inviting new and returning students to their home away from home at UM-Flint.

Additionally, they participated in Wolverine Welcome, an event geared toward only new students with the purpose of networking with their incoming class and learning more about the spirits and traditions of UM-Flint. Their presence as group leaders created an experience that first time students won't forget.

## **Homecoming Weekend:**

In partnership with Student Involvement and Leadership (SIL) and other departments on campus, SG continued to play a role in our campus' third annual Homecoming Weekend. This year, our campus hosted a Candyland themed dance at Northbank Center and incorporated the Kearsley Carnival into the weekend's thrills, a tradition held pre-covid at UM-Flint. Our students created core memories at the dance while also connecting with the greater Flint community and getting to invite their friends and family to partake in the day's festivities. It was an honor getting to bring this to life, and we can't wait to build more traditions for our Wolverine community this year.

**New Membership:**

Vice President LaPeen has been working diligently on recruitment to the Senate of the Student Body, already recruiting two new Senators within the first weeks of the Fall semester. Student Government is excited to welcome Senator Sai Sundar Ravikumar, a graduate student studying Public Administration, and Senator Noor Ruzhan, an undergraduate student studying Economics and Computer Science.

Ultimately, our administration has continued focusing on our core values of Advocacy, Community, and Traditions. I would like to thank you for your diligence and swiftness in appointing an interim Chancellor for Flint's campus; we are excited to work with Interim Chancellor Fry this year.

I look forward to your visit in October and continuing conversations about Flint's future.

In Maize and Blue,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "L. Azeim".

Lina Azeim  
Student Body President