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**Academic Staff Assembly Motion/Resolution Cover Page**

**Resolution/Motion Title:** Resolution in Support of Instruction and Training **ASA #:** 743

on Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Social Justice

**Sponsor(s):**  ASEC

**Individuals/Committees Consulted:** ASEC; Cheryl Gittens, Interim Chief Diversity Officer; Beth Meyerand, Vice Provost for Faculty and Staff Affairs; also distributed to Committee for GLBTQ People in the University, Committee on Women in the University, and Campus Diversity and Climate Committee for feedback and suggestions.

**Background/Purpose:**

This resolution is prompted by the Executive Order “On Combating Race and Sex Stereotyping” issued by President Trump on September 22, 2020. The Executive Order conflicts with a resolution passed by the Academic Staff Assembly in 2016 that supports professional development activities that support racial and cultural awareness and inclusion. The resolution recommits the Assembly’s support of training opportunities in these areas.

**Distribution (if approved):**

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**A vote in favor of this means** your district supports engagement with accurate accounts of historical injustices and the ongoing efforts of instruction and training of the principles of diversity, equity, inclusion, and social justice towards building a climate and culture of anti-racism and anti-sexism at UW-Madison.

**A vote against this means** your district does not support engagement with accurate accounts of historical injustices and the ongoing efforts of instruction and training of the principles of diversity, equity, inclusion, and social justice towards building a climate and culture of anti-racism and anti-sexism at UW-Madison.

**Meeting Guide**

(Can be used by meeting participants to track amendments/changes to resolutions or motions up for consideration)

**Main Motion/Resolution Moved: Seconded**

Discussion (This is where you can ask questions or make comments)

If no further amendments, vote is taken on main motion with amendments if any.

Vote on Main Motion Aye \_\_\_\_\_\_ Nay \_\_\_\_\_

**Amendment Moved: Seconded**

Discussion (This is where you can ask questions or make comments)

Vote on Amendment Aye \_\_\_\_\_\_ Nay \_\_\_\_\_

If aye, amendment now included in main motion. If nay, main motion not amended.

**Amendment Moved: Seconded**

Discussion (This is where you can ask questions or make comments)

Vote on Amendment Aye \_\_\_\_\_\_ Nay \_\_\_\_\_

If aye, amendment now included in main motion. If nay, main motion not amended.

**Amendment Moved: Seconded**

Discussion (This is where you can ask questions or make comments)

Vote on Amendment Aye \_\_\_\_\_\_ Nay \_\_\_\_\_

If aye, amendment now included in main motion. If nay, main motion not amended.