Student Government Association

Tennessee Technological University

SB-S23-01 An Act to Adjust the Honors Lounge

Whereas,	many Honors students state there is not a sense of community in the Honors program, and,
Whereas,	before 2018 the lounge was the main place for honors students to go to hangout, and,
Whereas,	students have also commented on the availability of the classroom; and,
Whereas,	during the past few years, the availability of the lounge has been flooded with unnecessary use; and,
Whereas,	the notion to make the space more available through the implementation of eagle card scanners is supported by the Honors Program's faculty; and,
Whereas,	by addressing the aforementioned issues and requests the honors student body can once again flourish with a sense of community; and,
Whereas,	by returning the lounge area to a centralized location allows for a place for students in the program to connect, with only a few changes necessary.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF TENNESSEE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY THAT

- Section 1: This Bill shall be known as the "Honors Lounge Reformation Act of 2023".
- Section 2: The Honors Lounge (FARR 204A) will be given an eagle card scanner at the entrance to the room.
- Section 3: The lounge shall be mitigated for all unnecessary use (defined in section 3.1).
 - Section 3.1: Unnecessary use: Any use that is not with a program associated with that of the Honors program as well as any classes regardless of affiliation.
 - Section 3.2: The burden that is the judgment of unnecessary use shall be up to the Honors Director.

Section 4: This Bill shall take effect immediately following passage by the Student Government Association, the welfare of the students requiring it.

Respectfully Submitted By: Cameron J. Legge Senator, Honors Program Co-sponsor(s): Kelsey Hewitt Senator, Freshman Senate

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Senate Record

SGA Secretary:	Aye:	Nay:	Abstain:	Status
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