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## Cal State LA Associated Students, Inc. Statement Regarding the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals program (DACA)

Dear Cal State LA Community,

Associated Students, Inc. (A.S.I.) shares a profound disappointment with the Trump administration's decision to rescind the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals program (DACA). Through this unnecessary act, the federal government has created a tremendous sense of anxiety and fear, affecting thousands of students on our campus and nationwide. DACA is a tool for Dreamers to achieve their dreams, goals, and aspirations, but now our fellow students, friends, and colleagues fear the repeal of DACA will jeopardize their futures.

Per letters from <u>Cal State LA University President William A. Covino</u> and <u>Chancellor Timothy P. White</u>, the CSU community and our campus will continue to be supportive of undocumented students and foster a university climate where everyone feels welcome and included.

Please make note of the resources available for undocumented students:

- CSU Resources for Undocumented Students -<a href="https://www2.calstate.edu/attend/student-services/resources-for-undocumented-students">https://www2.calstate.edu/attend/student-services/resources-for-undocumented-students</a>
- Cal State LA Immigration Issues and Resources http://www.calstatela.edu/immigration
- Glazer Family Dreamers Resource Center http://www.calstatela.edu/ab540 Luz Borjon Montalvo, Coordinator E-mail: GFDRC@calstatela.edu

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Location: Student Affairs Building, Room 214

Counseling and Psychological Services –
 Offers counseling for students in the Student Health Center

If you are interested in taking action, please make note of the following:

- Join the A.S.I. Legislative Affairs and Advocacy Committee or Lobby Corps meetings: <a href="https://asicalstatela.org/committee/legislative-affairs-advocacy-committee#overlay=node/36/edit">https://asicalstatela.org/committee/legislative-affairs-advocacy-committee#overlay=node/36/edit</a>
- CALL TO ACTION: The Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival (DACA) –
  Take action to defend DACA! Click here for more information.
  <a href="http://www.calstatestudents.org/cssa-statement-regarding-daca/">http://www.calstatestudents.org/cssa-statement-regarding-daca/</a>

As an organization, we acknowledge that DACA students are more than an immigration status, economic impact, or a nine-digit number. We fully recognize that we are talking about human lives and want students in the undocumented community to know that A.S.I. is here to support. On our campus, the

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Your Student Government... For the Students, by the Students! undocumented will not be regulated to the shadows. A.S.I. stands with Dreamers and we will advocate for and continue to support undocumented students by advocating civically, seeking a legislative solution to the repeal of DACA.

Additional Resources for Support and Education:

- https://standup.indivisibleguide.com/
- https://dreamacttoolkit.org/
- <a href="https://www.ilrc.org/sites/default/files/resources/if\_daca\_ends.pdf">https://www.ilrc.org/sites/default/files/resources/if\_daca\_ends.pdf</a>
- <a href="https://www.ilrc.org/sites/default/files/resources/community\_advisory\_-">https://www.ilrc.org/sites/default/files/resources/community\_advisory\_-</a>

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- <a href="https://www.ilrc.org/know-your-rights-and-what-immigrant-families-should-do-now">https://www.ilrc.org/know-your-rights-and-what-immigrant-families-should-do-now</a>
- http://weareheretostay.org/
- <a href="https://www.nilc.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/DACA-and-2017-legislation-compared-2017-08-10.pdf">https://www.nilc.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/DACA-and-2017-legislation-compared-2017-08-10.pdf</a>
- <a href="https://www.nilc.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/DreamActs-and-DACA-comparison-2017-07-21.pdf">https://www.nilc.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/DreamActs-and-DACA-comparison-2017-07-21.pdf</a>
- <a href="https://www.nilc.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/DreamAct2017-summary-and-facts-2017-07-24.pdf">https://www.nilc.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/DreamAct2017-summary-and-facts-2017-07-24.pdf</a>
- https://ssl.capwiz.com/acluaction/issues/alert/?alertid=78557626&type=CO&ms=web 170905 immigrants rights DREAMAct
- <a href="https://www2.calstate.edu/attend/student-services/resources-for-undocumented-students/Pages/default.aspx">https://www2.calstate.edu/attend/student-services/resources-for-undocumented-students/Pages/default.aspx</a>
- http://www.calstatestudents.org/call-to-action-the-deferred-action-forchildhood-arrival-daca-program-updated/
- http://www.calstatestudents.org/cssa-statement-regarding-daca/
- https://dreamers.fwd.us/

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