

MEMORANDUM 1617-54

January 8th, 2017

TO: Members of the Executive Committee

FROM: Marc J. Cohen, President

SUBJECT: Appointment of Jakob Webster as Co-Chair of the Military Affairs Committee

Action Requested

The proposed resolution appoints of Jakob Webster as Co-Chair of the Military Affairs Committee.

Resolution

I recommend that the Executive Committee adopt the following resolution:

Resolved that Jakob Webster be, and hereby is appointed Co-Chair of the Military Affairs Committee effective immediately. This appointment shall continue from the date of appointment until May 31, 2017.

Background

Appointed by the Executive Committee, the Co-Chair of the Military Affairs Committee will report to the Vice President and be a part of the President's Cabinet.

The Co-Chair of the Military Affairs Committee will be responsible to the Executive Board, the Executive Committee, and the Student Assembly on matters including but not limited to services and issues related to military affairs.

The Co-Chair of the Military Affairs Committee will be responsible to

- Serve as a representative of SUNY student veterans and active military concerns and initiatives to the SUNY Student Assembly, the SUNY system, and the State of New York.
- To track all matters and policies related to active duty and veteran students in SUNY.
- Serve on committees or task forces considering issues of military and veteran affairs, including financial aid and services for veterans as deemed appropriate by the President and Vice President.
- Act as the liaison advocating the SUNYSA's position on matters involving military and veteran affairs taken up by SUNY system administration or any formal or informal system-wide committees
- Coordinate all Student Assembly efforts and initiatives that promote awareness of military and veteran's affairs
- Assist any student governments that request assistance with their own campus efforts.
- Present workshops or round table discussions at the SUNY SA spring and fall conferences on present and future goals and agendas.
- Assist and President and Vice President with other relevant tasks as requested.

Jakob's resume may be found through Google Drive or upon request.